Belton Middle School Band

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Wind Ensemble UIL Concert/SR Evaluation Recording Wednesday, April 7

Here we are - this is it! The main event, the biggest contest of the year - UIL. We have learned many things this year and have worked hard for this contest all year long. Now it's time to show others what we can do, and to put all 5 of our Guidelines for Success together: Be Punctual, Be Prepared, Be Disciplined, Be Relentless, all of which leads to Be Superior!

We will record on Wednesday, April 7 at the Belton High School Performing Arts Center (PAC). This is a formal and professional recording, and will <u>not</u> be open to the public for copyright reasons. This is our Band equivalent to the STAAR test. It is **extremely** important, and our students have worked hard to get to this point. <u>Be Prepared</u> with your formal concert attire, which includes: Red polo shirt tucked into **black pants**, black belt for gentlemen, black <u>calf-length</u> socks, and black dress shoes. Be sure to have <u>all</u> of your music, pencil, reeds, and instrument.

Be Disciplined in your behavior and have a positive, focused attitude throughout our entire morning. We will be recording all of our performance to send to the judges. This performance is a major grade and is required. Students will be required to make up work in their 1st-3rd periods classes. As always, if you have any questions, please let Mr. Pulley know ASAP.

- 8:00am Students will come to the Band Hall instead of going to their 1st period class, and then change into their formal band uniform (see details above).
- 8:15am Procedures & Expectations Chat we will have roll check, uniform inspection, and double-check that everyone has all of their equipment and materials
- 8:30am Load big instruments and percussion equipment into Mr. Trahan's van
- 8:45am Walk over to HS PAC in uniform and with instruments (bus pickup if raining)
- 9:00am Arrive at the PAC and assemble instruments backstage.
- 9:15am Timed warm-up begins on stage
- 9:45pm Superior concert performance on stage
- 10:00am Superior sightreading on stage
- 10:20am Pack up instruments and load equipment back into van
- 10:30am Walk back over to BMS
- 10:40am Arrive at BMS and unload instruments and equipment
- 10:45am Change back into school clothes if desired
- 10:55am Report late to 3rd period