



Region 27

Middle School Band Agenda

August 9, 2025

M.S. Band Coordinator: John Barton - 713-302-1526 (c)

1. Call to Order

2. UIL Business

- a. Draw for UIL order
 - i. Zone A Non-Varsity (CFISD): March 26-27, 2026, CFISD VPAC
 - ii. Zone A Varsity (CFISD): April 23-24, 2026, CFISD VPAC
 - iii. Zone B (SBISD): April 8, 2026, Landrum MS
 - iv. Zone C (all others – all classifications): March 3, 2026, Waller HS
- b. Judges will be posted on the [UIL Region 27 website](#)

3. Spring 2025 Meeting Minutes

- a. Minutes - [CLICK HERE](#)
- b. Will need to approve in May, 2026

4. Introductions

- a. New directors or new positions in the Region
- b. Head Directors – Fill out the Google Form for contact information for you and your staff.
 - i. Google Form - [CLICK HERE](#)

5. Treasurer Report

- a. Current balance - \$13,558.01
- b. Student Entry Fee or School Fee?
- c. Approve Budget

6. Music Selection Committee Report

- a. Review Audition Music and Scales
- b. Google Folder - [CLICK HERE](#)
- c. Approve audition music and scales

7. Policies and Procedures (Handbook)

- a. All updates from the Spring 2025 meeting have been updated..
- b. Handbook Committee – Linda Mohny, chair
 - i. Meeting date will be emailed out later in the school year.

8. Region Auditions

a. Entry Information

- i. Entry Deadline will be posted on the TMEA entry website (14 days prior to the start of auditions)
- ii. Please double check entries. How you enter a student name is how it will appear in the program. Please don't type everything in all caps.
- iii. Students will not be allowed to audition without the official entry form and payment submitted by the deadline. Send a hard copy of the "Official Entry Form" with your entry fee or PO#. Be sure to complete the finance process on your campus.
- iv. All fees must be paid or show an official district purchase order prior to the start of auditions
- v. The Region Policies and Procedures will be located on the first page of the TMEA entry site
- vi. Directors must be current members of TMEA to enter students

b. Calendar

- i. Phase 1 – Saturday, October 25, 2025, Campbell MS and Smith MS
 1. Judges meeting at 7:30 AM
- ii. Phase 2 – Friday, November 7, 2025, Cy Creek HS
 1. Judges meeting at 5:30 PM

c. Audition Music

- i. Thank you to Mario Prada (Salyards) for putting etudes in Finale
- ii. Audition Music Distribution Day is not earlier than **Wednesday, August 13, 2025**
- iii. Please bring original books of the audition music to the audition. TMEA Policy says we need to have original music on every stand.
- iv. Errata – email John.Barton@cfisd.net
- v. All music and scales will be available in the Google Folder on Monday, August 11, 2025

d. Other Important Information

- i. All directors from each school are to be available for all phases of each audition, on all audition days, or find a qualified replacement at his or her own expense. *The TMEA Active Director/Member Sponsor must be in attendance and be available to serve as an audition staff member for any and all activities in which their students are involved. Failure to adhere to this policy subjects the Active Member Sponsor to the **TMEA Penalties for Rules and Policies Infractions** process.* Please contact the Judging Coordinator of any replacements.
- ii. Students should wear their school shirt for auditions
- iii. Please pre-screen students and make sure they are prepared for the audition.

9. Region Clinic/Concert

- a. Friday, November 14, 2025, 6:00 – 8:30 PM
 - i. Honors Band & Symphonic Band – Cy Woods HS
 - ii. Concert Winds & Concert Band – CFISD VPAC
- b. Saturday, November 15, 2025, 9:00 AM Start time
 - i. Symphonic Winds & Symphonic Band – Cy Woods HS
 - ii. Concert Winds & Concert Band – CFISD VPAC
- c. Be present at the rehearsals. This is a safety and legal issue. TMEA does issue reprimands when this expectation is not met. Don't leave the site until all your students have departed
- d. It really helps to have directors with pencils hovering around during rehearsals (especially Friday and Saturday morning). Plus, you get to observe some awesome colleagues!
- e. Band Clinicians, Band Organizers and Percussion Organizers

Band	Clinician	Band Organizer	Percussion Organizer
Honors Band	Robert Herrings	Mary Santarelli	Jonathan Andino
Symphonic Band	Britni Hummell	Mark Donahue	Lisa Annikienko
Concert Winds	Chris Gonzales	Hayden Anderson	Jessie Stoner
Concert Band	Vincent Morris	Emily Puetz	Gracie Lopez

10. Region Orchestra

- a. Orchestra Liaison – Sam Pugh
Orchestra Percussion Organizer – Sean Picot
- b. Clinic/Concert is Friday, December 5, and Saturday, December 6.
 - i. Location – Cy Springs HS
 - ii. Conductor - Angela Peugnet, Fort Settlement MS
- c. Schools that have students placed in the Region Orchestra are required to have one band director who is present at the Friday night region clinic and available to teach a wind or percussion sectional, or the campus will forfeit their students' placement in the Orchestra. Students must be supervised by a district/campus representative on Saturday.

