



**2024-2025
Warner Robins HS
Marching Band
Medical Form**

Instrument _____

STUDENT INFORMATION

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ Sex: _____ 2024/2025 Grade: _____
 Name Called: _____ Birth date: _____ Age: _____ Lunch ID # _____
 Home Address: _____ Zip: _____
 Home Phone: _____ Student Cell # _____ Student Email: _____

FAMILY INFORMATION (In case of emergency, please check whom to contact first)

Mother/guardian's name: _____ Employer: _____
 Home Address (if different): _____
 Home #: _____ Work #: _____ Cell #: _____
 Email: _____

Father/guardian's name: _____ Employer: _____
 Home Address (if different): _____
 Home #: _____ Work #: _____ Cell #: _____
 Email: _____

MEDICAL INFORMATION (Please DO NOT list food preferences on this form)

Allergies: _____
 History of: (Check all that apply to your student) Asthma Cardiac Problems Diabetes Emotional or Physical challenges Seizures
 ** Other Medical Issues** Explanation: _____

Medication (include dosage & frequency): _____

Purpose and/or special circumstances regarding medications: _____

EMERGENCY INFORMATION

Student Physician Name: _____ Phone #: _____
 Insurance Company: _____ Policy Number: _____
 If mother/father cannot be reached, call:
 Name: _____ Relationship: _____
 Home #: _____ Work #: _____ Cell #: _____

I GIVE MY PERMISSION TO THE DESIGNATED ADULT IN CHARGE OF FIRST AID TO ADMINISTER THE FOLLOWING TO MY STUDENT AS NEEDED: Simple First Aid Tylenol Advil Benadryl Antacids

I, _____, HEREBY GIVE THE WRHS BAND DIRECTOR AND HIS/HER DESIGNEE PERMISSION TO SECURE MEDICAL ASSISTANCE FOR MY STUDENT IN THE EVENT OF AN EMERGENCY.

THE WARNER ROBINS HIGH SCHOOL BAND DIRECTORS CAN ONLY RELEASE STUDENTS TO THEIR LEGAL GUARDIANS.

PARENT SIGNATURE: _____ **Date:** _____

POLICIES

TRANSPORTATION: It is my understanding the WRHS Band will be participating in a season of band activities, which will/may be away from the WRHS campus proper during the school year. I hereby give permission for my child to participate in these activities and to travel by means provided by the school.

PROMPT DEPARTURE from CAMPUS: I understand that all students MUST depart the campus within 30 minutes after events have reached their conclusion and agree to abide by this policy. This includes all events after the regular school day including sports events and practices.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE IS THE NORM!!! **Anything other than this will be construed as a lack of interest on the part of the student and may result in potential dismissal.** The student assumes the responsibility for any unexcused absences. Please Do Not Ask to be excused for work, studying for exams by other departments, or other extracurricular activities. Our demands on your time will be announced far enough in advance that students will make necessary arrangements to be at ALL rehearsals and functions.
(Work is NEVER an excuse.)

QUITTERS FEE: There will be a \$200 QUITTERS FEE if student withdraws from the band program after the first day of band camp. Student will also be assessed this fee if evicted from the program due to disciplinary or nonconformance to the below listed rules. Student understands that nonpayment of the Quitters Fee will result in the WRHS office placing a HOLD on the distribution of student's report cards and transcripts until fee is paid in full. This fee is in ADDITION to all other fees incurred.

BAND RULES AND CONTRACT

These rules have been designed for the safety and enjoyment of all band members. The following rules are in addition to all rules as established by the Houston County Board of Education and found in the WRHS Student Handbook and Band Handbook.

