Symphonic Band and Wind Ensemble Festival May 12, 2023



Festival Details

On May 12, 2023, CMS Symphonic Band and Wind Ensemble will perform at the Music Across Texas Festival at Epic Waters in Grand Prairie. Symphonic Band will perform at 11:30 AM and Wind Ensemble will perform at 12:20 PM. Students will have access to Epic Waters during free time between lunch and their performance. We will depart CMS at 8:30, and return at 3:45. Parents are welcome to watch the performance. Parents are responsible for their own transportation, food and entertainment. Students must use school transportation to and from the event.

Students should arrive to school in school-acceptable shorts or jeans, and their band shirts. Students can wear swimsuits under their clothes. There will be changing facilities at Epic Waters, along with lockers that students can rent for a small fee. Students will need to bring a towel and sunscreen. Students will be required to ride the bus to Crandall in dry clothes.

Students that utilize the waterpark at Epic Waters will be required to wear swimsuits. Swimsuits should be modest. Acceptable swimsuits for ladies are one-piece swimsuits or two-piece swimsuits that completely cover the stomach. Acceptable swimwear for gentlemen is long swim shorts, while wearing a t-shirt whenever possible.

The event will cost \$43 and includes:

- Performance fees
- Burger or hotdog lunch with chips and a drink
- Water park admission
- Arcade card

Permission slips and fees are due on April 3, 2023. No refunds can be made.

As this is an extra-curricular event, your child must be eligible according to UIL standards in order to participate. We cannot guarantee refunds for any student that is not eligible to attend. Students must also meet our travel standards.

CMS Band Travel Standards

Band students represent our program and CISD on and off campus. Students must abide by all school policies when we travel. Any of the following criteria may prohibit students from travel with our organization:

-Any two ISS or OSS placements

- -Any single DAEP placement
- -Any more than 5 tardies to band class
- -Any single skipped band class
- -Missed band performance
- -Academic ineligibility

Students must also meet a music performance standard in order to attend band contest.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Fee for this trip is \$43. Some students still owe their band fee as well. Review the information below to see your financial statement.

Student Name:	Name
Band Fee Paid:	Band Fee Paid
Band Fee Balance:	Band Fee Balance
Trip Fee Balance:	Trip Fee

TOTAL BALANCE: Total Balance

Students must pay band fees before they receive their required band performance shirt.

All fees and permission slips are due on April 3, 2023

HOW TO PAY

- Use the QR Code to Crandall's RevTrak
- Band Fees and Trip Fees can be found in the Middle School section of Crandall's RevTrak page.



Alternately, you can send cash or check (written to CISD) in an envelope to band class with your student.

Upcoming Performance Dates

- April 27 Sounds of Spring Concert at CMS (required performance for all band members) Students will wear school dress code bottoms with their band shirts, tucked in with a belt.
- May 11 Night of Percussion Concert at CMS (more details TBA)