





Brass Central Ensemble Audition Technical Exercises

This page is for Brass Attack and Training Wind Orchestra for French Horn

- 1. On the mouthpiece buzz any note. (Aim to make the best sound you can and hold the pitch steady for about 5 seconds)
- 2. Take the mouthpiece away from your lips, then replace it and try to buzz the same note you just played.
- 3. Still using just the mouthpiece, buzz a glissando up and down.
- 4. Play from memory the scale of D major, one octave, up and down. Play it once tongued and once slurred.
- 5. Tonguing exercise to be played no slower than 76 bpm



6. Lip slur exercise

F Horn – descending J = 92



In addition to this sheet please prepare the following repertoire:

Brass Attack: The Nuthatch – Easy Jazzy Tudes

Training Wind Orchestra: James Bond Theme – p19 Easy Winners