Hudson High School Bands
EXCUSED ABSENCE REQUEST - PERFORMANCE

Name: _____ **Today's Date:** _____

Date of Performance: _____

Circle the Group this absence will affect: Marching Band Concert Band

Reason for Requestion: *(Please explain next to the reason. "Work" will NOT be excused.)*

1. Family Emergency: _____
2. School Related Functions: _____
3. Medical: _____

Band is a performance-based subject area. It is imperative that all students in the ensemble attend the performance so that the full potential of the performing group can be achieved. Remember that performances/concerts are our summative examinations. Concerts cannot be made up and no alternative assignments will be given for UNEXCUSED absences. Absence from a performance without prior approval will be deemed unexcused unless one of the following conditions are met:

- Severe illness
- Death in the immediate family
- Emergency situation

Conditions that will not be accepted as excuses include, but not limited to:

- Work
- Vacations
- Non-emergency appointments
- Athletic events (if double booked please reach out to the directors)
- Community events

<u>Music Department Attendance Policy:</u>
Performance > Athletic Practice
Rehearsal < Athletic Game
Performances & Athletic Game = Need to be worked out between student/teacher/coach(es)

MAKE UP ASSIGNMENT: Students that are EXCUSED from a performance will be asked to video themselves playing the performance music with a metronome. This assignment will be on Google Classroom for submission. (Youtube or Google Drive is recommended for upload)

A WRITTEN NOTE FROM YOUR PARENT OR GUARDIAN MUST ACCOMPANY THIS FORM.
Deliver this form personally to the Directors no later than 2 weeks prior to a performance or ASAP

----------(Band Directors will fill out)----------
Date Received: _____
Request: _____Approved _____Denied
Reasons for Denial: _____