

# MTB Pre-Grade Introductory Recorder

## Recital

**Select three pieces from the following list (25 marks each)**

**Candidates can choose to play all descant, all treble or a combination of both recorders for each grade**

*The use of accompaniments is optional for Pre-Grade exams and if used may be on piano or CD (if using CD the backing track only must be used i.e. backing tracks that do not include the solo part)*

*As an alternative to the pieces below, candidates may perform up to 3 free choice pieces. For guidance on selecting and approving free choice pieces please [click here](#)*

<b>Title</b>	<b>Composer</b>	<b>Book</b>	<b>Publisher</b>
<b>Descant Recorder Pieces</b>			
Party Popper	Wedgewood	Really Easy Jazzin About	Faber Music
Prelude	Bonsor	Really Easy Recorder	Faber Music
Jazzamatazz	Watts	Razzamajazz Recorder Book 1	Kevin Mayhew
Curtain Raiser			
Movie Buster			
Chilled	Watts	Red Hot Recorder Tutor	Kevin Mayhew
Gobstopper Waltz			
Andante	Mozart	Recorder Express (no accompaniment)	Warner Brothers
When the Saints...	Anon		
Bransle de Champagne	Anon, French		
Fais Dodo	Volkslied	Spielbuch fur sopranblockflöte (Hechler)	Moeck
Branle des Sabots	Phalese		
<b>Treble Recorder Pieces</b>			
Old German Christmas Song	Anon/Bergmann	Concert Repertoire for Recorder	Faber Music
Arabian Mystery	Adams	Treble Recorder Medley	Cramer Music
Fanfare for Fun	Watts	Red Hot Recorder Tutor, Treble	Kevin Mayhew
Prelude to Spring			

Cobbler's Jig Two Little Angels Judge's Dance Debka Hora The Saints	Pitts	Treble Recorder from the Beginning	Music Sales
Ode to Joy	Beethoven	Fun and Games Alto recorder Tune book 1	Schott

**Technical exercises  
(25 marks)**

Prepare all the technical exercises required for this grade which can be downloaded from  
the website (syllabus page) – see:

[MTB Technical exercises for descant recorder](#)

[MTB Technical exercises for treble recorder](#)