

WESTVIEW GOLD

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC

2025-2026 SUMMER PERCUSSION SCHEDULE/AUDITION INFORMATION

Percussion Director - **Rudi Massman** - rmassman@powayusd.com

Battery Instructor - **Brady Giard**

All Rehearsals and Clinics held at (or around) Westview High School's Band Room.

Clinics & Auditions:

May 7: 5-8pm w/ Parent Meeting 7-8pm

May 14: 5-8pm

May 28th: 5-8pm

June 4th: 5-8pm

June 5th: 5-8pm

June 6th: 5-8pm (Auditions Timeslots will be assigned)

Summer Schedule:

June 24 & 26: 3-6pm

June 25: 3-8pm (Includes Dinner Break)

July 22 & 24 : 3-6pm

July 23: 3-8pm 3-8pm (Includes Dinner Break)

Percussion Camp:

July 29th 2-9pm (Includes Dinner Break)

August 2nd: 12-6pm** (Includes Dinner Break)

Band Camp:

August 2-9th: 12pm-9pm

Auditions are required for Percussion placement (Both Drumline & Front Ensemble):

Auditions are based on technical ability, musicality, attitude, work ethic, and team cohesiveness. You are highly encouraged to explore both Front Ensemble and Drumline options so instructors have a clear idea of what will be the best fit.

Audition schedule will be posted after Clinics Start in May.

[Audition Material:](#)

MARCHING PERCUSSION REHEARSALS & MATERIALS

Student Supplies:

For the Marching season, we provide each student with rehearsal and show mallets/sticks for the season. If students break sticks or mallets during the Marching season, it is their responsibility to replace that particular pair.

- Students will need the following items:

***Money should NEVER be a reason to not participate in the Westview GOLD Program. The boosters offer a lot of fundraisers and payment plan options. If you have any questions please reach out.*

- Binder with Sheet Protectors for Music (aka Music Binder)*
- Pencils*
- WATER (lots of it...invest in a LARGE Water Bottle)*
- Practice Pad*
- Comfortable clothes and shoes (stuff that you'll be able to move in and in the sun)
- Sunglasses
- Hats
- Sunblock
- Ear plugs (Invest in a decent pair)
- Band Aids/Medical Tape
- **Sticks & Mallets:** (Includes Concert Season)
 - 2-pairs (4) keyboard mallets
 - 1 pair Drumsticks
 - 1 pair Bell/Xylo Mallets
 - 1 pair Timpani mallets
 - Mallet bag
 - 1-2 Black Hand Towel(s)
 - Brushes (Required for Jazz Band)
 - Marching Drumsticks (Required for Battery)
- **Marching Uniform Needs:**
 - Plain black T-Shirts (No Logos or Designs)
 - Black Wrist bands (order extra if you're prone to forgetting things)
 - Black drill masters
 - Black Socks
 - Hair Ties (if you have long hair)
 - Travel Uniform
 - FE: Since you do not wear shakos, Makeup and coordinating hair styles are mandatory.
 - We will discuss it as we get closer to Tournaments.
- **Concert Black:**
 - Black Dress Shirt (Should be at least Elbow Length)
 - Black Dress pants or Skirt (Dresses are also okay)
 - Black Dress Shoes