

NORTHEAST MIDDLE SCHOOL

Summer Band, Orchestra & Jazz Ensemble

2019 - 2020 School Year

Congratulations on being a member of the Northeast Middle School instrumental music program. Summer rehearsal is a great experience for our new sixth grade members because they will have the opportunity to make new friends and familiarize themselves with the Northeast Band, Orchestra and Jazz Ensemble before the start of school. It also helps to get our seventh and eighth grade members back into the swing of things. **PLEASE NOTE THAT SUMMER REHEARSAL BEGINS ON MONDAY, AUGUST 5!**

We ask that all students make every effort to attend these summer rehearsals (see schedule below). If your child is unable to attend due to previously scheduled vacation plans, please notify Mr. Rupnik by calling him at Northeast Middle School (610-868-8581 extension 42462). Please have your child arrange to get the material distributed at the summer rehearsal if they cannot attend.

Please note: Majorettes and Band Front, meet every time the Band is scheduled for rehearsal.

Don't forget to bring an instrument lyre to each rehearsal! They can be purchased at any music store that sells instruments!

TIME	AUGUST 5 MONDAY	AUGUST 6 TUESDAY	AUGUST 7 WEDNESDAY	AUGUST 8 THURSDAY	AUGUST 9 FRIDAY
8:00 - 8:45 AM	NEW STRINGS	STRINGS	ORCHESTRA	STRINGS	ORCHESTRA
8:45 - 10:45 AM	ONLY NEW BAND MEMBERS	BAND	BAND	BAND	BAND
10:45 - 11:15 AM	PERCUSSION	PERCUSSION	WOODWINDS	BRASS	PERCUSSION
11:15 - NOON	JAZZ ENSEMBLE	JAZZ ENSEMBLE	JAZZ ENSEMBLE	JAZZ ENSEMBLE	JAZZ ENSEMBLE
TIME	AUGUST 12 MONDAY	AUGUST 13 TUESDAY	AUGUST 14 WEDNESDAY	AUGUST 15 THURSDAY	AUGUST 16 FRIDAY
8:00 - 8:45 AM	ORCHESTRA	STRINGS	ORCHESTRA	STRINGS	ORCHESTRA
8:45 - 10:45 AM	BAND	BAND	BAND	BAND	BAND
10:45 - 11:15 AM	WOODWINDS	BRASS	PERCUSSION	WOODWINDS	BRASS
11:15 - NOON	JAZZ ENSEMBLE	JAZZ ENSEMBLE	JAZZ ENSEMBLE	JAZZ ENSEMBLE	JAZZ ENSEMBLE

Please note the different rehearsal structure for Monday, August 5th. All new members to the Orchestra and Band (sixth grade students and new seventh and eighth grade students) will have an opportunity to rehearse prior to the arrival of the upperclassmen. All percussion players (new and returning) have also been given their own group first-day practice time.