

WMS 6th Grade Honor Band Audition Materials

Flute, Clarinet, Trumpet, Trombone:

Exercise: #59w/cd, 90, & 92w/cd (handout)

Concert Bb scale (handout)

Teacher Recommendation form from 2 Teachers (see form)

For all Percussion Players:

Exercise #49 on SNARE DRUM (Handout w/cd)

Exercise #49 on BASS DRUM (Handout w/cd)

Exercise #59 on Mallets (first line only, no cd)

Stroke Dexterity - Lines 14 & 15 on Snare Drum

Twice through each line, hold a steady tempo

Concert Bb scale on MALLETS (handout)

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*We encourage each student to audition for Honor Band, it is a fun experience!!

*Auditions take place during your band class/online. **You have multiple chances to pass-off each piece.** As long as all audition materials have been passed-off by Jan. 6 you can be in Honor Band.

Honor Band Schedule:

Jan. 8	WMS Band room	3-4:30 Rehearsal
Jan. 16	WMS Band room	3-4:30 Rehearsal
Jan. 22	WMS Band room	3-4:30 Rehearsal
Jan. 29	WMS Band room	3-4:30 Rehearsal
Feb. 5	WMS Band room	3-4:30 Rehearsal
Feb. 6	Westside elementary tour	All Day

*Students can stay after school in the band room on rehearsal days. Parents are responsible for transportation home @ 4:30 on rehearsal days.

*TCAPS bus transportation will be provided for the Honor Band Tour.

*Questions? Please contact Mr. Downer 231.933.8346 or downerdo@tcaps.net