

STUDENT APPLICATION

School District _____

**Directors: Please numerically rank each of your school's applicants with #1 as your top choice.*

Director's Rank: _____

Student Name (as it would appear on the program): _____

Instrument: _____ Secondary Instrument: _____

Grade _____

Sex: Male / Female

Years of Private study _____

IF SELECTED, my child, _____, has permission to participate in the Lawrence County 7-8 or H.S. All-Star Band Festival at Westminster College on Tuesday, January 6, 2015 with a weather make-up date on January 7, 2015. By signing, I agree that I will not hold the school or host director responsible for any accident and/or injury that may occur. I also agree to the festival policies listed on the reverse side of this application

Parent Signature _____ Date _____

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Director Signature _____ Date _____

Principal Signature _____ Date _____

Please list any type of special medical/medication information needed:

Emergency Contact: **Parent/Guardian name** (print): _____

Phone: _____

***Please return this form to your director and postmark by October 10:**

**Attn: Jonathan Nickel
Wilmington Area High School
350 Wood Street
New Wilmington, PA 16142**

FESTIVAL POLICY/RULES:

ACADEMIC POLICY:

Students wishing to be considered for participation in the Lawrence County All-Star Bands must be in good standing with their home school districts and band program and concert band. Students must be in good academic and behavioral standing as determined by their home school director or administration in order to participate in this festival.

CELL PHONE POLICY:

This is a music festival and should be treated as one. The individual County schools have a policy that says no cell phones during school hours. For these two reasons band members should turn off cell phones while on stage and throughout the day. After school hours, about 3:20 p.m., if there is a break, is the only time cell phones may be used. If I see a band member using a cell phone at the incorrect time, you will probably be removed from the festival. Please follow the rules, be appropriate in your behavior, and let's have a great festival.

CONCERT ATTIRE:

Students in the 9-12 high school band will wear their school's marching band uniform. No color guard, dance line, or band front type uniforms are allowed. Students in the 7th – 8th grade band should wear formal black and white attire with dress shoes. Dresses must be knee length; skirts are not acceptable attire.

ATTENDANCE POLICY:

You are required to be on time, and to remain, for all scheduled events during the festival. In the event of an emergency, i.e. death, or severe illness, which may prevent attendance, the host director must be informed immediately. In the event that a student must leave any part of the rehearsal for any reason other than an emergency, approval must first be granted from the host director and the student's school director with advanced notice. Students may not leave the designated areas while at the festival.

LIABILITY POLICY:

If you are found responsible for stealing or vandalism, you and/or your parents will assume full financial responsibility.

**The host director reserves the right to remove any student(s) who fail to adhere with the festival policies.*