



JEFFERSON HIGH SCHOOL

2024 Marching Band Invitation & Registration

Dear Bloomington Instrumental Music Students & Families,

Are you looking for a way to connect with other Bloomington instrumentalists in a fun, motivating, and rewarding way? Look no further - this letter is your official invitation to join the 2024 Jefferson Jaguar Marching Band!

[REGISTER HERE](#) by **Friday, May 10th**.

The Jefferson Marching Band is a chance to be part of something bigger than yourself – a chance to work as a team with a great group of people that you will proudly call your friends. As a member of the marching band, you will develop positive school spirit, a great social network, improved instrumental skills, and self-discipline. You will do more than you ever thought you could!

The marching band begins in mid-August with evening rehearsals, and once the school year begins, practices are from 3-4:30pm most weekdays. The ensemble is open to all Bloomington 8th grade (current 7th graders) and high school students who are enrolled in their curricular instrumental music programs. The marching band performs at Jefferson home football games, the Minnesota State Fair Parade, and the annual indoor concert weekend. This year, our band has the opportunity to travel to San Diego for performances in the Holiday Bowl and Disneyland Parades.

I am including four links below - the full 2024 season schedule, answers to frequently asked questions, and time sensitive information about our proposed December San Diego Tour.

[Full Season Schedule](#)

[Frequently asked questions](#)

[San Diego Tour Information](#) and [San Diego Tour Interest Form](#) - due by **Friday, May 10th**

We would love to have you join us for what we strongly believe is one of the most rewarding experiences the Bloomington Public Schools has to offer. Please make contact with any questions, and be sure to [register](#) by **Friday, May 10th** to be included in all future 2024 Marching Band related communications.

Musically yours,

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