

Greetings Central Region MBDA Members,

We are excited to invite your students to participate in the **2022 CMBDA Honor Bands!** We will be hosting a 6-8 honor band and a 9-10 honor band. This event will be held on **Saturday, January 15th** at **Elk River High School**.

Please complete the **online nomination form** found below. You will be asked to enter your director and school information, as well as some information about each of your student nominations. **Nominations are due no later than Monday, November 15th.** Please limit your nominations to **ten students** per school. We ask that directors ensure that their nominated students can comfortably play grade 2-3 literature for the 6-8 honor band, and grade 3-4 literature for the 9/10 honor band. Please ensure that percussion nominees are well-rounded players and comfortable with any part assignment.

The day will begin with a check-in from **8:00 - 8:30AM** and will end with a joint concert featuring both ensembles at **5:00PM**. Accepted students will be responsible for a 25\$ payment which will cover lunch, a snack, and a t-shirt that will be provided to students the day of the festival.

Please feel free to reach out with any questions!

Best,

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