

*Permission Slip*  
**Illinois Music Education Association All-District Auditions**  
**Monday, October 9<sup>th</sup>, Highland Middle School**

Your musician is invited to audition for the IMEA District 6 Honor Band and Jazz Band. The audition is an extreme challenge and private lessons are strongly recommended to help prepare. There is an audition fee of \$10 that covers both transportation and the IMEA fee. If students are auditioning for both Jazz and Concert, there is an addition \$5 fee for the second audition. Students should only audition if they can commit to the respective Festivals on November 11th at Belleville East High School (for Jazz) and November 18th at SIUC (for Concert) if accepted. The audition music is available at [www.of90bands.com](http://www.of90bands.com) under the IMEA page.

*Required Dates:*

**Monday, October 2nd, 5:00-8:30pm at Carriel Jr. High School (TIMES BY APPOINTMENT)**

- Mock Auditions at Carriel Jr. High
- We will bring in outside judges to hear the students Mock Audition and to work with them
- This is a great way for students to work through nerves and help them to have the best audition possible.
- Students should plan on dressing nicely, as they will for the real audition.
- [Signup Genius for Mock Auditions](#)

**Monday, October 9th, 6:45am at Carriel Jr. High School (TIMES SUBJECT TO CHANGE!)**

- Bus will depart for Highland at 7am
- Students should dress nicely for the audition and bring small snacks and a water bottle
- The bus will return at approximately 1pm (depending on audition times)
- Students will have specifically scheduled audition times this year

**Jazz-Saturday, November 11th, All Day at Belleville East High School (If Accepted)**

- IMEA District 6 Jazz Festival
- The festival culminates with a concert, parents, friends, and family are encouraged to attend
- **Transportation will not be provided to or from the festival.**

**Concert Band-Saturday, November 18th, All Day at SIUC (If Accepted)**

- IMEA District 6 Honor Band Festival
- Bus will depart early in the morning, time TBD
- The festival culminates with a concert, parents, friends, and family are encouraged to attend
- **Transportation will not be provided home from Carbondale.**

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**Return permission slip to Mr. Donahue no later than Friday, September 22nd.**

**Audition Fee-\$10 or \$15 for both jazz and concert band.**

**\* All checks should be made to CJHS**

My student will ride the bus both ways: \_\_\_\_\_

My Student will ride the bus to Highland: \_\_\_\_\_

My student will not be riding the bus: \_\_\_\_\_

*I, the parent or guardian of the above named student, give my permission for my child to participate in audition and the festival if accepted.*

Signature:   X  \_\_\_\_\_

*Thank you for being a part of music education in O'Fallon!*  
*Please contact me at [mdonahue@of90.net](mailto:mdonahue@of90.net) if you have any questions or concerns.*