

ROAD TO UIL: WEEK 3

August 27, 2021

Monday, 8/30, 7:00am: Marching Band Rehearsal Tuesday, 8/31, 7:00am: Marching Band Rehearsal Wednesday, 9/1, 7:00am: Marching Band Rehearsal Thursday, 9/2, 7:00am: Marching Band Rehearsal Friday, 9/3, 7:00am: Marching Band Rehearsal Monday, 9/6: LABOR DAY - NO REHEARSAL Tuesday, 9/7: LABOR DAY - NO REHEARSAL

Wednesday, 9/8, 7:00am: Marching Band Rehearsal

<u>Thursday, 9/9</u>: Football game v. Lake Highlands HS – See attached itinerary <u>Wednesday, 9/15, 7:00pm</u>: Mandatory Stadium Rehearsal – See attached itinerary

Dear Vines Band Family,

I am so pleased with the focus and energy that our students continue to bring each day to rehearsal. We have officially finished learning all of Part 1 and Part 2 outside, and we will spend the next two weeks cleaning and polishing in preparation for our first game in a few weeks!

Football Game:

Students will be released 7th Period to come eat, pack, and load for the game. Please remember to bring: dri-fit shirt, uniform shorts, long black socks, marching shoes, and water jugs. These are required items for all Band students at football games. When picking students up, please avoid parking in the bus lanes so that our vehicles can safely unload students and equipment. Thank you! Late deliveries due to vendor supply of these items will be made before the first game.

SNAP! RAISE:

We have raised **\$18,110** as of today, and we have only a few days left! Spread the word and add emails onto our list! These funds will help replenish our scholarship fund, equipment fund, instructor fund, and a portion will contribute to trip and contribution fees!

Grades/Eligibility:

Please attend <u>VIKING TIME</u> tutorials and study hall to get help and make-up work! Eligibility must be maintained in **all Non-Honors/AP courses**, **passing above 70**. Failing classes will affect participation in games and contests. Thank you for your coordination!

Stadium Rehearsal:

Each year, we are assigned by the district one 2-hour rehearsal block in the evening in the stadium before our UIL Contest. This year, we will rehearse on Wednesday, September 15, from 7-9pm at Kimbrough Stadium. Since this is our **ONLY** stadium rehearsal, ALL MEMBERS MUST ATTEND. Busses will be provided, but dinner will not, so students should plan to pack a meal between 7th period and departure. Thank you so much for your understanding.

Have a fantastic week,

Jonathan Cao Director of Bands



GAME DAY ITINERARY

9/9: Plano JV2 v. Lake Highlands JV2

7:00am-8:30am	Marching Band Rehearsal
3:30pm	Eat/Pack/Load (EPL)
4:30pm	Instruments cleaned and out for loading
4:50pm	Uniform/instrument inspection
5:05pm	Load Busses
5:15pm	Depart VHS, Travel to Clark Stadium (6600 Stadium Dr., Plano, TX 75023)
5:35pm	Arrive at Clark Stadium , Unload busses and trucks
5:45pm	Warm-Up in "Visitor" stands
10 min left on Q2	Warm-Up for halftime
Halftime	STRONGER 2021
~9:20pm*	Depart Clark Stadium, Travel to Vines High School (1401 Highedge St., Plano, TX 75075)
~9:40pm*	Arrive at VHS , Unload



STADIUM REHEARSAL ITINERARY

9/15

5:00pm	Pack and Load — NO MEAL
5:30pm	Instruments cleaned and out for loading
5:50pm	Summer Uniform Inspection
5:55pm	Load Busses
6:00pm	Depart VHS, Travel to Kimbrough Stadium (700 N Murphy Rd., Murphy, TX 75094)
6:30pm	Arrive at Kimbrough Stadium , Unload busses and trucks
6:50pm	Warm-Up in Parking Lot
7:00pm	Stadium Rehearsal
8:45pm	STRONGER 2021
~9:00pm*	Depart Kimbrough Stadium, Travel to Vines High School (1401 Highedge St., Plano, TX 75075)
~9:20pm*	Arrive at VHS , Unload