1. NO DRUGS, ALCOHOL, or TOBACCO of any type will be permitted. This is a cardinal offense and will result in the maximum penalties as dictated by Board policy and Georgia State law.
2. **DO NOT BE LATE!** To be on time is to be late. To be early is to be on time. We are on a very tight schedule. Your punctuality is **mandatory.** Tardy individuals will be dealt with accordingly.
3. Students are never to wander into prohibited areas.
4. This is going to be a long season. You are expected to treat everyone like you want to be treated; with kindness, patience, tolerance, and RESPECT! If you can't say anything nice, don't say anything at all.
5. NO PUBLIC DISPLAYS OF AFFECTION (PDA). Band is not "The Dating Game" and a school function is not the correct time or place for such actions.
6. NO DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY will be tolerated. This includes the facilities, our equipment or another person's property. Students will be held directly responsible for paying for ALL repairs.
7. Students agree to participate in the Warner Robins High School Marching Band program and understand that **he/she is responsible for attending ALL rehearsals and performances.**
8. The student and parent have read all pages of the Band Information Guide and Policies. He/She understands and will abide by its contents in total!
9. The student and **parents** understand they **are financially responsible** for covering membership fees that are assessed. These fees are due and payable no later than the dates documented in the schedule provided.
10. Student will participate in fundraising activities in order to defray costs. If fundraising does not cover these costs, student or parent will personally be responsible to make up all shortages unless approved for Band Sponsorship. Band Sponsorship information is available from Treasurer.
11. Student and parents understand that **marching band is a physical outdoor activity.** He/She will be prepared by the start of band camp to be in good physical condition. He/She also understands that is his/her responsibility to provide own water, sunscreen and to dress appropriately for the weather conditions.
12. **Student understands and agrees to abide by the behavioral expectations of the group.** He/She will represent the band program, WRHS, the city of Warner Robins and family in a manner consistent with the highest standards of pride, dignity and class that have become the benchmarks of the WRHS Band program.
13. NO WHINING!!! NO CURSING or FOUL LANGUAGE WILL BE TOLERATED.
14. The student understands that he/she is responsible and will be held accountable for any posts or comments made on ANY social media outlet or through text messages. He/she is may be removed from the marching band and/or turned into school administration for review.
15. It is understood there will be a **\$200 QUITTERS FEE** if he/she withdraws from the band program after the first day of band camp. **Student will also be assessed this fee if evicted from the program due to disciplinary or nonconformance to the above listed rules.** Student and parents understand that nonpayment of the Quitters fee will result in the WRHS office placing a HOLD on the distribution of student's report cards and transcripts until fee is paid in full.

We, the student and parent, have read the above policies and rules and agree to abide by them.

STUDENT SIGNATURE: _____ **Date:** _____

PARENT SIGNATURE: _____ **Date:** _____

WRHS DMB Attendance REQUIREMENTS

PERFECT ATTENDANCE IS THE NORM!!! Anything other than this will be construed as a lack of interest on the part of the student and may result in potential dismissal. The student assumes the responsibility for any unexcused absences. Please Do Not Ask to be excused for work, studying for exams by other departments, or other extracurricular activities. Our demands on your time will be announced far enough in advance that students will make necessary arrangements to be at ALL rehearsals and functions. **(Work is NEVER an excuse.)**

Due to the nature of our activity, **EVERY student is REQUIRED to attend EVERY rehearsal and performance.** The students to the left and right of each member are dependent upon this attendance policy. Performance and privilege restrictions may be applied to students who are tardy or absent from a rehearsal or performance. Performance restrictions may also be applied to students who have not fulfilled their **financial obligations** to the band. **Missing a performance is grounds for dismissal from the band.**

- If the school will excuse it, so will the band. (PRIOR approval must be obtained.)
- If a student is out, excused (2x) or unexcused (1x), for practices, he/she may not perform at the following half-time.
- **ALL students MUST** be in attendance at the last practice (Thursday or Friday) before a performance. Possible changes to performance procedures may take place and the band needs EVERYONE on the field!
- **Students absent from the last practice before a performance WILL NOT be allowed to march – REGARDLESS of the status of the excuse (EXCUSED or UNEXCUSED.)**

TARDIES TO MARCHING BAND

Students will run laps based on the time missed (1 lap for every 10 minutes late.)

Please note: this make up time is done to earn back the chance to perform with the group.

THIRD QUARTER

Third Quarter Break is a **privilege and not a right.**

During marching season, students will sit during third quarter of football games for the following reasons:

- Importance of the football game
- Failure to Pass-off Music, work or drill by the allotted deadline
- One or more Unexcused Rehearsal Absence or Tardy per week
- Any Infraction of Disrespect

Make-Up Practice Time

As of October 1, 2021, any student who misses any portion of practice (Regardless of Excused or unexcused status) must make up all time missed in order to be able to perform with the group. This may take place after practice in a fundamental blocks with the Drum Major or Field Captain. (This fundamental block will be limited to 30 minutes after practice.) Students may also make up some of the time missed (up to ½) before school (7:20am – 7:55am) with focused individual music practice.

Please remember: Unexcused absences may result in dismissal from the band. Work, homework, other activities and other classes are NOT EXCUSED! Your schedule was given out far enough in advance for you to manage your time and uphold your responsibilities to your band and your fellow marching members.

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We, the student and parent, have read the above Attendance policies and agree to abide by them.

