Related Occupations

Music Performance

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Music Director/Conductor

Acoustician

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SYMPHONIC BAND A/B

Instrumental techniques are refined and an understanding of music more suitable to the concert stage is developed through rehearsal and performance of selected literature. This band participates in concert band festivals for adjudication and rating and presents concerts on campus, which are open to the public.

BEGINNING JAZZ BAND A/B

This course is designed to develop the specific skills needed to play the styles of music that fall under the general category of jazz. The stylistic nuances of jazz are explored and the skills and knowledge applicable to the art of improvisation are introduced.

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC Required Classes

- ◆ 3 years of Symphonic Band/Wind Ensemble/Jazz Band/Marching Band
- AP Music Theory A/B or Breezin' Thru Theory Proficiency
- 2 years of participation in the Hart District Solo & Ensemble Festival
- Perform a Senior Recital



MARCHING BAND A

Marching band is a large musical ensemble for wind and percussion instrumentalists. Instrumental playing techniques and marching techniques are developed and applied primarily to a competitive field show which is presented throughout the fall semester at home football games and in Saturday competition tournaments with bands from other schools. PE credit is awarded