Killian Band

ABOUT THE KILLIAN BAND

THE KILLIAN BAND IS ONE OF THE LARGEST ORGANIZATIONS ON CAMPUS. WE HAVE OVER 325 STUDENTS IN THE KILLIAN BAND! THAT MEANS THAT 1 OUT OF EVERY 3 STUDENTS YOU MEET AT KILLIAN ARE IN BAND!

When you join the band you will get to choose one of our 11 different instruments to play. We offer flute, oboe, bassoon, clarinet, saxophone, trumpet, french horn, trombone, euphonium, tuba, and percussion. No musical experience is needed to join the band! We will teach you all of the skills you need to play music and songs on your instrument! Anyone can learn to play an instrument!

BAND MEETS DURING THE SCHOOL DAY JUST LIKE ALL YOUR OTHER CLASSES! (ISN'T THAT COOL?!?) IN 6TH GRADE THE BAND CLASS ARE GROUPED BY INSTRUMENT SO THAT ALL OF THE SAME INSTRUMENTS MEET IN THE SAME CLASS. THIS HELPS YOU LEARN TO PLAY EVEN FASTER! YOU'LL BE ABLE TO PLAY LOTS OF SONGS IN NO TIME!

BE A PART OF SOMETHING AWESOME!

HERE'S WHAT REAL 6TH GRADERS AT KILLIAN HAVE TO SAY ABOUT BAND!

"BAND IS ONE OF THE BEST
PLACES TO MAKE REAL FRIENDS!
YOU'LL HAVE SO MANY FUN
OPPORTUNITIES! IT'S AWESOME!"
-AVERY DYER, FRENCH HORN

"Band will be the best part of your day! You'll love playing in the Killian band!" -Katie Querrey, Clarinet "I ALWAYS HAVE SO MUCH FUN PLAYING MY TROMBONE EACH DAY! YOU WILL HAVE SO MUCH FUN! I'M SO GLAD I JOINED!"
-COLLIN HAYDUK, TROMBONE





It's so much fun! We'll show you how to play!

Learning to play an instrument is one of the most exciting experiences in middle school! In just the first year, you will play many well-known and popular songs, play two concerts together, and take a trip to the Sandy Lake Funfest to perform!

IT IS ALSO POSSIBLE TO TAKE BAND WHILE PARTICIPATING IN LEAP, PRE-AP CLASSES, AND SPORTS. MANY OF OUR CURRENT BAND STUDENTS ARE IN ADVANCED CLASSES AND MANY ALSO PARTICIPATE IN SPORTS. BEING IN BAND ALSO MEANS YOU GET TO MEET LOTS OF FRIENDS! THERE ARE SO MANY STUDENTS IN BAND. IT'S LIKE BEING PART OF THE LARGEST GROUP OF FRIENDS EVER!

of the entire state of Texas? Also, in 2015, 2016, and 2017 the Killian Band was named Mational Winner in the Mark of Excellence National Wind Band Honors Competition! We have fun in Band and we're also successful! We can show you how to play too!

Join the fun! Here's what to do:

- 1. FILL OUT YOUR SCHEDULE CARD WITH $\frac{BAND}{A}$ AS YOUR #1 OR #2 ELECTIVE CHOICE.
- 2. ATTEND THE 5TH GRADE PARENT MEETING ON TUESDAY, APRIL 3 AT 7:00PM IN THE KILLIAN BAND HALL.
- 3. Attend our <u>INSTRUMENT SELECTION DAY</u> on Saturday, April 7 from 9:00am to 5:00pm at Killian. The directors will help you try all of the different instruments to find the one that fits you the best!
- 4. Go to WWW.KILLIANBAND.COM and click on the "Joining band" tab to sign-up for your appointment!



CHECK US OUT! VISIT OUR WEBSITE:

WWW.KILLIANBAND.COM