



TMEA Region XVI Middle School Band Audition Information

4:30PM Thursday, November 3rd, 2022

10:00AM Saturday, November 5th, 2022

Heritage Middle School

6110 73rd St Lubbock, TX 79424 (73rd and Iola)

Thursday Auditions: Oboe, Bassoon, Bass Clarinet, Eb Contra Bass Clarinet, All Saxes, Baritone, Tuba

Saturday Auditions: Flute, Clarinet, F Horn, Trumpet, Trombone, Percussion

(You do not need to be at the other auditions if your instrument is not auditioning that day)

4:00pm Thursday/9:15am Saturday- Arrive

Enter through the cafeteria door #6 facing to the west

Registration – GYM (On Thursday, if school is still in session at HMS, stay in the cafeteria)

You will keep your cases in the gym either in the stands or by the wall. *Have your name on your instrument.*

You will report to the correct holding room by 4:00 PM (Thursday) or 9:15am (Saturday)

You will sit quietly in the bleachers and wait for your name to be called.

(Technology and headphones are allowed in the gym)

You will be given an audition letter – **remember it!**

You will be taken in instrument groups to the warmup and audition rooms at the appropriate times.

4:30pm Thursday/10:00am Saturday - Auditions begin

Important Information

In the Holding Room - GYM

No playing will be allowed here.

No horseplay or running.

Keep voices quiet.

Listen to announcements.

In the Warmup Room

When you are given time to warm-up, use it wisely.

You will mark any cuts on your music. BRING A PENCIL!

You will be seated in order and expected to remain in your chairs during warmup.

In the Audition Room

There will be marked music in the audition room.

In the audition room, you will be given two minutes of group warm-up.

Each person will take their turn in the audition seat.

The order of performance will be:

2 Major Scales (as chosen by the judging panel)

Chromatic Scale

Lyrical Etude

Technical Etude

Percussion order:

*Snare Drum

*Keyboard

*Timpani

After your audition

- Your group will be taken to the cafeteria. You should still have all your belongings with you. Do not discuss the cut with anyone.
- You may stay and **wait for results** to be posted in the cafeteria – this usually takes about 30-45 minutes after the last person has auditioned on an instrument.