



**SCHOOL BAND  
CONCERTS**

DECEMBER & MAY



**SPRING CONCERT  
TOUR**

MARCH



**SIX FLAGS  
PERFORMANCE**

MAY



**BAND CAMP AT  
LAKE MURRAY**

JUNE

## IT'S TIME TO JOIN THE SHELTON BAND & DRUMLINE!



**This Chair is for YOU!**

### It's Time To Join the Shelton Band & Drumline!

Choose Your Instrument • Learn to Read Music • Perform on a Spring Tour in Colorado or Galveston, TX • Party with your friends at Main Event • Perform Concerts  
Spend a Week at Band Camp • Make New Friends • and More!

Your parents will be glad to know that you also... Gain Self Confidence • Advanced Problem Solving Skills • Group Dynamics • Compromise • Leadership • and More!

To join your school's band, bring your parents to our Parent Information and Instrument Rental Meeting next week!

#### **Shelton Band & Drumline**

**Information &  
Instrument Rental  
Meeting**

**WEDNESDAY EVENING**

**September 30**

**6:00 PM in the**

**Dining Hall**

*\*Tentative*

Join the Beginner  
Band, Concert Band,  
and MS Drumline!  
Learn something new,  
fun & motivating!  
Sharpen and sustain  
your musical skills!

## INSTRUMENTS

FLUTE  
CLARINET  
ALTO SAX  
TENOR SAX  
BARI SAX  
TRUMPET  
FRENCH HORN  
TROMBONE  
BASS GUITAR  
SNARE DRUM  
DRUMSET



# SHELTON BAND & DRUMLINE

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Concerts @ Six  
Flags, Dallas  
Stars, and  
Richardson  
Christmas  
Parade!

**4-8 GRADE  
ELIGIBLE FOR  
BAND**

**5-8 GRADE  
ELIGIBLE FOR  
DRUMLINE**

**1. BAND DEMONSTRATION  
FOR THE STUDENTS - TBA SEPTEMBER**

**2. DIRECTOR VISITS DURING ADVICORY  
TO ANSWER QUESTIONS - ALL WEEK**

**3. BAND INFORMATION & INSTRUMENT  
RENTAL MEETING - SEPTEMBER 30 AT  
6:00 PM IN THE DINING HALL**



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# Shelton School Specific Plan

- After School Band is an opt-in activity. Parents choose to allow their children to participate.
  - Drumline, Bass Guitar, and Mallet Percussion are unaffected as breathing is the same as talking.
  - With proper mitigation techniques, playing a wind instrument can be just as safe as traditional classroom instruction.
  - Smaller class sizes with band & drumline offered more often on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday
  - Face Masks and social distancing of 6 ft by 6 ft (6ft by 9 ft for trombone) for all teachers & students. Modified face masks & bell covers for musicians while playing
  - Flexible options for class location such as
    - Larger spaces like Gyms and Cafeterias
    - Outdoors when environmentally appropriate
    - Band Directors have been trained in instrument hygiene and undergo daily health screenings.
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## Masks

Musicians modify masks to use while playing.  
Explore the use of bell covers & instrument covers.

## Social Distance

Maintain at least 6 x 6 foot separation  
Applies both indoors & outdoors

## Time

Limit rehearsal times  
Allow for more time between classes

## Hygiene

Instrument Cleaning & Sanitizing  
Wash hands with soap & water and/or hand sanitizer  
Avoid touching face  
No sharing of equipment or materials

**Return to Safe Band Guide Available Now at [www.MusicLearningBand.com](http://www.MusicLearningBand.com)**

## Pick Your Instrument!

You can play the instrument you want! Your band director will help you decide if you don't already know what you want to play.

Flute Clarinet Alto Sax Tenor Sax  
Trumpet French Horn Trombone  
Baritone Tuba Bass Guitar Drums

## Get Ready For Fun!

Learning to play your instrument is the best part about band, but that's not all we do. Your band classes are training for:

Pep Rally Concerts

Richardson Christmas Parade

Dallas Stars Game Performance

Spring Break Tour

Six Flags Performance

Pizza Party

& More

## Join us for the Information Meeting

All interested band parents and students should come to a brief but very important night meeting about the Band. You will have an opportunity to register for band and rent an instrument at the conclusion of this meeting.

**Shelton Band & Drumline**

**Information, Safety Protocol Discussion &  
Instrument Rental Meeting**

**Wednesday Evening, September 30 at 6:00 PM  
in the Dining Hall \*Tentative**

## Joining Band is EASY!

1. Go to your school's Band Demo Concert.
2. Choose any band instrument you want.
3. Show this newsletter to your parents and talk about the band.
4. Come to the New Band Parent's Night Meeting.
5. Come to your first band class - you're in the band!



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