

## WINTER WEEKEND

February 18, 2022

<u>Tuesday, 2/22 & Thursday, 2/24</u>: MAKE-UP ACCOMPANIST REHEARSALS <u>Saturday, 2/26</u>: Region 25 UIL Solo & Ensemble Contest

Friday, 3/4: Eligibility Check for Concert UIL & Spring Trip

Dear Vines Band Family,

We are hard at work preparing our contest cycle of music as we head into the next few weeks. I hope you enjoy your well-deserved long weekend, and we will see you soon.

Accompanist Rehearsals: Mrs. Keller has thankfully been released and is recovering. Thank you to the several of you who offered to help in various ways – You make this community so beautiful. Our makeups will be at your chosen timeslot on Tuesday, 2/22, and Thursday, 2/24. For those who have not paid, please send cash or check to the Band Office. \$15 for the entry fee and \$80 for the accompanist fee.

**Eligibility:** In accordance with state law, the end of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Nine Weeks will serve as a grade check for our UIL Concert & Sight Reading Contest and Spring Trip. If a student is failing a non-Honors/AP course at the end of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Nine Weeks, they will be able to regain eligibility by passing all their courses by Friday, April 1<sup>st</sup>, at the end of the school day.

Formal Wear: Please see attachment for instructions from our Uniform Volunteer Team

**Solo & Ensemble Contest**: Please see attachment for times and room numbers. If you are not performing with our accompanist, please be sure to forward your time and room number to your pianist.