

LAKESIDE HIGH SCHOOL INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC DEPT.

Varsity Band Letter Requirements

Any Band Student wishing to Letter in Band must receive an “A” for all of the grading periods that they are enrolled in Band and must accumulate 300 participation points from the following list for the current school year. Participation Points cannot be carried over from the previous school year.

CURRICULAR & CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- Participate in Band -----175 pts.
- Participate in Jazz Band/Stage Band-----75 pts. each
- Participate in Pep Band-----50 pts.
- Participate in LHS Orchestra Class -----100 pts.
- Participate in LHS Musical (either onstage, backstage, or Pit Orchestra) -----50 pts.
- Successfully participate in Solo & Ensemble Event:
 - ♪ Superior Rating on solo/ensemble -----50 pts.
 - ♪ Excellent Rating on solo/ensemble-----25 pts.
- Approved Audition for Area/State Honor Band -----15 pts.
- Participate in Area/State Honor Band -----50 pts.

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- Active Member of our school’s Tri-M Music Honor Society Chapter-----25 pts.
- Take private lessons on approved instrument on a regular basis from -----2 pts. Per Director or an approved teacher
- Gain points by attending (not participating in) a musical production/concert-----5 pts. Per approved by the Director (20 pts. Max per Quarter)
- Participate in an area music ensemble/orchestra/band/choir -----50 pts. Per (Erie Jr. Phil, CYWS, COYO, etc.) approved by the Director. This does not include Church ensembles (choirs, bands, etc.), must be an outside organization.
- Gain points by participating in an approved musical performance other than ----Points TBD those required (except for ensembles approved in EC Activities #3)
- Other non-school musical activities as deemed appropriate -----Points TBD AND approved by the Director

This system is designed to reward those that exhibit high standards of talent, performance, participation, and dedication in the field of music.

Only one (1) Varsity Letter or Service Bar can be earned in each school year. Earning additional points towards lettering is exceptional, but they only count towards the current school year and cannot be carried over to the next.

A checklist will be given to all students to help keep track of your lettering requirements as you complete them. The attached checklist, with proper documentation of items completed, will be the official lettering application that will be due by May 8th of each school year. **Any applications turned in after this date, will not be considered for lettering purposes.**

First Letter

Recipient shall receive:

1. Varsity Letter
2. Letter Certificate

Second & Succeeding Letters

Recipient shall receive:

1. Insert emblematic of Music/Bar
2. Letter Certificate