STUDENT SIGNATURE: _____ **Date:** _____

PARENT SIGNATURE: _____ **Date:** _____

IMAGE CONSENT:

(Please check one)

_____ I give permission for my child's image to be used in publication materials and to have his/her image presented in media promoting the Warner Robins High School Band. This image/information will be used to advocate for music education, highlight the activities and accomplishments of the student and publicize and promote the Warner Robins High School Band. Permission is given for the following: student's image/information to be used in publications, student's image/information to be presented on television and/or student's image/information to be used on an Internet web site.

_____ Please do not use my child's image in any form of media.

WRHS BAND POLICIES AND RULES
FINANCIAL POLICIES WRITTEN ACCEPTANCE

I understand the financial commitment to be a member of the band and the financial policies of the band.
 I understand that by fulfilling the financial commitments, I am assisting the band in making great music.
 I understand that by not fulfilling the financial commitments, I am subject to the penalties of the financial policies.
 The full commitment and full policies can be found in the WRHS Band Financial Policies document.
 I understand the Volunteer Time Agreement to be a member of a band. Such agreement can be found in the Marching Band Information documents.

Financial Commitment

<u>All Band Members – Musicians</u> (Marching & Non-Marching)	<u>Marching Band Members – Musicians, Managers, & Color Guard</u>
Concert Attire Fee Equipment Rental Fee Classroom Activity Fee	Student Activity Fee Equipment Rental Fee Uniform Rental and Cleaning Fee Accessory Fee

Financial Policies

All fees must be paid by the outlined due dates.

Marching Band – Unpaid Fees

- Students with unpaid fees by due dates may not receive uniforms and / or accessories; without such they may not be allowed to march at games.
- Any student withdrawing from the Marching Band after the second day of band camp; regardless of reason including behavioral dismissal, will be liable for
 - Student Activity Fee – paid and scheduled to pay
 - Equipment Rental Fee – paid and scheduled to pay
 - Uniform Rental and Cleaning Fee – paid and scheduled to pay
 - Accessory Fee – paid and scheduled to pay
 - **Quitters fee: the student will also be charged a \$200 Quitter’s Fee**
- Accessories paid for can be kept by the student; accessories not paid for must be returned. Lack of returning such will be considered an unpaid fee.

An exception to the Quitters Fee would be withdrawal from WRHS to attend another school. In this case, your request for refund and exception must be made in writing to the Band Booster Executive Committee within 30 days of withdrawal.
 If student has to quit Marching Band for medical reason; they are not responsible for Quitters Fee.

All Bands – Unpaid Fees

- WRHS policy mandates that **no student with unpaid fees may purchase Varsity Jackets / Letters, prom tickets or yearbooks, nor will the student receive report cards or be allowed to graduate. Additionally, students not meeting their financial obligations will not be allowed to opt out of finals; nor allowed to achieve Varsity Letter status.**

Volunteer Time Agreement

Marching Band (musicians, managers, color guard) **PARENTS are expected to volunteer twice during the football season games as well as a minimum of 1 shift at the Heart of Georgia Marching Band contest. Failure to volunteer will be considered an unpaid fee (\$100 per incident missed. This will be charged after the last regular season game.)** Alternative arrangements may be made by contacting the Band Booster President No Later than September 1st.
 Marching students and at least 1 family member are required to work during the Heart of Georgia Marching Band Competition.

Signature of Understanding

I have read and understand the above. Failures to comply with such will result in the actions listed.

Student _____ Parent _____ Date _____

Warner Robins High School *DEMON* Marching Band
2024 WRHS DMB Member Contract

All WRHS DMB members and a parent must sign and return this contract before they can be accepted into the program.

I understand that as a member of the Warner Robins High School *DEMON* Marching Band, I am held accountable for my actions and to a higher standard than the average student. I understand that my actions are not only a reflection of myself but are a reflection on the entire Warner Robins High School Band Program.

I understand the commitment that is involved with marching band. As a member, I will commit myself to attending ALL rehearsals, performances, and competitions throughout the season.

Marching Band is an outdoor activity in the heat and I understand that I must provide my own water for band camp and after school practices. I **must** have a **Camel-Back** AND a **RED & WHITE cooler**.

I understand that there is a cost associated with marching band and will make my payments on time and in full. I understand that by committing to the band program, supplies are often purchased for me before I pay and that I must pay for these items even if I decide to quit after committing. I understand that all fees must be paid in full and there cannot be any refunds.

I understand that I will be held accountable for any comments or posts made on ANY social media sites, apps, or through text messaging. Even though comments may only be made “online,” I am still responsible for my actions and could possibly be removed from the marching band and/or turned into the school administration for review.

Student Signature

Date: ____/____/____

Parent Signature

Date: ____/____/____