

Bellevue MS/HS

“We believe real-world learning opportunities build passionate and engaging experiences for student success in life.”

Class: HS Band

Grades: 9-12

Subject Area: Band

Course Overview / Goals for Class: To become quality musicians and develop an ensemble that provides quality music. To become a valuable asset to our school community and the community of Bellevue.

Essential Learnings - Generate Creative Ideas, Creative Decisions, Selecting Repertoire, Analyzing Skills, Interpretation Skills, Quality Improvement, Presentation of Work, Evaluating artistic work, Meaningful connections to creating, performing and responding, Relating musical ideas with social, cultural, and historical context to deepen understanding.

Units- Marching Band - August-October (Football Games, State Marching Band, Heritage Days)
Concert Band - October - May, (Winter Concert, Spring Concert, Pop's Concert, Large Group Contest, Various Community Outreach Concerts)
Pep Band - December-February (Boy's and Girls HS Basketball)
Solo/Ensemble - December-April (State Solo and Ensemble Contest)
Weekly Lessons- August-May

Grading System - 70% Process (Daily Rehearsal Preparation)

- 10 Daily Rehearsal Points
- 25 Weekly Lesson Points
- 30% Content (Concerts)
- 100 Points per concert

Classroom Expectations

1. Be on time
2. Warm-up properly
3. No Food or beverage with the exception of water.
4. Talking is expected to not be heard.
5. Be encouraging and respectful to other band members.
6. Put away all materials necessary and leave the music room as clean as it was when you started rehearsal.

Instructor contact information- Cell 563-258-9895 (Call or Text), School Number 563-872-4001, Email evandavies@bellevue.k12.ia.us

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