

# Welcome to the McGraw Jazz Band!

Dear Parents/Guardians:

It is with great excitement for me to announce that the Board of Education has approved Jazz Band as an extracurricular activity for the 2021-2022 school year! **Rehearsals will take place once weekly on Thursdays after school (2:50pm) until 4:15pm (with the exception of our dress rehearsal).** Rehearsals will be as follows:

- Thursday, September 23
- Thursday, September 30
- Thursday, October 14
- Thursday, October 21
- Thursday, October 28
- Thursday, November 4
- Thursday, November 18
- Thursday, December 2
- Thursday, December 9
- **Tuesday, December 14 - Dress Rehearsal**

## Concert:

- Wednesday, December 15, 2021 ~ 6:30pm
- Snow Date: Thursday, December 16, 2021 ~ 6:30pm

## Rehearsal Attendance:

- The success of this group will depend on the number of rehearsals students attend. If your child decides to join the McGraw Jazz Band, I am asking that all students do their very best to attend all rehearsals.
- Students will only be allowed two unexcused rehearsals of the ten listed above. **Students must be present for the entirety of our dress rehearsal. We will likely end this rehearsal early.**
- A game is considered an excused absence, though students should do their best to come to part of the rehearsal if they are able to.
- If your student has a sports practice that is scheduled during this time, it is your student's responsibility to split the overlapping time and relay this information to myself and their coach.

## Jazz Band Remind

Please join the Jazz Band Remind for reminders and information.

Class Name: McGraw Jazz Band                      Class Code: @mcgrawj

Please return the bottom portion of this page by Tuesday, September 21, 2021 as it will act as a Jazz Band contract. If you have any questions please feel free to email me at: [LPalmer@mcgrawschools.org](mailto:LPalmer@mcgrawschools.org).

Sincerely,

Lindsay A. Palmer  
Middle/High School Band Director  
McGraw Central School

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**Please return this page by Tuesday, September 21, 2021**

I have read and understand the above information about Jazz Band.

I understand that by signing-up as a member of Jazz Band I will do my best to attend all rehearsals. I also understand that as a member of Jazz Band I will need to be at all scheduled dress rehearsals and concerts.

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list any known conflicts that you have with the rehearsals above: \_\_\_\_\_

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Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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