



GHS Mustang Guard

Winter 2020-21

Participation Fee \$350.00

Assists with paying for instruction, costumes, show design, registration fees, equipment use, etc.

*Note: Winter Guard is a separate competition season from Marching Band (Fall Guard). **Fundraiser money MAY be used to pay for all items.** All payments may be made online via PayPal in Charms, placed in the bandbox in the GHS band hallway, or mailed to GHS Band Boosters, 3223 Mustang Dr, Grapevine, TX 76051. Checks should be made payable to "GHS Band." Band accounts should be in good standing.*

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

Students and parents will be notified if changes occur. Please check Charms calendar & Smore regularly for updates.

Tues, Dec 1	Mustang Guard Winter Workshop - 5:00pm - 7:00pm (Free & Open to All Students)
Tues, Dec 8	Rehearsal - 5:00pm - 7:00pm (COMMITMENT FORM & PAYMENT DUE) Payment #1 Due (\$100 - or you may pay the entire remaining fee)
Tues, Dec 15	Rehearsal - 5:00pm - 7:00pm
Thurs, Dec 17	Mustang Guard Holiday Party - 5:00pm
Dec 21 - Jan 5	NO REHEARSALS, School Break

Thurs, Jan 7	Regular After-School Rehearsals Begin - Tuesdays & Thursdays - 5:00pm - 7:00pm
Fri, Jan 15	Payment #2 Due (\$100 - or you may pay entire remaining fee)
Fri, Jan 29	Pre-Showcase Rehearsal - 5:00pm - 7:00pm
Sat, Jan 30	GCISD Combined Winter Showcase @ Grapevine HS

Fri, Feb 12	Payment #3 Due (\$150 - fees should be paid in full by this time)
Mon, Feb 15	WGI e-Solo Prelim Submissions Due <i>WGI e-Solo Preliminary Competition, Hosted by FloMarching on Feb 20-21</i>
Fri, Feb 19	WGI e-Showcase Recording Day @ Grapevine HS <i>WGI e-Showcase Week #1, Hosted by FloMarching on Feb 27-28</i>
Fri, Feb 26	WGI e-Showcase Recording Day @ Grapevine HS <i>WGI e-Showcase Week #2, Hosted by FloMarching on Mar 6-7</i>

Fri, Mar 12	WGI e-Showcase Recording Day @ Grapevine HS <i>WGI e-Showcase Week #3, Hosted by FloMarching on Mar 20-21</i>
Mar 15 - 19	NO REHEARSALS, School Break
Mon, Mar 22	WGI e-Showcase Recording Day @ Grapevine HS <i>WGI e-Showcase Week #4, Hosted by FloMarching on Mar 27-28</i>

Mon, Apr 12	WGI e-Solo Finals Submission Due <i>WGI e-Solo Finals Competition, Hosted by FloMarching on Apr 17-18</i>
Sat, Apr 17	WGI Competitive Class Finals Watch Party @ Grapevine HS
Tues, Apr 27	Mustang Guard 2021-22 Auditions - 5:00pm - 8:00pm
Thurs, Apr 29	Mustang Guard 2021-22 Auditions - 5:00pm - 8:00pm
Tues, May 4	Mustang Guard 2021-22 Spring Social - 5:00pm

Consistent attendance is immensely important to complex group productions. All conflicts must be communicated on the commitment form or via the online absence request form at least one (1) full week in advance. Absences may result in members being pulled from performances, and continued absences may result in a failing grade in the class.



GHS Mustang Guard Winter 2020-21 *Commitment Form*

*THIS FORM IS DUE ON OR BEFORE **TUESDAY, DECEMBER 8th.**
It may be submitted to the band box before that day.*

Student's Name: _____

The Grapevine High School Band is looking forward to an exciting Winter Guard season! Students who audition and are selected to participate, and families who commit to that membership, are expected to **FULLY COMPLETE** the Winter Guard season that includes all rehearsals, performances, and competitions. Students who do not complete the season will still be responsible for ALL fees associated with Winter Guard participation and will not be eligible to audition for the Marching Mustang Band or the Winterguard in upcoming seasons, unless excused by the Director of Bands.

All rehearsals and performances are required; however, we do understand that schedule conflicts and emergencies sometimes occur. Please list all known conflicts below:

Date: _____ Detailed explanation: _____

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Additional non-emergency conflicts must be communicated via online absence request form at least one (1) full week in advance. Please note that absences (excused or unexcused) may result in members not performing, and continued absences may result in dismissal from the Winter Guard program for the remainder of the season.

Students dismissed from the program by the directors for poor behavior or poor attendance will still be responsible for ALL fees associated with the Winter Guard program. Students who do not complete the season due to parent/student decision will still be responsible for ALL fees associated with the Winter Guard program, and may not be eligible to participate in future GHS Band or Mustang Guard organizations.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I have read and understand all information regarding the GHS Band's Winter Guard program including the fee structure, the rehearsal schedule, the performance schedule, and attendance/behavior expectations. If chosen to participate in the program, I will adhere to all regulations.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____