



2015 LEADERSHIP APPLICATION

Due Tuesday, May 26, 2015

Name: _____ Current Grade: 9 10 11

Instrument: _____ Current Band: WE Sym Con

Circle the primary position for which you are applying (those applying for Drum Major will automatically be considered for Section Leader):

INSTRUCTIONAL LEADERS

Section Leader Drum Major

LOGISTICAL LEADERS

Librarian Uniform Staff Instrument Staff

- 1. Did you audition for All-Region Band this year? YES NO
- Do you intend to audition for All-Region Band next year? YES NO
- Did you receive a six-weeks grade below 70 in ANY class this school year? YES NO
- If yes, give the complete name of the class: _____

2. Do you currently take private lessons? YES NO DISCONTINUED

3. List Maverick Band events (color guard competitions, fund raisers, concession stands, floor crew, pancake breakfast) you volunteered for this year:

4. List any leadership positions you have held as a member of the Maverick Band:

5. List any honors, special recognition, committee seats, positions of responsibility, or special events in which you have participated that would further qualify you for a position as a student leader (all-region member, solo/ensemble rating, academic mentor, etc.):

6. Are you currently employed? Yes No Seeking Employment

If so, how many hours per week do (will) you work? _____

Will you have to miss rehearsals or performances for your job? Yes No Perhaps

7. In your opinion, what are the three most important duties/functions of a student leader? Please list in order of importance, "1" being most important. Use only the space provided.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

8. List several of your personal attributes that distinguish you among the most qualified to be a student leader. Please be brief.

9. What aspect(s) of your character, if any, will you need to modify most in order to be an effective student leader?

McNEIL HIGH SCHOOL BAND
Leadership Agreement

Student Agreement:

I understand that student leaders in the McNeil High School Band are as vital to our program as staff members and that they are therefore expected to make a commitment of time and energy beyond that required of the regular band member. This includes attendance at all rehearsals, summer band activities, all performances, and at the leadership camp (Wednesday, July 22 through Friday, July 24, 2015; cost approx. \$50).

I understand that as a leader, my attendance at all performances is critical and mandatory except in the case of extreme emergency. I agree to select dates for standardized tests that are compatible with the rehearsal, contest and performance schedule as published.

2015 Contest Dates BOA Austin – Saturday, September 26 (volunteer)
 Vista Ridge Marching Contest – Saturday, October 3
 Texas Marching Classic – Saturday, October 10
 UIL Region Marching Contest – Saturday, October 17
 US Bands Remo Finale – Saturday, October 31

I understand that this commitment is for the entire school year, not just the marching season. I also understand that I will forfeit my leadership position if I become academically ineligible under UIL rules at any time during the school year. If I am selected as a student leader, I accept these responsibilities.

Student's name printed

Student's signature

Date

Parent's Permission:

I am aware that my son/daughter is seeking a position as a student leader in the McNeil High School Band, and I have read the student agreement above. I am also aware that the responsibilities associated with any leadership position require extra time in the form of group planning meetings, help sessions, leadership training, etc. I also understand that leaders must attend all rehearsals and performances and that conflicts with other organizations, standardized testing dates, etc., while not prohibitive for band membership, may be prohibitive for those in leadership positions.

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My son/daughter has my permission to attend the summer leadership camp (Wednesday, July 22 through Friday, July 24, 2015; cost approx. \$50). I support my child's pursuit of these responsibilities and give him/her my permission to participate in all activities associated with student leadership.

Parent's signature

Date