

WHS Marching Band Commitment Contract

Marching Band is an extra-curricular activity. As such, all marching band rehearsals and performance take place in addition to regular school activities. All marching band members and parents must commit to band members being at rehearsals and performances on time and fully prepared. Unlike a sports team, there is no way to substitute for a band member who does not attend a performance or who has missed instruction from a rehearsal.

Student Commitment:

Schedule and Attendance – I have received the schedule in the Marching Band Handbook and I make a commitment to attend all rehearsals and performances. I have read the attendance policy in the Marching Band Handbook and agree to the terms listed in that policy.

Preparation – I make a commitment to come to all rehearsals fully prepared with my instrument/equipment in good working order and all of the necessary items listed in the Marching Band Handbook.

_____ Student Name _____ Student Signature _____ Date

Parent Commitment:

Fees – I understand and agree to pay the required fees (\$400 for all members plus additional \$100 for rookies and \$350 for the Virginia trip) in order for my child to participate in the WHS Marching Band. This amount will be paid in accordance with the fee due dates listed in the Marching Band Handbook. I understand that failure to pay these fees by the due dates may result in my child's inability to participate.

Transportation – I agree to provide transportation for my student to attend all rehearsals and performances on time and to pick-up my student from all rehearsals and performances at the ending times listed in the Marching Band Handbook.

Service – I agree to assist the WHS Marching Band and the Instrumental Music Boosters to the best of my ability and as my schedule will allow. I will make an effort to assist the IMB in the following areas (please check at least one and ideally three!):

Chaperone an event Volunteer at an event Be on pit crew
 Prop crew Donate food/water/supplies Uniform help

Parent Contract – I support the commitment that my son or daughter has made to the Westminster Marching Band. I understand that this includes the responsibilities on my part listed above. I will also take an active part in the guidance of my son or daughter's time management to guarantee that this commitment is fulfilled.

_____ Parent Name _____ Parent Signature _____ Date