

Mineola Band Member,

I hope this letter finds you enjoying your summer, but ready for another awesome year here at Mineola High School. This year will prove to be the best ever and I am glad that you have chosen to be a part of our Mineola Band family again.

We will start freshman and new marchers a week early to help you learn to march. Please see calendar on the website or that was sent home in May for all our dates including summer band practices. Our show and the music will be shared with you in a dropbox. A recording is also in dropbox for you to listen to as you learn your parts. Our band web page on the school website has the annual band calendar, a summer band practice schedule, and plenty of band information for the year for you and your parents. Just go the school website and click on band at the top under programs. Please sign up now for the Band 101, so that you and your parents will receive all information and reminders throughout the year. Parents please sign up as well. If you are already on the HS Band 101 then you do not need to sign up again.

Text **@misdband** to **81010** to sign up.

If you have any questions this year please don't hesitate to call (903 569-3000) or email me at [brannanc@mineolaisd.net](mailto:brannanc@mineolaisd.net). It's a great time to be in the band here at Mineola!!!

I look forward to seeing you soon! Remember to practice your parts before you show up. You will have pass offs on the music and a chair test during summer band. Also, placement in the show will be determined by playing tests, attendance, individual marching skills, and most importantly attitude and work ethic. Enjoy your summer and see you soon!!

-Mr. B