



Full Grade Level Music - Enrollment Form

Dear Parents and Students: Music is a part of the standard curriculum for all upper grade level students at your school. Studies have linked instrument playing with improved math and reading skills. Playing an instrument promotes self-confidence, creativity, responsibility and self-discipline. It also improves motor skills and hand-eye coordination. Being part of a musical group promotes leadership, teamwork and can help your child be accepted into college. Most of all, music is a core part of a complete education that teaches the whole child. Oh, and we have fun!

Your child has the choice between Band, Orchestra, or Choir/recorder as follows:

Table with 3 columns: Band (Mr. Nadeau, mnadeau@sandi.net, Flute, Clarinet, Trumpet, Saxophone, Trombone, Baritone), Orchestra (Ms. Stram, sstram@sandi.net, Violin, Viola, Cello), Choir (Mr. Tipton, htipton@sandi.net, Vocal & Recorder)

Commitment

We ask that parents discuss the choices available with students as once your child makes the commitment they will be expected to remain in that class. Students are expected to attend each rehearsal with instruments and supplies and all evening performances with their instrument, music book and supplies. Your child will be making a commitment to complete one full year of music, including consistent at home practice, and complete any homework assignments as with any other core curriculum class. We do expect most students will remain on the same instrument for two years. (4th and 5th grades)

Instrument -Please do not acquire an instrument until the teacher confirms the student choice!

After the enrollment forms have been collected, we will meet with students to discuss instrument choice and class schedule. We're asking students to have a first and second instrument choice. Although students usually get their first choice we often need to balance class size and instrumentation. If you have questions about instruments and supplies at this point please e-mail the appropriate teacher. More information will be distributed once classes are formed.

All forms are due the class meeting the week of September 11th
(Please Print Clearly, detach bottom and then Return to Classroom Teacher)

Student's Name: First _____ Last _____
Classroom teacher _____ Room _____ Grade _____
Parent's Name: First _____ Last _____
Phone #: Day _____ Evening _____
Parent e-mail _____

Please circle and number both a first and second choice of instrument/group.
2nd year students should simply indicate the group they were in last year.

BAND: ___ Flute ___ Clarinet ___ Alto Sax ___ Trumpet ___ Trombone ___ Baritone
ORCHESTRA: ___ Violin ___ Viola ___ Cello CHOIR/Recorder: ___ Voice/recorder

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Parent Signature _____ Date _____