

AHS Bands – Varsity Letter Application and point scale

NAME _____ Date Completed _____
FIRST TIME APPLICANT _____ 2nd year _____ 3rd year _____ 4th year _____

CHECK OFF ITEMS, DATE FORM WHEN COMPLETED; 500 points minimum required to earn letter (updated 2008)

Ensemble Participation

- Participation in Band ALL YEAR (any of the offered classes) – 50 points**
- Participation in Marching Band for entire season (13 weeks) – 300 points**
- Participation in Marching Band pre-season camp – 25 points**
- Participation in Jazz Band (year) – 75 points
- Participation in Full Orchestra (includes after school) – 75 points
- Participation in Pit Band (for spring musical) – 75 points
- Winter Band Clinic – 25 points**

Honor Events

- Selected to All State Ensemble (Band, Orchestra, or Jazz) – 100 points
- Being selected for Drum Major – 50 points
- Being selected for officer or section leader – 50 points
- Selection to Honor Clinic (UGA, FSU, or other approved) – 50 points
- Selection to Fulton County Honor Band – 50 points
- Selection to District 5 Honor Band – 50 points

Outside Optional Activities

- Private lessons on the instrument you play in band for the entire year - 150 points (verified by your private instructor) instructor name _____ ph. _____
- Participation in a Summer Music Camp (at approved University) – 50 points
- Participation in Solo & Ensemble Festival – 50 points**

Volunteer Hours

- 1 hour of volunteer time = 2 points; Total hours _____ total points _____

Points can be earned through concession work, car washes, or any other Band activity approved by Director. Parents *cannot* earn points towards a student varsity letter. Note: *Maximum* number of points possible: 50 (25 hours)

“Extras”

- Play off all 12 major scales according to GA All-State requirements: 25 points
- Play off chromatic scale according to GA All-State Band requirements: 20 points
- Mentor* for our Middle School Band on your instrument 2 hours per week:
75 points per semester note: hours to be determined by MS and HS Directors