

# **HONOR WIND BAND**

**WEDNESDAYS 2:30-4**                      **GRADES 7-9**  
**AUDITION INFORMATION**

Honor Wind Band is a one-on-a-part concert band that meets after school. Entrance into this ensemble is fairly competitive, and at-home practice is mandatory. We will not practice notes and rhythms in our rehearsals - those should be learned at home. We will practice articulations, style, and ensemble techniques. This group is for students with strong music reading skills and for students who are ready to put in effort at home. Auditions are for 7th, 8th and 9th graders.

**Available Audition Times: Please sign up for a time on the OMS Band Room Door.**

Tuesday October 30 3:00-3:30

Wednesday Oct 31 2:30-3:15

Thursday Nov 1 3:30-4:00

\*\*9th Graders may email Mrs. Fiske with times they are available, and she will sign you up on the band room door.

Your audition music will be:

- Your Concert Bb Major Scale (percussionists, too!)
- An additional scale of your choosing (percussionists, too!)
- One-octave chromatic scale
- Perform about 16 measures of a band song from this year or last year.
- Sight-read a short excerpt provided in the audition by Mrs. Fiske

Auditions are meant to be “stress-free.” Do the best you can!

Consistent attendance is essential to the success of the ensemble. Make your best effort to attend every rehearsal! If an emergency comes up and you must miss rehearsal, you must let your director know as soon as is reasonable. You are likely going to be the only person playing your part, so we can't rehearse effectively without you!

**REHEARSALS BEGIN Wednesday November 7, from 2:30-4pm.** If you need to take the late bus, you will be dismissed at 3:25, but please make every effort to stay until 4. Ask friends in the group for a ride home! **There is no user fee for Honor Wind Band.**

**Performances:**

Wednesday January 16th- 7th and 8th grade Band Concert - SHS @ 7:30 - Report @ 6:45

Thursday May 9th - 8th Grade Concert - SHS @ 7:30 - Report @ 6:45

**Other potential events TBD!**

Questions? Please email Mrs. Fiske at [a\\_dorgan@stoughtonschools.org](mailto:a_dorgan@stoughtonschools.org)

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**Tuesday OCT 30**

	<b>name</b>	<b>instrument</b>
<b>3:00</b>		
<b>3:05</b>		
<b>3:10</b>		
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<b>3:20</b>		
<b>3:25</b>		
<b>3:30</b>		

# **HONOR WIND BAND AUDITION SIGN-UPS**

**Wednesday OCT 31  
(HALLOWEEN)**

	<b>name</b>	<b>instrument</b>
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**THURSDAY NOV 1**

	<b>name</b>	<b>instrument</b>
<b>3:30</b>		
<b>3:35</b>		
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<b>4:00</b>		