

VISTA Band Lettering Policy

While band is a class at Saint Thomas Academy/Visitation School, many of our activities occur outside the regularly scheduled school day. To recognize, and encourage attendance and participation in these activities, band members may earn points toward the VISTA band letter. Points are awarded as a means of determining when a student has earned their letter.

You must earn 50 points each academic year to be eligible to receive a band letter. Keep this sheet in your music folder and tally your events and point. Please submit during the last month of school.

Performance Activities	Points Possible	Points Earned
Marching Band Camp Attendance (1/day)	13	
Pep Band Attendance (1 per event)	TBD	
Pep Band Attendance Bonus (attended all regular season scheduled events)	10	
Section Leader/Drum Major	10	
Solo/Ensemble Excellent Rating	5	
Solo/Ensemble Superior Rating	10	
Jazz Ensemble Member	20	
VISTA Pit Orchestra	15	
Middle School Band Mentor (5 per concert)	15	
All State Band Audition	10	
Music Listening Team	10	
Private Lessons (your band instrument)	20	
Private Lessons (other instrument)	10	
Non-school concert attendance (with written review)	Negotiable	
College Honor Band	Negotiable	
Other???	Negotiable	
Service Activities		
Concert Set Up/Moving (5/per concert)	15	
Concert Set Up/Moving Bonus (move all 3 concerts)	10	
Service Work (library, sorting, cleaning)	Negotiable	
Leadership/Honors		
Summer Band/Orchestra Camp	10	
Band Council Member	5	
All State Band Membership	20	
GTYCYS/MYS (or other ensemble) Membership	20	
Classic Suburban Honor Band	10	
Other???	Negotiable	
	Total	