

# **Band Concert Information 2010-11**

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Dear Music Ensemble Parents,

The music department is excited to have so many talented students this year in our bands, orchestras, and choirs, and so we want to remind you of some school-wide policies concerning music ensembles.

The goal of these policies is to provide all students with a quality musical education and teach them about ensemble responsibility, support, and performance etiquette. Concerts are a wonderful way to showcase the group and individual achievements of Timothy students, and we desire to help our students present the best possible performances.

Sincerely,

Gail Salvatori

Douglas Pelt

Stephen Bates

Renee De Jager

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## **Concert dates for the school year:**

**High School** Wednesday, October 13, 7:30 pm – Band/Orchestra Concert  
Monday, December 6, 7:30 pm – Band/Orchestra Concert  
Monday, May 16, 7:30 pm – Band/Orchestra Concert

**Grades 7-8** Monday, November 1, 7:00 pm – MS Band/Orchestra/Choir Concert  
Wednesday, February 2, 7:00 pm – MS Band/Orchestra/Choir Concert  
Monday, May 23, 7:00 pm – MS Band/Orchestra/Choir Concert

**Grades 5-6** Wednesday, December 15, 7:00 pm – 5<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Band/Orchestra Concert  
Wednesday, May 18, 7:00 pm – 5<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Band/Orchestra Concert

## **Concert Attendance Policy**

All concerts are mandatory and count toward the student's final grade for the semester. Each missed concert will lower the student's grade by one letter for the semester. Exceptions will be handled on a case-by-case basis and include personal illness or family emergency.

## **Dress Code**

Black pants or formal skirt (according to school dress code)

White or black dress shirt/blouse (No sleeveless shirts/blouses)

Black dress shoes and black socks

## **Decorum**

Students who perform in a concert are encouraged to stay for the entire duration of the concert to support their peers in other ensembles. Students must be respectful and sit quietly while their peers are performing. **Parents/Guardians** – Please make sure that any non-participating children in your care remain seated with you during the concert.