

1st Quarter Objectives Page
3rd and 7th Period Concert Band

Name _____
Blackman High School Band 2018-2019

Formative Assessments include the objectives below and are 50% of the student's total grade.

Students will be asked to perform specific scales from memory during class. Students will have one (1) chance to perform the scale. An "error" is defined as a wrong note, a severely out of tune note, or a disturbance of the time and/or rhythm. Each error is worth five (5) points and the errors will be tallied at the end of the performance and deducted from 100 for the scale grade. Scales not performed the correct number of octaves as per the mid-state range requirements will be handled at the director's discretion. Students will be allowed one (1) retake for any scale (before school, C&I, after school) and whichever grade is the highest will be the grade that will be assigned. Any and all retakes must occur before the end of school on Friday, 9/21/18.

1. Concert Bb Major Scale – week of August 13
2. Concert Eb Major Scale – week of August 20
3. Chromatic Scale – week of August 27
4. Concert F Major Scale – week of September 4
5. Concert Ab Major Scale – week of September 10
6. Concert Db Major Scale – week of September 17

A short music excerpt will be performed in class and will serve as a chair placement audition. This excerpt will be graded by the individual performance rubric. Students are expected to prepare this piece outside of class. This assignment may not be made-up. **The audition will take place on Monday, August 20.**

7. Chair Audition

The following worksheets will be completed in class.

8. Key Signature Worksheet (flat keys only)
9. Rhythm Worksheet
10. Music Theory Worksheet

Grading scale for Music Worksheets: The grade you earn is the grade you receive. If a student chooses to retake a worksheet, ONE re-take is allowed. The higher score will be the grade.

Students are expected to come to class prepared. This means having your instrument and all necessary equipment for the rehearsal (reeds, mouthpiece, valve oil, mutes, sticks/mallets, pad/stand, etc.). Students are expected to be in their seat with music (folder, Foundations Book, warm-up exercises, concert music, etc.) and a pencil. Failure to do so will result in a deduction of 2 points per missing item or infraction. Students should be rehearsal ready and focused throughout the rehearsal. Any disruptions (talking or otherwise) will result in a deduction from the participation grade. This will be at the discretion of the directors.

11. Participation & Rehearsal Techniques

Summative Assessments include the rehearsals/performances below and are 50% of the student's total grade.

Concert Dress Rehearsals: September 24, 25

Band Concert: September 27

Football Band rehearsals: Aug. 9, 16, 23, 30, Sept. 6, 20 (This grade is for Half-time Band members only.)

Football Band performances: Aug. 17, Sept. 7, 14, 21

All grades must be completed by the end of the 9-week grading period. Any missing grades will result in a zero. No incompletes allowed!

See reverse side for important dates

Important Dates

Mondays – Drumline (4-6pm)

Aug. 13, 20, 27, Sept. 10, 17, 24

Tuesdays - Rock Band (3:45-5pm) & Color Guard Practice (4-6pm)

Aug. 14, 21, 28, Sept. 4, 11, 18

August 9 Football Band Rehearsal, 3:45pm-6pm

August 14 Booster Meeting, 7pm

August 16 Football Band Rehearsal, 3:45pm-6pm

August 17 Football Game v. Hendersonville (away)

August 23 Football Band Rehearsal, 3:45pm-6pm

August 30 Football Band Rehearsal, 3:45-6pm

September 6 Football Band Rehearsal, 3:45pm-6pm

September 7 Football Game v. Smyrna (away)

September 11 Booster Meeting, 7pm

September 13 Early Dismissal Day – NO FOOTBALL BAND PRACTICE

September 14 Football Game v. Siegel (HOME)

September 17 Dress Rehearsal: Symphonic Band 3:45-4:45, Wind Ensemble 4:45-6pm

September 20 Football Band Rehearsal, 3:45pm-6pm

September 21 Football Game v. Oakland (away)

September 24 Dress Rehearsal: Concert Band 3:45-5pm

September 25 Dress Rehearsal for ALL (Concert, 3:45-4:25, Symphonic, 4:25-5:10, Wind Ensemble 5:10-6pm)

September 27 Band Concert, 7pm (no football band rehearsal)

September 29 End of the 1st quarter