

Jackson Summer Band Program 2025

The 66th annual Jackson Summer Band Program will take place at the **Middle School at Parkside**, beginning Monday, June 9th, and concluding Friday June 27th. Courses will consist of one 55-minute session per day, Monday through Friday. Instruments will be furnished if needed and classes will be open to all area students, grades 4 through 12, including those from surrounding districts. Tuition is \$100 per class. (Summer Band may be canceled if there is a lack of enrollment). Students are welcome to the free lunch typically offered during the lunch hour in the café.

Course Descriptions

Beginning Percussion – Class study of snare drum, bass drum, and bells. No experience necessary.

Intermediate Percussion – Same as above with increased difficulty. One year of experience necessary.

Advanced Percussion – Advanced study of marching percussion. For 2+ years of experience.

Beginning Band – Class study of wind instruments (woodwind & brass) for students with no previous instrumental music experience, or for students who wish to study a “second” instrument. Instructors will demonstrate instruments and advise students as to most appropriate selection.

Intermediate Band – For students who have 6 months through 1 year of experience on their instrument.

Advanced Band – For students who have more than 1 year of experience on their instrument.

Independent Study – These small classes utilize an individualized, diagnostic-type approach, well suited for self-motivated students who wish to work at their own pace. For those who wish to improve specific skills.

Jazz Band – Two years experience or director recommendation required, or audition on Saxophone, Trumpet, Trombone, Piano/Keyboard, Electric or String Bass, Drum Set.

Detach and return this portion to the **Middle School at Parkside Band Room, 2400 Fourth Street, Jackson, MI 49203**. Please enclose a check or money order for the full fee (if possible), made payable to Jackson Public Schools. We will not cash them until five (5) days after summer band begins. A deposit of \$20 or more is required to hold a spot. Please attend class on June 9th at the time you have selected. **You will not be notified of acceptance.** For more information you may leave a voicemail at 841-2405

Course Schedule – Circle desired class.

Mr. Krieger

8:00 Percussion – Beginning

9:00 Percussion Intermediate / Advanced Percussion

10:00 Beginning Band

11:00 Intermediate Band

12:00 Advanced Band / Independent Study

1:00 Jazz Band

Name (please print) _____ Preference of

instrument _____

Address _____ Grade next year _____ School next year

Phone _____

Parent signature _____

Date

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