

# UVU HONOR BAND FESTIVAL CHAIR PLACEMENT ETUDE

## Alto Saxophone Year Three

1. Prepare an A $\flat$  major scale, as many octaves as you are able to play. Slur for the ascending scale and use staccato articulation for the descending scale. All at *f*.

2. Prepare the following excerpt:

Andante Giocoso ♩ = 104

The musical score is written in treble clef, 4/4 time, and the key of A major (one sharp). It consists of five staves of music. The first staff begins with a dynamic marking of *f*. The second staff starts with a measure rest and a dynamic marking of *mp*. The third staff features dynamic markings of *f*, *mp*, *f*, *p*, and *ff*. The piece includes various articulations such as slurs, accents, and staccato marks. The tempo is marked 'Andante Giocoso' with a quarter note equal to 104 beats per minute.