



Join the Oakton Band!



COURSE NUMBER	ENSEMBLE	DESCRIPTION
923415 923315	Advanced Band Level 1/Band Level 1 "Concert Band 2"	Rising 9th graders and new students to band register here. Exact band placements will be made after auditions are complete. <u>Marching Band is optional</u>
923416 923316	Advanced Band Level 2/ Band Level 2 "Concert Band 1"	Students who have been in band. Present members instructed to sign up for this class again and will be auditioned for upper level classes in May/June. <u>Marching Band is optional</u>
923417	Advanced Band Level 3 "Symphonic Band"	Auditions in May/June. <u>Marching Band required (with some limited exceptions)</u>
924016	Jazz Ensemble	<u>Must be enrolled in a band class</u> (exceptions for keyboard, guitar, and bass guitar). Meets after school for credit. Begins mid-fall after the conclusion of the marching season.
922604	AP Music Theory	Open to grades 10-12.

**** ALL BANDS ARE OPEN TO 9th GRADERS ****

Marching Band ◊ Concert Band ◊ Color Guard ◊ Jazz Band ◊ Drumline ◊ Indoor Winter Guard

Band "Mythbusters"

1. It is possible to do athletics and band.
2. You can do clubs and honor societies and band.
3. You can do band all four years and still get the most advanced diploma.
4. You can still get into a great college without taking every AP class.

Important Dates

- 8th Grade Auditions: April 15 (woodwinds) and April 16 (brass/percussion)
 - 6:30pm at Oakton HS
 - You may audition on the other day if you have a scheduling conflict
- Marching Band online registration begins May 1st
- Mandatory new marcher meeting May 13th
- Marching Band camp: July 29-August 9, 2024

Questions?

Ask Dr. VanValkenburg (director@oaktonbands.org)

For more information on Oakton Bands go to: www.oaktonbands.org