

## **FAQs from Music Department**

### **Which band should I sign up for, Concert Band or Symphonic Band?**

All incoming 9<sup>th</sup> grade band students should sign up for Concert Band (MUS100). Anyone who passed the audition for Symphonic Band will automatically be enrolled by the counselors. All percussionists, regardless of grade level, should sign up for the percussion ensemble class (MUS1315).

### **Which orchestra should I sign up for, Evergreen, Chamber, or String Orchestra?**

All orchestra students should sign up for the String Orchestra (MUS200). Upon completion of a successful audition, students will automatically be placed in Evergreen or the Chamber Orchestra.

### **Which choir should I sign up for, Women's Choir, Concert Chorale or Vocal Jazz?**

All incoming freshmen girls should sign up for Women's Choir (MUS302). All incoming freshmen boys should sign up Concert Chorale (MUS305). Vocal Jazz auditions have already been submitted for next year.

### **IB Music is only available to Juniors and Seniors.**

All IB Music students must be concurrently enrolled in an performing ensemble class unless they are taking the music composition route. In that case, they must take the Songwriting and Sequencing Class (MUS551) as well as IB Music Composition and Creation (MUS666).

### **General Music Classes each last one semester. The choices are:**

Guitar 1 (MUS401)

\*Guitar 2 (MUS402)

Beginning Piano (MUS420)

Movies and Music (MUS525)

Songwriting and Sequencing (MUS551)

**\*You must complete Guitar 1 in order to take Guitar 2.**