

Message sent from Olathe Public Schools

Parents and Students:

Please see the schedule below for our recording session on Tuesday (December 8th) . Students should enter the building no more than 15 minutes before their scheduled time and report to the band room. Once they perform they will need to leave the facility immediately. We will have the cleaning spray that we have been using to disinfect stands and surfaces during hybrid learning in between classes and will spray down surfaces in between recording groups. We will be recording in the large auditorium. There is very little flex time in the schedule so it will be important for students to be prepared and on time. Students will need to have their performance masks and make sure that they have their bell covers with their filters. For students that have been remote and do not have performance masks or bell covers/filters we will have some for you. Percussionist will continue to wear their own regular masks (I would prefer a solid color for this event if they have one).

I am asking for students to "dress up" similar to what we did for most concerts last year as we were waiting for our new concert uniforms to arrive. I would prefer no t-shirts, flip flops, shorts. If you need to wear jeans I would prefer no rips. If you have concerns regarding clothing please let me know, we have some resources available to help students that need it.

Once all of this is recorded and mixed/mastered and copyright has been paid I will email everyone about when it will be available.

3:30 p.m.- Percussion Ensemble: Tempus by Allen Houston
4:00 p.m.- Percussion Ensemble: Graceful Ghost Arr. by Stephen Primatec
4:30 p.m.- Wind Ensemble: Jupiter from the Planets Arr. by Danielle Fisher
5:00 p.m.- Wind Ensemble: Adeste Fidelis Arr. by Christian McIvor
5:30 p.m.- Wind Ensemble: Suite No. 2 in F Major Arr. by Danielle Fisher
5:50 p.m.- 7th Hour Percussion Ensemble: Drumline Exercises by Jeff Smikahl and Brandon Graves
6:00 p.m.- Jazz Combo- Watermelon Man by Herbie Hancock and A Little of This? by Jamey Aebersold
6:30 p.m.- Symphonic Band: El Zorro Rojo by Randall Standridge
7:00 p.m.- Concert Band: Downtown Dash by Nathan Daughtrey (this group may run more like 40 minutes instead of 30)

Thanks,
Mr. Smikahl