

What to Expect at Your Audition

- I. Important dates:
 - A. If you would like to be considered for an assistantship, please have all your paperwork completed and your audition scheduled by March 1, 2010. The audition must take place before March 7, 2010.
 - B. For admission only, the audition and all paperwork must be completed by April 1, 2010.
- II. The day of the audition:
 - A. Plan to arrive early for your audition. Practice rooms are available in our Music Building.
 - B. MM and DMA applicants: plan to meet with the Graduate Studies Coordinator, Dr. Mary Jean Speare. You can set up a time with her via email: spearemj@jmu.edu.
 - C. DMA applicants: plan to meet with the Director of the School of Music, Dr. Jeffrey Showell. The faculty member you have been in contact with will set up the appointment.
 - D. Your faculty contact will meet with you to discuss your degree program.
 - E. If you audition on a weekday, you are welcome to sit in on classes.
- III. Planning your trip:
 - A. For visitor parking information: <http://web.jmu.edu/parking/regulations.asp#48>
 - B. For accommodation information: <http://www.jmu.edu/parents/Hburgaccom.shtml>
 - C. For dining information:
 1. JMU offers on campus dining facilities: <http://www.campusdish.com/en-US/CSMA/JMU/>
 2. There are also many nearby restaurants off campus: <http://www.jmu.edu/parents/Hburgrestaurants.shtml>
 - D. For directions to JMU: <http://www.jmu.edu/jmuweb/directions/>
 - E. For a JMU campus map: http://www.jmu.edu/map/pdf/07-08_JMU_Campus_Access.pdf
 - F. For things to do in the area: <http://www.jmu.edu/jmuweb/visitJMU/>
- IV. Other items of interest you may want to look into when you are here:
 - A. Finances:
 1. Assistantships: <http://www.jmu.edu/grad/current/assistantships.shtml>
 2. Financial aid: <http://www.jmu.edu/grad/current/finassist.shtml>
 3. Tuition: <http://www.jmu.edu/ubo/rates/index.shtml>
 4. Campus jobs: <http://www.jmu.edu/stuemploy/>
 - B. Housing: http://www.jmu.edu/grad/Orientation/Orientation_housing.htm