Fine Arts Presentation

High School Advisory & Planning Committee September 7, 2022





HS ADVISORY & PLANNING COMMITTEE

Need to know about the UIL Performing Arts

The performing arts ensembles are inclusive of all grade levels (9-12).

List of all UIL Performing Arts Large Ensembles we offer

UIL Varsity Marching Band is a No-Cut Activity

34% 9th Grade

27% 10th Grade

24% 11th Grade

13% 12th Grade

Ability Based Ensembles

UIL One-Act - Theater

UIL Concert and Sightreading - Choir

Varsity and Non-Varsity Concert Choir

Varsity and Non-Varsity Tenor/Bass Choir

Varsity and Non-Varsity Treble Choir

UIL Concert and Sightreading - Band

Varsity, Non-Varsity, and Sub Non-Varsity



Numbers to look at

Current HS Enrollment Percentages			
School Enrollment		1477	
Band	9%	131	
Choir	6%	88	
Theater	14%	210	
Art	16%	238	

10 Year Projected Enrollment			
School Enrollment		3831	
Band	9%	345	
Choir	6%	230	
Theater	14%	536	
Art	16%	612	

Two Equal Enrolled Schools - 10 Year			
School Enrollment		1915	
Band	9%	172	
Choir	6%	115	
Theater	14%	268	
Art	16%	306	



Numbers to look at (Continued)

9th Grade Campus - 10 Year			
School Enrollment		957	
Band	9%	86	
Choir	6%	57	
Theater	14%	134	
Art	16%	153	

9th-10th Grade Campus - 10 year			
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Band

- 1 Director of Bands at each campus
- 1-3 Assistant Directors at each campus
- 1 Percussion Coordinator at each campus
- 1 Color Guard Director at each campus
- 1 Middle School Percussion Coordinator

Choir

- 1 Head Choir Director at each campus
- 0-2 Assistant Directors at each campus

Theater

- 1 Head Theater Director at each campus
- 1-2 Assistant Theater Director(s) at each campus



Equipment and Uniforms

Separate sets of equipment, instruments, and uniforms for each campus

Booster Clubs

Two independent Booster Clubs

Classes/Scheduling

Both campuses will have band/choir/theater classes during the school day
Both campuses will have a 9-12 marching band working independently from each other
Both campuses will compete independently in One-Act and other UIL
competitions/evaluations

Transportation

Will need available drivers, trailers, and trucks for games and trips at both campuses

Social/Leadership

Two seperate student leadership teams and social events



Other Impacts to consider

Band - Until the new second middle school is built, students will be placed on instruments based on potential success and attendance zone.

All Performing Arts Programs - Recruiting/Retention/Scope/Sequence from one middle school into two separate high schools will be a challenge until the second middle school is built.



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Band

- 1 Director of Bands
- 2-3 Assistant Directors between the two campuses
- 1 Percussion Coordinator for the district
- 1 Color Guard Director for the district
- 1 Middle School Percussion Coordinator for the district

Choir

1 Head Choir Director for the District1-2 Assistant Directors between the two campuses

Theater

1 Head Theater Director at the 10-12 Campus1-2 Assistant Theater Directors between the two campuses



Equipment

Some equipment will need to be purchased to outfit the programs on the 9th grade campus. Equipment can easily be shared across both campuses

Uniforms

Shared uniforms, however we would add for growth

Booster clubs

One booster club serving all students in their respective program

Social/Leadership

One leadership group serving all grade levels. 9th grade classes could have a separate social and leadership activities.



Classes - Band

Band classes will meet on both campuses.

Marching band will be at the 10-12 campus outside the school day. Shuttling 9th graders before, after, and possibly some school days will be needed.

A small number of 9th graders may need to be shuttled to the 10-12 campus in the spring to participate in the Varsity Concert/Sightreading ensemble.



Classes - Choir

Choir classes will meet on both campuses.

There may be 9th grade students in the Varsity performing groups. Some shuttling may need to be available to allow these students to participate.

As the school grows, shuttling 9th graders may be unnecessary.



Classes - Theater

Theater classes will meet on both campuses.

Before school, after school shuttling may be needed for 9th graders to participate in UIL One Act and the musical.



Other Impacts to consider

All Performing Arts Programs - Recruiting/Retention/Scope & Sequence throughout the programs are vertically aligned.

Participation - All students will be able to participate on their campuses, but will need to shuttle to participate in after school activities like Marching Band, UIL One-Act Play, and the musical.

9th Grade Separation - A general feeling from the performing arts teachers is that having a 9th grade class(es) **may** allow directors to focus on student development and leadership for the freshmen.

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Choir

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Theater

- 1 Head Theater Director at the 11-12 Campus.
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Equipment

Some equipment will need to be purchased to outfit the programs on the 9th-10 grade campus. Equipment can easily be shared across both campuses.

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Shared uniforms, however we would add for growth.

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One booster club serving all students in their respective program.

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One leadership group serving all grade levels. 9th-10th grade classes could have a separate social and leadership activities.



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Band classes will meet on both campuses. Shuttling Varsity Concert Band students in 9th-10th grade will be essential in the spring.

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2 separate high school campuses (1 campus serves grades 9 – 12; the other campus is a STEM Academy School of Choice and a CTE Center open to all students)

If the school operates as an autonomous high school, then fine arts could operate like the two-school option.

If the school does not operate as an autonomous high school AND the students are allowed to participate in UIL activities, then it could operate the same as a 9-10/11-12 option.

More guidance will be needed for this option.



Art

Art will likely be offered at all campuses regardless of school size.

UIL Academics

Separate High Schools - UIL Academic classes will be offered at both schools. A smaller school may have to combine some sections.

One school, split campus - UIL Academic classes will be offered the 10-12 campus with some possibly being offered at the 9th grade center.