11. Region 27 Band Website

- a. <https://www.tmearegion27band.com>

12. Texas Bandmasters Outreach Professional Development

- a. Building Leadership in the Middle School Level
- b. Clinicians – Bennett Parsons and Kelby Koch
- c. Date – Saturday, August 30, 2025
- d. Time – 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM, Lunch 11:45 – 1:15
- e. Location – Sam Houston State University, The Woodlands Center
- f. Cost - \$15.00 -

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- g. 6 hours of CPE

13. New Business?

Region 27 MS Band Officers/Jobs

Region 27 President		
Band Division Chairman	Suzanne Scott, Jersey Village HS	Suzanne.scott@cfisd.net
Region Secretary	Lauren Kaminski, Aragon MS	lauren.kaminski@cfisd.net
Middle School Band Coordinator	John Barton, Spillane MS	John.barton@cfisd.net
Middle School Band Treasurer	Megan Rees, Aragon MS	Megan.rees@cfisd.net
Middle School Band Secretary	Hannah Hensdill, Goodson MS	hannah.hensdill@cfisd.net
MS Band Audition Music Chairman	Mark Donahue, Rowe MS	Mark.Donahue@cfisd.net
Orchestra Liaison & Wind Organizer	Sam Pugh, Watkins MS	Samuel.pugh@cfisd.net
Orchestra Percussion Organizer	Sean Picot, Sprague MS	sean.picotpriewe@cfisd.net
Phase 1 Auditions Smith MS & Campbell MS	Zone A: Stephen Van Hooser, Smith MS, Stephen.vanhooser@cfisd.net	Zone B: Ernest Bottlinger, Campbell MS, ernesto.bottlinger@cfisd.net
Phase 2/Finals Auditions Cypress Creek HS	Bleyl MS Band Staff	zachary.muddiman@cfisd.net
Percussion Audition Organizer	Zach Muddiman , Bleyl MS David.Garcia , Sprague MS	zachary.muddiman@cfisd.net David.garcia@cfisd.net
Zone A - Audition Judges Chairman	Lauren Kaminski , Aragon MS	Lauren.kaminski@cfisd.net
Zone B - Audition Judges Chairman	Daniel Hernandez , Goodson MS	Daniel.Hernandez@cfisd.net
Judges' Packets	Lisa Anikienko , Truitt MS	Lisa.anikienko@cfisd.net
Clinic/Concert Site Host Cy Woods HS CFISD VPAC	MS Site Host: Goodson MS and Spillane MS	Alex Hinojosa, Daniel Hernandez, Hannah Hensdill, Cole Smith, Rebecca Bailey
Honors Band Organizers Robert Herrings, Clinician	Organizer: Mary Santarelli, Labay MS	Percussion Organizer: Jonathan Andino, Labay MS
Symphonic Band Organizers Britni Hummel, Clinician	Organizer: Mark Donahue, Rowe MS	Percussion Organizer: Lisa Anikienko, Truitt MS
Concert Winds Organizer Chris Gonzales, Clinician	Organizer: Hayden Anderson, Cook MS	Percussion Organizer: Jessie Stoner, Campbell MS
Concert Band Organizer Vincent Morris, Clinician	Organizer: Emily Puetz, Hopper MS	Percussion Organizer: Gracie Lopez, Watkins MS
Programs	Megan Rees, Aragon MS	Megan.rees@cfisd.net

Zone Assignments 2025-2026

updated 8/17/2024

Zone A (Smith for Phase 1)	Zone B (Campbell for Phase 1)
Anthony	Arnold
Aragon	Bleyl
Brenham	Campbell
Hopper	Cook
Kahla	Cornerstone Academy
Labay	Dean
Rowe	Goodson
Salyards	Hamilton
Schultz	Landrum
Smith	Memorial
Sprague	Northbrook
Thornton	Spillane
Waller	Spring Branch
Watkins	Spring Forest
	Spring Oaks
	Spring Woods
	Truitt

Region 27 MS Band Events 2025-2026

Music Distribution Date	August 13, 2025
Entry Deadline	Friday, October 11, 2025 – 14 days before the deadline Entry Fee - \$15.00 per student
Region Auditions	Phase 1: Saturday, October 25, 2025 <u>Zone A - Smith MS, Zone B - Campbell MS</u> Phase 1: Flute, Oboe, Bassoon, Trumpet, Trombone Judges' Meeting - 7:30 AM, Audition 8:00 AM Phase 1: Clarinet, Alto Saxophone, French Horn, Euphonium, Tuba, Percussion Judges' Meeting - 10:30 AM, Audition 11:00 AM ***Phasing of instruments may be altered after the entry deadline by the Region Coordinator*** Phase II & Single Phase: Friday, November 7, 2025 <u>Cypress Creek HS</u> <i>Single Phase: Bass Clarinet, Tenor Saxophone, Baritone Saxophone</i> Phase II: Flute, Oboe, Bassoon, Clarinet, Alto Saxophone, Trumpet, French Horn, Trombone, Euphonium Tuba, Percussion Judges' Mtg. 5:30 PM, Audition 6:00 PM
Region Band Clinic/Concert	Cy Woods HS & CFISD VPAC Friday, November 14, 6:00 – 8:30 PM Saturday, November 15, 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM Concerts at 3:00, 3:45, 4:30, 5:15 PM
Region Orchestra Clinic/Concert	Cy Springs High School Friday, December 5, 6:00 – 9:00 PM Saturday, December 6, 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM Concert @ 4:00 pm