## **COURSE OVERVIEW**

High School band is a combination of marching and concert instruction. Students will study multiple pieces of music at one time, reinforcing basic skills such as notereading, rhythms, tone quality, and instrument specific skills. This course is based around performances. These events are required and will be included in grading. (Performances will be on hold during virtual learning)

## **POLICIES**

#### Grading

We will follow all DCPS and NDHS grading policies. Students will complete formative and summative assessments over the course of the semester. Formatives are designed to check understanding and keep students progressing. Summatives will measure mastery at the end of a unit or idea.

#### Classroom

- -Students will be expected to attend class as much as possible.
- -All assignments will be available on Schoology in case missing a class is necessary.
- -Participation in class activities is mandatory. This is a performance based class that will require students to complete performance based activities. This can be accomplished by recording audio or video through the schoology system.
- Students should show respect to all others in the class. We are all about being constructive!

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# REQUIRED MATERIALS AND RESOURCES

Instrument - Can be provided by NDHS in certain circumstances.

Pencil

Sheet Music - Provided by NDHS

Uniform – Mostly provided by NDHS (details to follow as virtual learning continues)

## OUTLINE

Unit 1 - Bb

Unit 2 - Eb

Unit 3 - C

Unit 4 - F

Unit 5 - G

Unit 6 – D

Unit 7 - Ab

Unit 8 - A

Unit 9 - Db