

Audition

1. VACANCY	Principal Trumpet – one position
2. QUALIFICATION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Excellent music skills and good health are required to perform as a regular member in the Gunma Symphony Orchestra. •Applicants are required to have basic proficiency in Japanese and English. •Applicants will be selected regardless of their age and nationality.
3. AUDITION SCHEDULE	<p>【Audition-1st round】 Tuesday, April 14, 2026 10:30~ / (Monday, April 13, 10:30~) ※Due to the number of applicants 1st Audition will be held for 2 days (preparation date: March 11). ※Date requests are not accepted. ※Schedule will be noticed after the application deadline.</p> <p>【Audition-2nd round】 Wednesday, April 15, 2026 10:30~ ※We will notify successful applicants of the 1st round audition.</p>
4. PLACE	Gunma Symphony Hall (35-2 Takamatsu-cho, Takasaki-city, Gunma / 10 min. walk from Takasaki Station)
5. AUDITION REPERTOIRE	<p>① Document review ※Examination by the resume. ※Result will be mailed Thursday, March 12, 2026. ※Live audition will be held for the participants who has past the document review. (Schedule of the live audition and orchestral excerpts will be mailed.)</p> <p>② Live audition 【Audition-1st round】 ●Solo Repertoire F.J. Haydn/ Trumpet Concerto in E-Flat Major, Hob.VIIe:1-1st movement [edition: unspecified, no cadenza, play with B ♭ trumpet] ※Pianist needs to be arranged by the applicants. ※Playing section will be specified on the day of the audition.</p> <p>●Orchestral Excerpts ※Playing section will be specified on the day of the audition.</p> <p>【Audition-2nd round】 ●Solo Repertoire A. Honegger/ Intrada, H. 193 [play with B ♭ or C trumpet] F.J. Haydn/ Trumpet Concerto in E-Flat Major, Hob.VIIe:1-3rd movement [with cadenza, edition: unspecified, play with B ♭ trumpet]</p>

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6. APPLICATION	<p>Please send all necessary application documents stated below.</p> <p><u>(Download resume format.)</u></p> <p>Gunma Symphony Orchestra</p> <p>9-1 Sakae-cho, Takasaki, Gunma 370-0841</p> <p>※Applicants are responsible for all costs (pianists, traveling, etc.) pertaining to the audition.</p> <p>※The resume will be used only for the purpose of the audition, furthermore, request for performing with us, and will not be returned.</p>
7. APPLICATION DEADLINE	<p><u>Application must be received no later than Thursday, March 5, 2026.</u></p>
8. TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT	<p>Salary will be on an annual salary scheme in accordance with the Gunma Symphony Orchestra regulation.</p> <p>Trial period: 6 months</p> <p>The successful applicant will be given 6 months trial period with the orchestra before the final decision.</p> <p>Social insurance provided.</p> <p>Please contact below for more information.</p>
9. INQUIRIES	<p>Gunma Symphony Orchestra</p> <p>9-1 Sakae-cho, Takasaki, Gunma 370-0841</p> <p>TEL:027-322-4316 E-mail:office@gunkyo.com</p> <p>HP: https://www.gunkyo.com/</p>