



# University High School Band

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May 29, 2024

Dear band students and parents,

The University High School Band just wrapped up a great year and we are looking forward to continuing our tradition of excellence in 2024-2025.

The SUMMER SCHEDULE was last updated on May 28 and can be found on the UHS Band website.

Our main objective with this letter is to set up lines of communication. It is also important to remind everyone that all students must have a WVSSAC Physical Form and a UHS Band Health Form on file before participating in band activities.

We have included QR codes for all important documents and information at the end of this letter.

## UHS Band Website:

[www.uhsband.net](http://www.uhsband.net) – We post general information under “Director’s Comments.” As this is viewable by the public, we only post information that is suitable for public consumption, and we do not use student names.

The website is also a repository for information about the UHS Band, historical band photos and videos, advocacy, health and physical forms, scale sheets, etc.

## Remind App:

Remind is our most important communication tool. Students and parents get important information in a timely manner directly to their phones. Returning students do not need to re-join.

All new students and their parents are asked to join the 2024-2025 New Band Student Remind classroom. Directors will then route everyone to the correct classes.

## Google Classroom:

All students must be in the Google Classroom for their respective classes. This is where we post assignments and important information, and because it is private, we are able to post information that we cannot post on [www.uhsband.net](http://www.uhsband.net).

STUDENTS MUST SIGN IN THROUGH THEIR BOE.MONO.K12.WV.US ACCOUNT TO USE GOOGLE CLASSROOMS. All current Monongalia County Schools students have these accounts. The codes for the classes are as follows:

- Concert Band 2024-2025: [REDACTED]
- Jazz Ensemble 2024-2025: [REDACTED]
- Symphonic Winds 2024-2025: [REDACTED]
- Percussion Ensemble 2024-2025: [REDACTED]

## Schoology:

Used for grades, direct communication with directors, etc.

University High School Band Boosters Facebook Page:  
Parent-operated, you can often find band information here.

Email:  
[mpalmer@k12.wv.us](mailto:mpalmer@k12.wv.us) and [corey.orban@k12.wv.us](mailto:corey.orban@k12.wv.us)

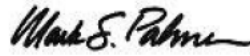
Please note that the directors will not be checking school email during most of the month of June. We will answer messages prior to the start of band in July.

## Actions students and/or parents should take ASAP:

- Email Mr. Palmer if you are NOT planning to be in band in 2024-2025 so we can adjust our numbers.
- NEW members should read the Incoming Freshman FAQ.
- Complete both the WVSSAC Physical Form and the UHS Band Health Form prior to the first rehearsal that students attend. All West Virginia students must have a current physical to participate in band. Both forms are REQUIRED prior to participation in any band activities, and are located at [www.uhsband.net/forms](http://www.uhsband.net/forms).
- Regularly check [www.uhsband.net](http://www.uhsband.net), and sign up for Remind (students and parents) and Google Classroom (students) so that you don't miss important announcements.
- Sign up for your respective Google Classrooms. The 2024 marching music is already posted there.

We look forward to seeing everyone soon.

Sincerely,



Mark S. Palmer  
Director of Bands

[uhsband.net](http://uhsband.net):



Summer Schedule:



Remind:



Google Classroom:



Incoming  
Freshman FAQ:



UHS Band  
Health Form:



WVSSAC Physical  
Form:



For QR  
Code Symmetry:

