



# THE MUSIC DEPARTMENT OF CRANDALL ISD

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Dear Crandall Band Parent,

The Crandall Fine Arts Department is proud to announce the 2023 Sounds of Spring Concert. We are happy to continue in the tradition of providing great musical performances to the Crandall Community. The Sounds of Spring Concert will be held at Crandall Middle School on Thursday, April 27. It will include performances from all our CMS and CHS Bands and Choirs.

Arrival times will vary for students. See the schedule below.

## Performance Schedule

6:00 PM	Beginner Band	Auditorium
6:30 PM	MS & HS Choirs	Cafeteria
7:30 PM	CMS Symphonic Band	Auditorium
7:45 PM	CMS Wind Ensemble	Auditorium
8:00 PM	HS Bands	Auditorium

**Students are required to arrive 30 minutes prior to their performance.** Beginners will need to be in place (with music and instruments) in the auditorium by 5:30 PM. CMS Symphonic Band and Wind Ensemble will setup in the band hall 30 minutes prior to their performance.

Once students finish their performance, they have 2 options:

- Be seated with their parent/guardian to watch remaining performances
- Pack up their equipment and leave the event (to facilitate additional seating for other attendees)

Tickets to the event **must be purchased in advance using GoFan.** Tickets are \$6 each. Performers do not need a ticket. You must use your mobile device to present your purchased tickets at the gate. All non-school age children are admitted free.

All band members will wear their new band polo with school dress code pants. Band shirts were provided to students recently during class. Shirts are included in band fees. If your student does not yet have their shirt, please have them see their band director.

As with all of our group performances, attendance is expected and essential for all band members. All performances are a part of our students' grades. In order to perform however, students must be eligible according to UIL requirements. Students that are not able to attend will have an alternate assignment.

The Sounds of Spring Concert will be an incredible event that we hope will continue to be a long-lived Crandall tradition. We look forward to seeing you there!

Thank you,

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