

**Calvert County Public Schools
Exit Expectations
High School String Orchestra**

All exiting string orchestra students should be able to do the following:

1. Demonstrate an understanding of basic music theory in order to perform musical selections.
2. Demonstrate basic articulations such as *leggiero*, *marcato*, and *tenuto*.
3. Perform two octave scales in key signatures up to three sharps and two flats, in appropriate melodic minor scale, and an appropriate chromatic scale starting on the lowest scale.
4. Perform simple, compound and mixed meters.
5. Perform dotted and triplet rhythms.
6. Amplify and broaden basic dynamics.