

REGION 4 BAND ~ AUDITION CHECKLIST SATURDAY, JANUARY 11, 2020

LOCATION

Summerville High School	1101 Boone Hill Road	Summerville, SC 29483-2499

WHAT TO BRING

✓ Instrument and mouthpiece ✓ Percussion: Mallets, sticks, (snare drum)

✓ Audition Ticket (attached) ✓ Timpani: pitch pipe, mallets

✓ Extra Reeds/Cork Grease/Valve Oil
 ✓ Music

WHEN YOU ARRIVE AT LOCATION

1. Follow signs that say "Audition Parking". Park, and follow the signs for registration

2. Check in at the Registration Table to find your audition room number

3. Go to the "Warm Up" area

4. There should be a table or maps posted showing you where your audition room is located (If not, please get this information from the registration table). Make sure that you look for the "JUNIOR (flutes, trumpets, etc.)". Go locate your room.

5. Go back to the auditorium and warm up. No more than 10 to 15 minutes. Don't overdo it!

5 MINUTES BEFORE YOUR AUDITION TIME

- Go to your audition room. Make sure you have instrument, music (order of scales listed), audition ticket.
- 2. Hand your audition ticket to the page (person sitting in front of the room)
- 3. Take a deep breath, and RELAX! GOOD LUCK!
- 4. Remember ~ You may ask the judge, "May I please play a few notes to warm up?

AFTER THE AUDITION:

- Relax and Celebrate! You are done with your audition!
- The Directors will receive UNOFFICIAL results for Region Band on Monday or Tuesday morning.
- PLEASE NOTE ~ Results are not finalized until AFTER the All-State auditions on January 26.
 After Region auditions, directors will be sent a list of students who received a call-back to audition for the All-State Band. You will have a general idea of whether you may be in Region Symphonic or Concert Band, but again, we will not receive the final Region band rosters until after the All-State audition.

REMINDERS

- Arrive AT LEAST 45 minutes before your scheduled audition time. You will need time to register, find your room, and warm up.
- **Do Not** speak in the audition room unless the judge speaks to you first.
- **Do Not** play your instrument in any area other than designated "warm up area" and your audition room.
- Be on your best behavior. Remember, you are not only representing yourself, but our band program and our school.
- Dress nicely, and thank the judges for listening to you. It never hurts!
- Have fun and enjoy playing your instrument! Even if you don't have the "perfect audition", you have become a better musician by this experience.
- There may be drinks and snacks for sale if you would like to purchase them. If you eat or drink, make sure you rinse your mouth before you play.

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