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7th Grade Band Syllabus

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Textbook: Essential Elements 2000 Book 2, Scale and Rhythm Chunks, and Music in Folders

Classroom Expectations:

- Get instrument, music, and pencil (leave cases in the instrument rooms or outside of the rehearsal space) and sit in seat quietly ready to begin class
- Participate effectively in class discussion and rehearsal.
- After being dismissed by the teacher, put up instruments and music and pick up belongings.

Grades:

Homework / class work	50%
Tests / Quizzes	20%
Performances	15%
Nine Weeks Exam	15%

Supplies Needed to Participate:

- Music Folder
- Paper
- Pencil
- 4 Reeds (woodwinds – Oboes and Bassoons – 2 reeds) in case at all times, mouthpieces and all necessary materials to play the instrument
- Percussion – Drum Sticks

Performances:

The HCCMS Band is a performance based class. Our performances include the HCCMS home football games, a Christmas Concert, a Pre-Large Group Performance Evaluation Concert, Large Group Performance Evaluation, and a Spring Concert. There will be after school rehearsals before each concert. As a member of the HCCMS band, your participation in these performances is **required and graded**, with the exception of students who are members of the HCCMS football team or cheerleading squad for football games. If you are absent from a performance, you must provide a written excuse prior to the event or immediately upon return to school after the event. A written excuse does not mean that you will be excused from the performance. Dates for all performances and after school rehearsals will be sent home on the HCCMS Band Calendar and will be available on the HCCMS Fine Arts calendar.

Class work:

Each week students will earn a participation grade. Points may be deducted for not participating, not having music, not having instrument, not having other materials necessary for class. Graded materials checks will be conducted weekly.

Tests/Quizzes:

Tests and Quizzes will be given periodically to evaluate how each student is doing on an individual basis.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call or email me. I look forward to working with you and your child this school year. Also, visit our website at tiemann.hccmsonline.com.

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My parents and I have read this syllabus. We agree to this contract and information prescribed on this syllabus.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Student Signature

Date

Email Address

