## North Carolina All-State Band Auditions Middle School Timpani

Rotation 3

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## Performance Tips:

- Pay attention to the tempo marking.
- Dampen on the quarter note rests.
- Rolls on timpani are played as single stroke rolls.
- When performing a forte piano roll, strike the drum at forte and then start rolling from piano to forte.
- When moving between drums, listen for equal articulation. Higher pitched drums are more articulate then lower ones.