Hello Awesome 5th Grade Musicians!

It has been fun seeing a bunch of you on our Zoom meetings, we are now switching to Google Hangout!

5th Band ~ Google Hangout ~ Wednesdays (Apr. 15, 22, 29) from 2:00-2:30

Below is information we need to have a successful meeting on Google Hangouts including set-up and expectations for being on a video chat.

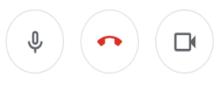
• Expectations for using Google hangouts:

- Use headphones / earbuds if possible to help with background noise
- Check your background
 - it's best to sit with a wall directly behind you
 - be sure your background is appropriate while sharing video
- Take turns to speak
 - During the chat if there is too much background noise I may ask you to mute your mic. When you would like to speak, just raise your hand and I will call on you. Then, you can unmute your mic and speak.

• How to get into Google hangouts:

- At the bottom of this document (and in the parent email) click on the link.
- When it is 2:00, click the link and sign in!
- When you get into the chat, it may ask to access your microphone or camera. Please click allow for both of these.
- After it is loaded, you may click <u>loin Now</u>.

• Important Buttons:



-At the bottom, there are 3 icons. This is the microphone button, the hang up button, and the video button.

-If you would like, you can turn off the camera.



-In the upper right hand corner, there is a button that looks like a waffle iron. If you click on this, you can make the class a grid view so you can see everyone at once!

-The talking bubble is the chat feature. This is a good option if someone else is talking and you don't want to interrupt them! Make sure to keep these appropriate - all participants can see what you type.

Simply click on the link below when it is time, click Join Now, and then follow the direction from above!

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