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## **2018-2019 Downing Middle School Beginning Band Calendar**

Dates in bold print are mandatory events for a grade

### **August**

- 21 Beginning Band Parent Meeting, 7:30-8:30PM, DMS Cafeteria
- 27 Downing Band Chipotle Bite Nite 4:00-8:00 PM, All Encouraged

### **September**

- 6 Band Booster Meeting, 7:00 PM Downing MS Band Hall, All parents encouraged
- 21 Bandfest, (Advanced Band Students) 5:30-9:00 pm, Marauder Stadium, All, Invited

### **October**

- 4 Band Booster Meeting, 7:00 PM Downing MS Band Hall, All parents encouraged
- 25 Fine Arts Masquerade Ball, 6:00-8:00 PM, DMS Cafeteria, All, Optional

### **November**

- 1 Band Booster Meeting, 7:00 PM Downing MS Band Hall, All parents encouraged
- 6 **Downing Band Mooyah Bite Nite 4:30-8:30 PM, All Encouraged**

### **December**

- 6 Band Booster Meeting, 7:00 PM Downing MS Band Hall, All parents encouraged
- 6 **Beginning Band Rehearsal for Holiday Concert, 4:15-5:30, Band Hall, ALL, Required**
- 10 **Beginning Band Rehearsal for Holiday Concert, 4:15-5:30, Band Hall, ALL, Required**
- 11 **Beginning Band Winter Concert, DMS Cafeteria, 7:30 PM, ALL, Required**

### **January**

- 22 Paintball Social, 4:30-8:00 PM, All, Optional

### **February**

- 11 Marcus Cluster MS Percussion Concert, 7:00 PM, Downing, **Percussion Students Required**
- 13 **Band Pictures (Symphonic Band 7:00 AM - 8:30 AM)**
- 26 Dallas Winds Field Trip, All, 4:30- 10:30 PM, *Optional*

### **April**

- 15 **Beginning Band Rehearsal for Concert, 4:15-5:30, Band Hall, ALL, Required**
- 17 **Beginning Band Solo Contest, DMS, 4:45-6:30, Required, individual times**
- 24 **Beginning Band Rehearsal for Concert, 4:15-5:30, Band Hall, ALL, Required**
- 25 **Spring Concert, DMS Cafeteria, 7:00-8:00PM, All, Required**
- 26 **Beginning Band Performance Trip to PinStack, Plano, 8:00 AM - 2:30 PM, All**

### **May**

- 10 **Band EOY Party at Epic Waters Indoor Water Park, 4:30 - 10:00PM ALL, Optional**
- 16 Downing Band Awards, 7:00 PM, Cafeteria, All, Encouraged

Please note: Additional, *Optional* Social Activities will be added to the calendar. There will be additional costs for these *non-mandatory* events.

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