

SSI 2026

Guarneri Cello

Please record and upload the following scales and the excerpt below for your audition.

Please play your scales at quarter note=60, 2 notes slurred in each bow.

1- A Major, 2 octave (3 octaves optional)

2- F Major, 2 octave (3 octaves optional)

Optional: For consideration for principal chairs, please submit no more than 3 minutes of a solo piece of your choice.

Cello

Viking Song

SAMUEL COLERIDGE-TAYLOR (1875–1912)

Arranged by Jay Coles

In march time ♩ = 120

The musical score for 'Viking Song' is written for Cello in 4/4 time. The tempo is marked as 'In march time ♩ = 120'. The score is arranged by Jay Coles, based on the work by Samuel Coleridge-Taylor (1875–1912). The piece is in the key of A major (indicated by two sharps: F# and C#). The score consists of 39 measures, with measure numbers 1 through 39 indicated below the notes. The dynamics range from *mf* (mezzo-forte) to *f* (forte). The score includes various articulations such as accents (>), slurs, and bowings (marked with 'V' for up-bow and 'x' for down-bow). Red brackets highlight measures 19 and 34, which are marked with a forte (*f*) dynamic.