



DeMatha Catholic High School

MUSIC DEPARTMENT

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Dear Musician,

You are invited to join the DeMatha Catholic High School Instrumental Music Department in their 2017 Summer Band and Summer Strings Program. This year's Summer Band/Strings Program will consist of six evening sessions. The dates of our sessions are Wednesday July 5, and Thursday July 6. The remaining four sessions will be on our normal Tuesday and Thursday schedule: Tuesdays July 11 and 18, and Thursdays July 13 and 20.

The goal of our Summer Music Program is to strengthen each student's sight-reading and ensemble performance skills. These two aspects of musicianship will not only make the individual a better player, but will make the student more valuable to his or her instrumental music program for the next school year. There is no performance at the end of our camp because we understand many families vacation during the month of July and may have to miss a session or two.

Our Summer Band/Strings Program is open to all students in grades 7 through 12. There are three sessions per evening based on ability level for Concert Band and two per evening for String Orchestra. The tentative rehearsal times are as follows: Level 1: 5:00PM – 6:00PM, Level 2: 6:15PM – 7:30PM, Level 3: 7:45PM – 9:00PM.

Please return the form below along with payment by June 2. A finalized schedule will be sent to applicants in mid-June. (After June 2, please call for availability.)

The cost for the entire program is \$75.00.

Please return this form with payment by June 2, 2017.

Student Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

E-mail _____

School Attended 2016-2017 _____ Grade in School 2016-2017 _____

Instrument _____ Number of years played _____

Grade Level of last piece performed _____

Parent's signature _____

Make check payable to: DeMatha High School Band (memo: Summer Band) NO REFUNDS after June 2.