

JANUARY 16-20, 2023: FINAL EXAMS CONTINUE

Welcome back to another week, everyone. This week continues and concludes exam week. After this week we kick off the new semester. If you are continuing classes with us into the second semester, please be sure to continue practicing so that we do not lose a lot of ground that we have already gained from our MPA pieces.

What's Happening this Week?

<u>Monday, January 16:</u>	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day (No School) Eat. Sleep. Practice. Repeat.
<u>Tuesday, January 17:</u>	2nd Period Final Exam Eat. Sleep. Practice. Repeat.
<u>Wednesday, January 18:</u>	3rd Period Final Exam Eat. Sleep. Practice. Repeat.
<u>Thursday, January 19:</u>	4th Period Final Exam Eat. Sleep. Practice. Repeat.
<u>Friday, January 20:</u>	Make-Up Final Exam Eat. Sleep. Practice. Repeat.
<u>Saturday, January 21:</u>	Eat. Sleep. Practice. Repeat.
<u>Sunday, January 22:</u>	Eat. Sleep. Practice. Repeat.

In Other News...

Final Exams: The band final will be a two-part final exam – playing and music theory. The playing portion of the final exam will be submitted before our scheduled in-person time. The music theory portion will be completed during our scheduled test day. **Part One of the final exam is now open. Please be sure to pace yourself as you record and edit your videos for submission.**

Pathways to Success Leadership Training: Leadership Training for the 2023-24 CCHS Bands season begins on Tuesday, January 24. The class will meet on Tuesdays from 2:45-3:45 pm. **All members who are planning on participating in the CCHS Marching Vikings should attend these sessions.** [Participants will need to purchase this book prior to the first session.](#)

Basketball Games (Help Needed!): Our band program has been working concessions for basketball games this season as a fundraiser. There are several games coming up that we will need help staffing. Those dates are January 31, February 7, 10, 21, 23, 25, and 28. If you are available to help us out, please email Kristina Venable (Kristina.venable@yahoo.com) to sign up!

Band Camp Dates & Vacation Planning: We are still a little bit away from the marching band info meeting, revealing the new show, band banquet, Mini Camp, etc. But I wanted to let everyone know that due to the new academic calendar set by Cabarrus County Schools, the Band Camp dates for this year are July 17-21 and July 24-28. Summer rehearsals will proceed leading into those dates. **Please plan vacations accordingly since Band Camp is a requirement for all members. Members who miss Band Camp will be dismissed from the program.**

School-Owned Instruments/Instrument Repairs: If you are in need of a school-owned instrument, please email me to set-up a time to get your instrument (joshua.adams@cabarrus.k12.nc.us). If you are in need of an instrument repair, please let me know!

January 2023

15	16 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day (No School)	17 2 nd Period Final Exam	18 3 rd Period Final Exam	19 4 th Period Final Exam Winter Guard Rehearsal (HRHS), 5:00-8:00 pm	20 Make-Up Final Exam Day	21 Winter Guard Staging Camp 3
22 Lunar New Year	23 Teacher Workday (No School)	24 <i>Pathways to Success</i> Leadership Training, 2:45-3:45 pm Winter Guard Rehearsal (HRHS), 5:00-8:00 pm	25	26 Winter Guard Rehearsal (HRHS), 5:00-8:00 pm	27 All-District Band Clinic Winter Guard Rehearsal & Parent Preview (HRHS), 5:00-8:00 pm	28 All-District Band Clinic Winter Guard Preview @ Northwestern
29	30	31 CCHS Basketball Concessions <i>Pathways to Success</i> Leadership Training, 2:45-3:45 pm Winter Guard Rehearsal (HRHS), 5:00-8:00 pm				

February 2023

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5	6 Band Booster Meeting, 6:30 pm	7 CCHS Basketball Concessions <i>Pathways to Success</i> Leadership Training, 2:45-3:45 pm Winter Guard Rehearsal (HRHS), 5:00-8:00 pm	8	9 Winter Guard Rehearsal (HRHS), 5:00-8:00 pm	10 Teacher Workday (No School) All-County Band Clinic CCHS Basketball Concessions	11 All-County Band Clinic Percussion Camp w/ Mr. Patrick WG Camp Day
12	13	14 Valentine's Day <i>Pathways to Success</i> Leadership Training, 2:45-3:45 pm Winter Guard Rehearsal (HRHS), 5:00-8:00 pm	15	16 Winter Guard Rehearsal (HRHS), 5:00-8:00 pm	17	18 Winter Guard @ Mooresville
19	20 President's Day (No School)	21 CCHS Basketball Concessions <i>Pathways to Success</i> Leadership Training, 2:45-3:45 pm Winter Guard Rehearsal (HRHS), 5:00-8:00 pm	22 Ash Wednesday	23 CCHS Basketball Concessions Winter Guard Rehearsal (HRHS), 5:00-8:00 pm	24	25 CCHS Basketball Concessions Percussion Camp w/ Mr. Patrick
26	27	28 CCHS Basketball Concessions <i>Pathways to Success</i> Leadership Training, 2:45-3:45 pm				