

## Band Uniforms

Students are required to wear the approved concert uniform. The band uniform is a symbol of pride and respect for the band, the school, and the community. It is a visual representation of the organization. Dressing in uniform is a part of participating in the band. Failure to dress appropriately will result in the student not being allowed to perform. This will count as an “unexcused absence” and will result in an “F” in the gradebook. In addition, students will need to complete a makeup assignment for partial credit.

**T-Shirts:** UMS Band t-shirts will be distributed to all students. These t-shirts will be used throughout your years in the UMS Band Program – these t-shirts will be worn at any band events or trips that are not a performance. Please take good care of them – if you lose or damage your t-shirt, you must purchase another one for \$15.

**Dress Shirts:** UMS Band Dress Shirts will be distributed to Symphonic & Jazz Band members. These shirts will be worn for all concert performances throughout your involvement in the advanced bands. Please take good care of them – if you lose or damage your dress shirt, you must purchase another one for \$35.

**PLEASE NOTE:** If you are having difficulty finding a particular part for your child's band uniform, please contact Ms. Pyburn as soon as possible. Every effort will be made to provide help, if communicated in a timely fashion. If you wait until the day before or the day of a performance, not much can be done to help solve a uniform problem.

### *Beginning Band*

- Option 1:
  - White Dress Blouse
  - Maxi Length Skirt
  - Black Dress Shoes (closed toed)
  - Black Stockings Recommended
- Option 2:
  - White Dress Shirt
  - Black Dress Pants
  - Black Dress Shoes (closed toed)
  - Black Socks

### *Concert Band, Symphonic Band, and Jazz Band*

- Option 1:
  - UMS Uniform Shirt (provided)
  - Maxi Length Skirt
  - Black Dress Shoes (closed toed)
  - Black Stockings Recommended
- Option 2:
  - UMS Uniform Shirt (provided)
  - Black Dress Pants
  - Black Dress Shoes (closed toed)
  - Black Socks