

2026-2027 Band Audition Sheet

Name _____

Grade 2026-2027 _____ Instrument _____

Circle the ensemble you are auditioning for (you may circle more than one)

Wind Ensemble

Symphonic Band

I would like to be considered for the All-District band/jazz auditions. Yes No

Other ensembles planning on participating in:

_____ Jazz Band

_____ Pep Band

I might consider participating in

_____ Woodwind Choir

_____ Brass Choir

_____ Percussion ensemble (different from the class)

Instrument you will play in Red and White Brigade _____

I am participating in another school fall activity/sport (circle all that apply)

Football

Soccer

Dance Team

Cheerleading

Softball

Cross country

Tennis

Volleyball

Play

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Name _____

Number _____

Overall Placement _____/_____

WE audition _____

Student should audition for All-District Band? Yes No

2026-2027 BAND PLACEMENT INFORMATION

Here are the rules and regulations concerning high school band placement for the 2026-2027 school year. **EVERYONE** that is planning on being in band next year **MUST** play the selected pieces and upload them by the assigned day.

Please fill out the placement sheet and return to Mrs. Gregory by Friday April 10th; this is for record keeping. Students will be able to stay after school any day until 3:30 (if later, speak with Mrs. Gregory), come before school, or use advisory time to record. 8th grade students are welcome to come to the high school to record if needed. Yes, students may record at home also. When you are ready to record, make sure your camera is on and we can see you and your fingers clearly. Percussionists should make sure we can see the instrument clearly as well. Please use your chromebook to record and not your phone as the phone presents several issues when uploading.

Wind players will submit 4 recordings: 1) major scales, 2) chromatic scale, 3) etude #1, and 4) etude #2.

Percussionists will submit 3 recordings: 1) snare etude, 2) mallet etude, 3) multiple percussion etude.

Once you are happy with your recording, you will upload them into Google Classroom in the folder for your instrument. When uploading them please use this format: first letter of first name, last name and then what is on the recording. (ex: EGregoryscales). **All videos must be uploaded by 3:30 pm on Friday April 10th, there are no exceptions.** **NO** results will be posted until Friday April 17th.

Helpful tips:

Play the scales at a tempo that you can keep steady. Fast does not always mean correct.

Play the etudes using correct notes and rhythms. Slow and steady is better than fast and wrong. Go tempos that show off your playing ability. There is no correct speed, so choose wisely.

If you make a mistake (you will) just keep going.

If you have any questions, you need to contact Mrs. Gregory.