

Dear Parent(s),

Congratulations!! Your child has earned a placement in the GMEA District V Middle School School Honor Band(s) on **January 31-February 1, 2020**. The clinic and concert will be held at North Atlanta High School. If you have further questions after reading this letter, please contact me at, wilsonwm@fultonschools.org

REGISTRATION: Registration will be handled by your director prior to the event. The day of the rehearsals simply follow the signs at North Atlanta to your designated rehearsal space. Your student should find his/her nametag in their designated seat and place his/her nametag on their stand. The clinic fee is **\$25 per student**. This fee includes dinner on Friday night. Please make your payment online through OSP and return the acceptance/permission form to Mrs. Wilson.

CANCELLATIONS: Contact me **immediately** at wilsonwm@fultonschools.org if your child cannot attend. There are several other students who are alternates and will need to be contacted quickly so they can participate in the event. Deadline is NO Later than December 20th

REHEARSALS: Rehearsals will be held at North Atlanta High School (4111 Northside Parkway NW, Atlanta, GA 30327). Please be punctual and students must attend **ALL** rehearsals. Parents are responsible for transportation to/from rehearsals. If a student misses a rehearsal, he/she will no longer be eligible to participate in the remainder of the honor band weekend.

Meals: A pizza dinner will be provided on Friday evening. In order to reduce costs, lunch on Saturday *will not* be provided. Please make plans for Saturday lunch. If your child is interested in eating on campus Saturday, North Atlanta will host a concession stand for your convenience. Students should bring a lunch or cash for concessions.

HONOR WEEKEND SCHEDULE:

Friday, January 31:	4:15	Seating
	4:25	Late Students may be moved to the end of section (rehearsal will begin after announcements)
	4:30-6:00	Rehearsal
	5:45-7:00	Dinner Break (meal provided; concessions available also)
	7:00-9:00	Rehearsal
Saturday, February 1:	9:00-11:30	Rehearsal
	11:30-1:00	Lunch Break (on your own)
	1:00-2:00	Rehearsal
	3:30	MS Band- Bain
	4:15	MS Band- Martin
	5:00	9/10 Concert
	5:45	11/12 Concert

CLINICIANS:

The Middle School "Virtuoso" Honor Band will be conducted by Mr. Freddie Martin – The Westminster Schools
The Middle School "Artistry" Honor Band will be conducted by Mrs. Kim Bain – Pizitz Middle School Band

CONCERT RECORDINGS: A professional recording of the District V Honor Band Event will be made. Compact discs can be ordered on the evening of the concert. Orders will be shipped by the company shortly following the performance.

MISCELLANEOUS: Please have your students bring all possible musical equipment (including a pencil, music stand, instrument, reeds, sticks/mallets, mouthpiece, mutes, valve oil, etc.) for rehearsals. Please make sure that all personal belongings are tagged or taped with student's name and school prominently displayed.

CONCERT ATTIRE: Students are to wear their band uniform or appropriate attire for the concert.

2020 District V Middle School Honor Bands

Acceptance Form

My child, _____ will be participating in the GMEA District V Honor Band at North Atlanta High School on January 31-February 1, 2020.

Parent signature

Date

Please make \$25 payment online for the student fees and return this form by Fri. December 20th.

Please Print Information Below:

Emergency Contact Name: _____

Emergency Contact Number: _____

Allergies: _____