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**MNMS Band Calendar**

**2019-2020**

**Date Event Time Place For Whom**

Friday, 9/27 8th Grade Night at MHS Game 5:00 - 10:30 p.m. MHS Bronco Stadium All 8th Graders

Friday, 10/4 Reward Event for BAP 5:00 - 10:30 p.m. Frontier City Qualifying students

Tuesday, 10/15 Football Game Performance 5:00 - 9:00 p.m. MHS Bronco Stadium All MNMS Band Students

Monday, 11/4 MS Winter Guard Parent Meeting 7:00 - 8:00 p.m. MHS Band Room All who wish to participate

Tuesday, 11/5 MS Winter Guard Clinic 4:30 - 6:30 p.m. MHS Band Facility All who wish to participate

Thursday, 11/7 MS Winter Guard Clinic 4:30 - 6:30 p.m. MHS Band Facility All who wish to participate

Saturday, 11/9 CODA Honor Band Try-outs 8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Edmond Santa Fe HS All who wish to audition

Monday, 11/11 Veteran’s Day Assembly During the school day MNMS Gymnamsium Wind Ensemble students

Tuesday, 12/10 MNMS Bands Winter Concert 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. MHS Auditorium All Band Students

Friday 12/20 MNMS Winter Assembly 1:00-3:35 MNMS Gymnasium Symphonic Band students

Friday, 1/10 CODA Honor Band Clinic All Day OU Qualifying students

Saturday, 1/11 CODA Clinic and Concert All Day OU Qualifying students

Tuesday, 2/25 MNMS OSSAA Preview Concert 6:00 - 7:30 p.m. MHS Auditorium All MNMS Band Students

Tuesday, 3/10 OSSAA District Contest All Day MHS Auditorium All MNMS Band Students

Saturday, 4/4 Middle School Solo & Ensemble 8:00 a.m. - Noon MHS Commons All MNMS Band Students

Saturday, 4/25 MPS DAY OF BANDS!!! TBA MHS Event Center All MNMS Band Students

Friday, 5/1 BAND TRIP TO SIX FLAGS \*\*\* 5:00 a.m. - Midnight Texas Optional but encouraged

Friday, 5/8 MPS Jazz Ensembles Concert 6:00 - 8:30 p.m. MHS Auditorium Jazz Ensemble Members

\*\*\* Pending School Board approval

These are the dates that have been confirmed as of the beginning of the school year; these dates may have to be moved due to unforeseen circumstances, so please keep yourselves apprised by frequently checking the Mustang Bands website and Mustang Bands app.

If the calendar says “All Band Students,” it means that it will be a required event that will factor into your grade. For contests and concerts, we will wear CONCERT BLACK, which consists of (for both girls and boys) black slacks, a black dress shirt, black shoes and socks. You will receive a band T-shirt that will be required with jeans or shorts for Frontier City, assemblies, and other events. Our first Concert Black event is on December 10, so please make sure that the proper attire has been acquired before that day.

In order to be excused from a REQUIRED event, you must request to be excused via a note or email from your parent or legal guardian. That note must include the reason for requesting an absence. You will be immediately notified if your request is approved. Your request must be received at least ten days before the scheduled event. Emergency absences are excused on a case-by-case basis.

Unexcused absences from performances will result in the loss of one letter grade from band. Performances are a vital part of a student’s musical experience, and that is reflected in the grading policy.