


AUDITIONS FOR JAZZ BANDS and COMBOS Fall 2026

Monday, August 17th and Wednesday, August 19th

In #2123

1. All prospective members for Jazz Bands and Combos, returning and otherwise, will audition. Sign up for audition times by calling Mikal Stober in the Band Office: (505) 277-8998 or emailing at hallowho@unm.edu
2. **Jazz Band Auditions** will consist of:
 - a. Prepared etudes. Make sure you prepare both etudes in the PDF. Parts for each instrument available here (scan this QR):

 - b. Some brief sight-reading excerpts.
 - c. Optional improvisation: any tune of your choice with a backing track or a Blues in Bb or F.
3. **Combo Auditions** will consist of:
Improvisation on any tune of your choice or Blues (Bb or F) and sight reading: **no etude required.**
4. Please arrive at least ten minutes before your time so you can be warmed up and ready to go when your turn comes.
5. Jazz Band and Combo audition results will be emailed to auditionees on Thursday, August 20th.
6. Jazz Bands meet from 12:30-1:45 TTH. Jazz I is in B120, Jazz II is in B117. Please register for your correct section of Jazz Band AFTER you receive your placement results.

First Jazz Band Rehearsals:
Tuesday, August 25th, 12:30 pm
(Combos first meeting TBD)