



## Lake Highlands High School Wildcat Band

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Dear Lake Highlands Band Parent,

The Lake Highlands Band offers an excellent enrichment program to all band students. This program consists of either a 30 minute private lesson before/after school or a 25 minute lesson during the school day, taken once a week, taught by a specialist on your child's instrument. We hope each parent will consider the opportunity offered by this program. Listed below are a few points to consider about this valuable program..

- Private lessons give students an opportunity to work with a specialist on their instrument.
- Private lessons allow gifted students to move at a pace comfortable to his/her needs.
- Private lessons can help motivate a struggling student by providing a more personal approach.
- Private lessons offer insights and experiences on a musical level not available in a classroom of 30+ students.
- Private lessons help meet individual needs.
- If your student wants, but cannot afford private lessons, partial scholarships are available. See additional forms available on the web site or contact your director. Excluding any extenuating circumstances, scholarships are offered once per year. The deadline to submit an application is August 20<sup>th</sup>.

Much careful attention is directed towards acquiring the very best private instructors for the Lake Highlands Area Bands. These teachers all have degrees in music and most participate actively as performers in the north Texas area. The private instructor, once notified that you are interested in lessons for your child, will contact you to arrange a mutually convenient lesson time. Lessons are generally held at Lake Highlands High School or Junior High, or Forest Meadow Junior High. Lessons cost \$17.00 each and are paid on a monthly basis. A month with four weeks would cost \$68.00.

We hope you will seriously consider private lessons for your child. It could really make a difference! Please do not hesitate to call if you have any additional questions about this program.

Sincerely,

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Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Instrument \_\_\_\_\_

Student ID #: \_\_\_\_\_ Campus \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

If you studied privately last year, who was your teacher? \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Home # \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Work # \_\_\_\_\_ Cell # \_\_\_\_\_

Email address for billing via email \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_