

Mustang Band Uniform Contract

General Information

- Each student will be issued a uniform for all of the yearly performances. This includes a marching and concert uniform. These items are property of GCISD and are issued on loan to the student.
- Replacement cost of the marching uniform is approximately \$600, \$200 for tuxedos, and \$100 for dresses. Students assume all financial responsibility for damage to the uniforms, including theft and removing any labels on the uniform.
- Only GHS Uniform Boosters will make alterations to uniforms. It is the responsibility of the student to communicate if the uniform needs alterations or sizing change.

Uniform Expectations

- Students are not permitted to eat or drink anything except water while in uniform.
- Students are not permitted to run or sit on the ground in uniform.
- Students will have the overall presentation of hair, accessories, jewelry, and make-up addressed while in uniform.
- All parts of the uniform are to be worn at all times. Members will put on the shakos at the same time and remove them as a group. We will also change in and out of uniforms as a group.

Summer Uniforms:

Purchased by Student: GHS Band Blue Adidas Shirt, GHS Band Black Shorts, No-show Black Socks, Athletic Shoes

- Adidas shirts and black shorts are worn when the temperature outside prohibits wearing the full uniform, and are also worn during pep rallies and public appearances.
- These are fitted during the mandatory Band Registration at the beginning of August and will cost approximately \$60. No-show socks can be purchased on your own and any kind of athletic shoes are OK.
- Students do not need new shirts and shorts every year unless they lose or outgrow them.

Marching Uniforms:

School Issued: Bibbers (band pants), Long sleeve Blue Shirt, Vest, Sashes, Shako, Hat Wrap, Plume, Black Garment Bag, Shako Box and Long Sleeve Contest Shirt.

Included in band fees: Show T-shirt

Purchased by Student - only replaced as needed: GHS Band Black Marching Shoes, Tall Black Socks, and Red Duffle Bag (optional)

- This uniform is worn at football games, marching contests, parades and any other public appearance by the Mustang Band.
- These are fitted during summer band and will never be taken home. GHS Uniform Boosters will collect them and have them laundered after performances.
- Students must only wear the assigned black undershirt and shorts underneath the uniform.
- Students may not launder or dry clean them on their own.
- Marching Shoes are sized at Band Registration and must be worn with bibbers. Underneath the bibbers, the assigned black shorts and undershirt. Socks should be mid-calf or higher and free of logos or patterns.
- No personal items are allowed in the garment bag or shako box. Students will take personal items home with them after every event.
- No unnatural colors of fingernail polish or fake nails

- During Contest Trips, Duffle bags are utilized for changing into/out of the uniform. Students will wear their show T-shirt and black running shorts after removing the uniform.

Concert Uniforms:

- Gentlemen will wear black dress shoes, tall black socks with no logos or patterns, Tuxedo Pants, White Tuxedo Shirt, Black Bowtie, Black Tuxedo Jacket and White Undershirt.
- Ladies will wear black, closed-toed, low-heel shoes, Sheer black nylons, Black Uniform Dress.
- These will be fitted later during the fall semester and will remain in the student's possession for the duration of the year.
- The Concert Uniforms may be professionally dry cleaned by the student and should be carefully hung on hangers at all times.

Contact information:

- Kristen Pratt, Uniform Chair: 817-781-4309, Uniforms@GrapevineHSBand.com

Agreement:

I have read the contract and all information above, and I understand and acknowledge the expectations contained therein. I also acknowledge financial responsibility for all parts of the uniform and understand that additional costs will be assessed through the Band Boosters or GCISD. I agree to return all items in the same condition I received them.

Student Printed Name: _____

Student Signature: _____

Parent Printed Name: _____

Parent Signature: _____