

Beginning Band

Before Thanksgiving Newsletter

Hello Beginning Band Parents/Students,

It's going to be a very busy sprint to the Holiday Break!

1) Holiday Concert – Dress: Briscoe MS Band Polo Shirt, Black slacks, Black socks, Black shoes.

- **Holiday Concert** – Thursday, December 13th - Dress – Formal Uniforms

Beginning Band Performs - 6pm *Report time is 5:30 to Band Hall*

Concert Band Performs - 7pm *Report time is 6:45 to Band Hall*

Symphonic Band Performs - 7pm *Report time is 6:45 to Band Hall*

Jazz Band/Honors Band - 7:30pm *Report time is 7:15 to Band Hall*

Students are dismissed after their performance.



2) Band Supplies – All band students should have a Band Binder & Pencil just for band class.

3) Band Pictures on Holiday Concert Day – Thursday, December 13th - A group picture will be taken at the beginning of each band class. Individual pictures will be taken shortly thereafter. A handout can be found at http://www.morganphotosa.com/flyer_new.pdf. Students need to bring their FORMAL uniform to school and will change at the beginning of class. As the group picture will be part of this year's yearbook, students who do not bring uniforms will not be included.

4) Private Lessons - We recommend private lessons for all students and it's never too late to start. Private lesson teachers are available but slots are filling up *fast*.

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Thank you,
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