As a BHS student, you have the opportunity to join Ballard’s Award-Winning Music Department and be involved with a program that has a proven track record of excellence and success! The classes you to choose from are:

**Concert Band** – For most freshmen who play a band instrument. No audition necessary.

**Symphonic Band and Wind Ensemble** – For freshmen band students who qualify by audition.

**Percussion Class** – For all freshmen who played percussion in middle school band. (Not a beginner’s class.)

**Concert Orchestra** – For most freshmen who play a string instrument. No audition necessary.

**Symphonic Orchestra and Chamber Orchestra** – For freshmen orchestra students who qualify by audition.

**Treble Choir** – For all freshmen soprano/alto voices with an interest in singing. No audition necessary.

**Concert Choir** – For all freshmen tenor/bass voices with an interest in singing. No audition necessary.

**Jazz Bands** - Auditions will occur online this spring. Contact Mr. James for more information.

For incoming 10th-12th grade students, please contact Mr. James, Ms. Rowley, or Ms. Fortune for your correct ensemble placement.

Request your preferred music choice via online registration on your Source account (if you are a current SPS student) starting April 13th or the online form sent to you by the Counseling Dept (if you are from out of district).

We look forward to seeing you in our music program in the fall!

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* (H) = Honors option available, (AP) = AP option available, (CIHS) College Credit available

* PE can be taken as a junior or senior as elective options open up or it can be waived for a full schedule that includes music

* Health can be taken during your 10th or 12th grade years opposite a one-semester history course

* Occ Ed Credit can be given in a student’s junior and senior years for participation in music classes

* Different schedules for academy participation can almost always be worked out. Talk to your counselor about your specific situation.

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