



District Honor Band Forms

Hello 7th and 8th Grade Band Parents,

It is around this time every year that we begin talking about District Honor Band and All-State Honor Band auditions. We have such a talented group this year and I am excited to begin working on this music.

Each school in Georgia is zoned to a specific district. District Honor Band participation and All-State Band Participation is looked at very highly by colleges and employers because of the extra time and the personal responsibility it takes to successfully audition and make one of these prestigious bands. With the current pandemic, the district is still finalizing the details for the district honor band event. Tentatively, it is still scheduled for February 11th-13th.

Students wishing to audition for the District Honor Band must pay a fee of \$5 to participate. This is recommended for 7th graders or first time auditioners.

Students wishing to participate on a higher level can pay an additional \$25 (\$30 total) in order to be considered for the All-State audition, if their District audition score is high enough. This is recommended for 8th grade students who either auditioned or made the District Band last year.

Timeline and Calendar:

November 13th – All forms and Fees are due. **\$5 for DHB** or \$30 for DHB and All-State Fees.

December 3rd and December 4th - Mock audition for Ms. Menendez in class or after school. I will notify the students if I feel that the student is not ready this year to submit an audition to the district.

January 1st - video submission due to Ms. Menendez

February 11th- 14th: District Honor Band event.

District Honor Band Participation Form

Due by November 13th

Parents: students will pass off their audition for Ms. Menendez. If a perfect scale portion is not played then the student will not move on to the actual audition December 5th. This screening process is asked by the panels of the auditions. Students who do not perform their scales nearly perfect at the audition will not gain a spot due to the competitiveness of this honor band. At this time no refund will be available.

Student Name: _____ Grade: _____

Instrument: _____

Please check one or both

District Band Fee (\$5) _____ All-State Fee (\$25) _____

Total: _____

Turn in this page and include a check (to CJHS Band), cash or pay online. Keep the first page for your records and for the calendar.