

# Band Sight-Reading Instrumentation & Key Signatures - 2026

Level	Instrumentation
Level 1 Key: Bb	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Flute</li><li>▪ Oboe</li><li>▪ Bassoon</li><li>▪ Clarinet</li><li>▪ Bass Clarinet</li><li>▪ Alto Sax</li><li>▪ Tenor Sax</li><li>▪ Bari Sax</li><li>▪ Trumpet</li><li>▪ Horn</li><li>▪ Trombone/Euphonium</li><li>▪ Tuba</li><li>▪ Timpani</li><li>▪ Bells</li><li>▪ Percussion 1 – Snare Drum, Bass Drum</li><li>▪ Percussion 2 – Crash Cymbals, Triangle</li></ul>
Level 2 Key: Eb	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Flute</li><li>▪ Oboe</li><li>▪ Bassoon</li><li>▪ Clarinet 1 &amp; 2</li><li>▪ Bass Clarinet</li><li>▪ Alto Sax</li><li>▪ Tenor Sax</li><li>▪ Bari Sax</li><li>▪ Trumpet 1 &amp; 2</li><li>▪ Horn</li><li>▪ Trombone</li><li>▪ Euphonium</li><li>▪ Tuba</li><li>▪ Timpani</li><li>▪ Bells</li><li>▪ Percussion 1 – Snare Drum, Bass Drum</li><li>▪ Percussion 2 – Crash Cymbals, Triangle</li></ul>

<p>Level 3</p> <p>Key: Eb</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Flute</li> <li>▪ Oboe</li> <li>▪ Bassoon</li> <li>▪ Clarinet 1 &amp; 2</li> <li>▪ Bass Clarinet</li> <li>▪ Alto Sax</li> <li>▪ Tenor Sax</li> <li>▪ Bari Sax</li> <li>▪ Trumpet 1 &amp; 2</li> <li>▪ Horn</li> <li>▪ Trombone</li> <li>▪ Euphonium</li> <li>▪ Tuba</li> <li>▪ Timpani</li> <li>▪ Bells</li> <li>▪ Percussion 1 – Snare Drum, Bass Drum</li> <li>▪ Percussion 2 – Crash Cymbals, Suspended Cymbal, Triangle</li> </ul>
<p>Level 4</p> <p>Key: Eb/Bb</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Flute 1 &amp; 2</li> <li>▪ Oboe</li> <li>▪ Bassoon</li> <li>▪ Clarinet 1 &amp; 2</li> <li>▪ Bass Clarinet</li> <li>▪ Alto Sax 1 &amp; 2</li> <li>▪ Tenor Sax</li> <li>▪ Bari Sax</li> <li>▪ Trumpet 1 &amp; 2</li> <li>▪ Horn 1 &amp; 2</li> <li>▪ Trombone 1 &amp; 2</li> <li>▪ Euphonium</li> <li>▪ Tuba</li> <li>▪ Timpani</li> <li>▪ Bells</li> <li>▪ Percussion 1 – Snare Drum, Bass Drum</li> <li>▪ Percussion 2 – Crash Cymbals, Triangle, Suspended Cymbal</li> </ul>

<p>Level 5</p> <p>Key: Eb/c minor/g minor</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Flute 1</li> <li>▪ Oboe/Flute 2</li> <li>▪ Bassoon</li> <li>▪ Clarinet 1, 2, &amp; 3</li> <li>▪ Bass Clarinet</li> <li>▪ Alto Sax 1 &amp; 2</li> <li>▪ Tenor Sax</li> <li>▪ Bari Sax</li> <li>▪ Trumpet 1, 2, &amp; 3</li> <li>▪ Horn 1 &amp; 2</li> <li>▪ Trombone 1 &amp; 2</li> <li>▪ Euphonium</li> <li>▪ Tuba</li> <li>▪ Timpani</li> <li>▪ Bells</li> <li>▪ Percussion 1 – Snare Drum, Bass Drum</li> <li>▪ Percussion 2 – Crash Cymbals, Suspended Cymbal, Triangle, Tambourine</li> </ul>
<p>Level 6</p> <p>Key: Eb/Ab</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Flute</li> <li>▪ Oboe</li> <li>▪ Bassoon</li> <li>▪ Clarinet 1, 2, &amp; 3</li> <li>▪ Bass Clarinet</li> <li>▪ Alto Sax</li> <li>▪ Tenor Sax</li> <li>▪ Bari Sax</li> <li>▪ Trumpet 1, 2, &amp; 3</li> <li>▪ Horn 1 &amp; 2</li> <li>▪ Trombone 1 &amp; 2</li> <li>▪ Euphonium</li> <li>▪ Tuba</li> <li>▪ Timpani</li> <li>▪ Chimes, Bells</li> <li>▪ Percussion 1 – Snare Drum, Bass Drum</li> <li>▪ Percussion 2 – Wood Block, Crash Cymbals, Suspended Cymbal</li> </ul>