



## *Millbrook High School Bands*

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Dear Parents/Guardians:

I am very excited that your child has made the commitment to participate in the Millbrook Band Program next year. In order to place your child according to his/her musical ability, it is necessary that all students enrolled in Band for the 2009-10 school year at Millbrook High School schedule an audition with Mrs. Kerr during the month of May.

Students should be prepared to play their 12 major scales and a short selection of their choice for the audition. They will also be asked to sight-read a short excerpt that will be provided during the audition. The entire audition should last 15-20 minutes.

**Auditions will be held on the following dates during the month of May:**

Monday, May 4	4:00-5:30 pm
Friday, May 8	4:00-5:30 pm
Thursday, May 14	4:00-5:30 pm
Tuesday, May 19	4:00-5:30 pm
Friday, May 22	4:00-5:00 pm
Tuesday, May 26	3:30-5:00 pm

Please email or call Mrs. Kerr to schedule a time for your child's audition. It is very important that every student be placed in the correct ensemble before the fall semester begins. **Also, if your child is interested in Marching Band, please be sure to let Mrs. Kerr know. We are holding Spring Training dates for new marchers on May 6, 11, and 15 from 3:45-5:45 as well as a Parents' Night on May 18<sup>th</sup> at 7pm in the MHS Band Room. We would like to encourage all new marchers to try-out marching band before the May 22<sup>nd</sup> commitment date.**

I look forward to meeting you and your student! Thank you for all you do to allow your child the opportunity to grow through music.

Sincerely,

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