

Jazz Ensemble Audition Information

All jazz ensemble audition materials can be found on the music department web page (www.coloradomesa.edu/music → ensembles → jazz). The audition will consist of the following prepared audition excerpt. The first rehearsal will be on Wednesday, August 24 at 11am (no rehearsal Monday, August 22).

Saxophones

Please audition on the one instrument that you feel most comfortable on (alto, tenor, or baritone). The audition signup sheet will be located on Dr. Watabes's door (MPAC 135). Auditions will be held August 22 from 11:00-11:50AM.

Trumpets

Please audition on either Trumpet 1 for lead trumpet or Trumpet 4 for section trumpet. The audition signup sheet will be located on Dr. Hinkles's door (MPAC 131). Auditions will be held August 22 from 11:00-11:50AM.

Trombones

Please audition on either tenor (Trombone 1) or bass (Trombone 4). The audition signup sheet will be located on Dr. Flanigan's door (MPAC 129). Auditions will be held August 22 from 11:00-11:50AM.

4th THROMBONE

"FOUR FIVE SIX"

Handwritten musical score for 4th Trombone. The score is written on ten staves, labeled H through K. The tempo is marked "Medium Swing" with a time signature of 4/4. The music includes various rhythmic patterns, such as eighth and sixteenth notes, and rests. There are several dynamic markings, including accents (^) and slurs. A handwritten "-4" is present above the first staff. The score concludes with a double bar line and repeat dots at the end of staff K. Below the main score, there are two empty staves.