

2019-2020
Timber Creek High School
Varsity Marching Band
Intent Form

Members of the Varsity Marching Band are required to abide by the attendance policy, and attend all games and contests.

Students that are not able to commit to the attendance policy can choose to participate in the JV band. JV members are still required to attend all games and assigned rehearsals (all of band camp, 1-2 rehearsals per week when school starts-to be designated in late August).

Please read the attendance policy below and indicate your intent for the 2018-2019 school year. Note that all band students participate in marching band by way of the varsity or the JV band, and concert band. Varsity members include students in brass, woodwind, percussion, shared spots, and visual ensemble that are selected to march a varsity spot. Metronome operators will follow the varsity schedule. Prop crew will follow a modified varsity schedule. All Colorguard members are considered varsity members.

Excused Absences:

- Medical emergency or personal injury
- Death in the Family
- Religious Holiday
- Special circumstances that are pre-approved by the director
- Illness with doctor's note

Unexcused Absences:

- Work
- Oversleeping
- Transportation not arranged
- Non-emergency appointments
- Drivers license appointments
- College visits
- Concerts/Opening Day
- Anything deemed unexcused by school personnel
- Tutorials and Club Meetings
- SAT/ACT Testing

Additional Policies:

- To be early is to be on time; plan to arrive 15 minutes early to outdoor practices
- If you have more than one unexcused absence, you will be subject to be reassigned (loss of Varsity spot, loss of performance privileges)
- 3 Tardies equal 1 unexcused absence
- NEW – leaving early is treated the same as a tardy (3 times equal 1 unexcused absence)
- Students that miss performances due to an unexcused absence will be subject to be reassigned (loss of Varsity spot, loss of performance privileges)
- NEW – both partners in shared spots will abide by the same policies whether they perform each week or not.

**It is the responsibility of the student and the guardian to stay up to date with rehearsal and performance times by checking emails, Facebook and the calendar at www.timbercreekband.org

Print Student Name: _____

Initial or check below your choice for the 2018 - 2019 school year:

_____ I understand the rehearsal and performance commitments of the TCHS Varsity Band. I agree to participate in all aspects of this organization should I be chosen for a varsity spot.

_____ I understand the rehearsal and performance commitments of the TCHS Varsity Band. I will decline to be considered for a varsity spot, and I opt to participate with the Junior Varsity.

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Print Student Name _____ Date _____

Parent Signature 1 _____ Date _____

Parent Signature 2 _____ Date _____