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The Strictly Strings Orchestra Series

A Playful Polka

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INSTRUMENTATION

Conductor Score	1
Violin I	8
Violin II	8
Violin III (Viola )	3
Viola	5
Cello	5
String Bass	5
Piano Accompaniment	1

NOTES TO THE CONDUCTOR

A polka is a dance in quick 2/4 or 4/4 meter from Poland as well as other Slavic countries. Quick up and down bowing is used. Accents (>) show where the dancers stamp their feet on the dance floor. For dancing, the music would be loud. For concert performance, changes in dynamics are used. Choose a tempo that is best for your orchestra.



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A Playful Polka

CONDUCTOR SCORE

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Duration - 2:05

Allegro (♩ = 88)

Violins

Viola
(Violin III)

Cello

String Bass

Piano
Accompaniment

Allegro (♩ = 88)

Vlins.

Vla.
(Vln. III)

Cello

Str. Bass

Piano
Accomp.

The musical score is written for a conductor and includes parts for Violins I and II, Viola (Violin III), Cello, String Bass, and Piano Accompaniment. The tempo is marked 'Allegro' with a quarter note equal to 88 beats per minute. The key signature has one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 2/4. The score begins with a forte (f) dynamic. A large red watermark 'Legal Use Requires Purchase' is overlaid diagonally across the page.

I Vlns. II Vlns. Vla. (Vln. III) Cello Str. Bass Piano Accomp.

Musical score for measures 12-17. The score includes parts for Violins I and II, Viola (Violin III), Cello, String Bass, and Piano Accompaniment. The key signature is one sharp (F#). Measures 12-16 are marked with accents (>) and breath marks (V). Measure 17 is marked with a box containing the number 17 and a forte (f) dynamic marking. A large red watermark 'Preview Requires Purchase' is overlaid on the score.

I Vlns. II Vlns. Vla. (Vln. III) Cello Str. Bass Piano Accomp.

Musical score for measures 18-23. The score includes parts for Violins I and II, Viola (Violin III), Cello, String Bass, and Piano Accompaniment. The key signature is one sharp (F#). Measures 18-23 are marked with breath marks (V) and a mezzo-forte (mf) dynamic marking. A large red watermark 'Preview Requires Purchase' is overlaid on the score.

25

Vlns. I

Vlns. II

Vla. (Vln. III)

Cello

Str. Bass

Piano Accomp.

mf

f

f

f

24 25 26 27 28 29

33

Vlns. I

Vlns. II

Vla. (Vln. III)

Cello

Str. Bass

Piano Accomp.

mf

mf

f

f

f

30 31 32 33 34 35

Vlns. I

Vlns. II

Vla. (Vln. III)

Cello

Str. Bass

Piano Accomp.

36 37 38 39 40 41

f *mf*

Vlns. I

Vlns. II

Vla. (Vln. III)

Cello

Str. Bass

Piano Accomp.

42 43 44 45 46 47

f

49

Vlns. I

Vlns. II

Vla. (Vln. III)

Cello

Str. Bass

Piano Accomp.

mf *f*

48 49 50 51 52 53

57

Vlns. I

Vlns. II

Vla. (Vln. III)

Cello

Str. Bass

Piano Accomp.

f

54 55 56 57 58 59

61

Vlns. I

Vlns. II

Vla. (Vln. III)

Cello

Str. Bass

Piano Accomp.

mf *f*

60 61 62 63 64 65

69

Vlns. I

Vlns. II

Vla. (Vln. III)

Cello

Str. Bass

Piano Accomp.

ff

66 67 68 69 70 71

The image shows a musical score for five string instruments and piano accompaniment, covering measures 72 to 76. The instruments are Violins I and II, Viola (Violin III), Cello, and Str. Bass. The piano accompaniment is shown in grand staff notation. The key signature is one sharp (F#). The score includes various musical notations such as stems, beams, and slurs. A large red watermark is overlaid on the score, reading "Preview Only" and "Legal Use Requires Purchase".