

# JANUARY 10-14, 2022:

## EXAM WEEK

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Welcome back to a new week, everyone. There isn't much new for this week, but please make sure you give everything a read to ensure that you are caught up on what is going on with the band program right now! Thanks for an awesome first semester!

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### What's Happening this Week?

<u>Monday, January 10:</u>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Period Exam Day. Early Dismissal.</b> <b>Band Booster Meeting, 6:30 pm</b> Eat. Sleep. Practice. Repeat.
<u>Tuesday, January 11:</u>	<b>2 Period Exam Day. Early Dismissal.</b> Eat. Sleep. Practice. Repeat.
<u>Wednesday, January 12:</u>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Period Exam Day. Early Dismissal.</b> Eat. Sleep. Practice. Repeat.
<u>Thursday, January 13:</u>	<b>4<sup>th</sup> Period Exam Day. Early Dismissal.</b> Eat. Sleep. Practice. Repeat.
<u>Friday, January 14:</u>	<b>Make-Up Exam Day. Early Dismissal.</b> <b>Winter Guard Payment #2 Due</b> <b>All-District Audition Videos Due</b> Eat. Sleep. Practice. Repeat.
<u>Saturday, January 15:</u>	<b>Winter Guard Rehearsal, 8:00 am – 1:00 pm</b> Eat. Sleep. Practice. Repeat.
<u>Sunday, January 16:</u>	Eat. Sleep Practice. Repeat.

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### In Other News...

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**Band Booster Meeting:** Our January 2022 Band Booster meeting will be January 10 at 6:30 pm in the Band Room.

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**Winter Guard Rehearsals & Commitment Forms:** There will be no Winter Guard rehearsals will be this week except for Saturday, January 15 from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm. Commitment Forms & Payment #1 were due before Christmas Break, so please turn those in as quickly as possible if you missed the deadline! **Payment #2 is scheduled to be due on January 14, 2022.**

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**All-District Honors Band Auditions:** Over the break, the South Central District Bandmasters Association Board voted to move All-District Band auditions to a virtual format for this year. The clinic itself will still be in-person should you make the ensemble. This is not a decision that I made, so don't shoot the messenger. You will receive the scales, audition cuts, and submission information for uploading your video around January 10. **There is no longer a sight-reading component to the audition.**

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**Marching Band Leadership Training:** Any student who is interested in being on the Leadership Team and/or auditioning for Drum Major is required to attend Leadership Training. The training sessions will be on Tuesdays from 2:30-3:30 pm beginning on January 25. [Students should also purchase this book prior to arriving.](#)

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**Student Fees:** All students in the band class have a \$10 semester fee that the county charges to help offset the cost of materials used in the band class. We also have a \$25 per semester fee for those who are renting an instrument from the school. These fees can be paid through the K-12 Payment Portal (<https://www.k12paymentcenter.com/>). ~~These fees were to be paid by September 10, 2021.~~

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### CCHS Band Calendar

#### January 2022

9	10 Early Dismissal  Band Booster Meeting, 6:30 pm	11 Early Dismissal	12 Early Dismissal	13 Early Dismissal	14 Early Dismissal  Winter Guard Payment #2 Due  All-District Audition Videos Due	15 Winter Guard Rehearsal, 8:00 am – 1:00 pm
16	17 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day (No School)	18 Teacher Workday (No School/Rehearsals)	19	20 Winter Guard Rehearsal, 5:00-8:00 pm	21	22 Winter Guard Rehearsal, 8:00 am – 1:00 pm
23	24	25 Leadership Training, 2:30-3:30 pm  Winter Guard Rehearsal, 5:00-8:00 pm	26	27 Winter Guard Rehearsal, 5:00-8:00 pm	28 All-District Band Clinic	29 All-District Band Clinic  CWEA Premiere North
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#### February 2022

		1 Lunar New Year  Leadership Training, 2:30-3:30 pm  Winter Guard Rehearsal, 5:00-8:00 pm	2 Groundhog Day	3 Winter Guard Rehearsal, 5:00-8:00 pm	4	5 Winter Guard Rehearsal, 8:00 am – 1:00 pm
6	7 Band Booster Meeting, 6:30 pm	8 Leadership Training, 2:30-3:30 pm  Winter Guard Rehearsal, 5:00-8:00 pm	9	10 Winter Guard Rehearsal, 5:00-8:00 pm	11 Cabarrus All-County Band Clinic	12 Cabarrus All-County Band Clinic  Winter Guard Rehearsal, 8:00 am – 1:00 pm
13	14 Valentine's Day	15 Leadership Training, 2:30-3:30 pm  Winter Guard Rehearsal, 5:00-8:00 pm	16	17 Winter Guard Rehearsal, 5:00-8:00 pm	18	19 Winter Guard Rehearsal, 8:00 am – 1:00 pm
20	21 President's Day (No School)	22 Leadership Training, 2:30-3:30 pm  Winter Guard Rehearsal, 5:00-8:00 pm	23	24 Winter Guard Rehearsal, 5:00-8:00 pm	25	26 CWEA Rock Hill
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