



AUDITION INFORMATION

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We're excited that you are interested in auditioning for the MBC-Prince William Creative Arts Ministry! We're looking forward to getting to know you better at your audition.

Each vocal and instrumental audition will consist two or more of the components listed below.

SONG CHECKLIST

We will provide a checklist of popular worship songs and hymns. You will need to indicate the songs you are most familiar with by placing a check in the box next to the title of each song. This list lets us know the songs that are in your repertoire. We will be referring to this list for several of the other portions of your audition.

INTERVIEW

Tell us a little bit more about you and your musical and spiritual journey.

*ENSEMBLE PRACTICE

Demonstrate your ability to perform with other vocalists, musicians and varying styles of accompaniment.

*SIGHTREADING

Read sheet music or chart of an unfamiliar song or hymn.

*IMPROVISATION

Using familiar songs from your checklist, play or sing melody or accompaniment adding your own embellishments.

PERFORMANCE

Perform a piece of your choice. An accompanist will not be provided. Please arrange to bring your own accompanist if you need one for this portion of your audition.

You may sing or play to track or perform your piece a capella/without accompaniment. You may also use sheet music if you'd like. If you plan to perform to track, please bring a CD clearly labeled with your name and the title of the song(s) you will be performing.

If you are proficient on more than one instrument, please be prepared to play each one.

Piano, drum set, music stands and CD player will be provided.

AUDITION LENGTH

Each audition may last 20-25 minutes. Thank you for your patience!

WHAT TO BRING

Drummers must bring their own sticks and a metronome.

AUDITION LOCATION

Auditions will be held in the MBC-Prince William campus auditorium located at 10002 Battleview Parkway, Manassas, VA 20109

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