

2018-2019 Willis Band Summer Schedule

May 9 – Band “Mini” Camp – 3:00-5:30 (*After-School shuttles will get 8th graders to WHS for Mini Camps*)
May 16 – Band “Mini” Camp – 3:00-5:30 **Returning member** equipment ordering after rehearsal
May 23 – Band “Mini” Camp – 3:00-5:30 **New Member** Parent Orientation/Equipment Ordering after Rehearsal
May 30 – June 1 – Band “Mini” Camp – 7:30am-12:30pm (Wed-Fri)
June 23 – Fireworks Warehouse Fundraiser Training Mtg. (*Mandatory for all participants in Fundraiser*)
June 24– July 5 – Fireworks Warehouse Fundraiser (Boomtown Fireworks on 75)
July 3 – 4th of July Parade Rehearsal – 8:00am-10:00am
July 4 – **South Montgomery County 4th of July Parade** (Call time 7:15am @WHS) – *This event is usually done by Noon*
July 23-25 – **Leadership Camp** (Leadership Team Only)(Mon-Wed)
July 30 – August 4 – **Band Camp** – 6:45am-5:45pm daily (students bring a lunch daily)
August 6 – 10 – Evening Rehearsals – 4:30-9:30pm (Mon-Fri) (students will have a brief snack/meal break)
TBA - WISD Convocation Performance (early morning call time at LLMS TBA)
August 13 – Final Summer Band Evening Rehearsal – 4:30-9:30pm
August 14 – Night Before First Day of School/OFF
August 15 – 16 – First Day of School (Wed) and Thursday, 3-5pm Rehearsal
August 17 – **Stadium Rehearsal/Exhibition & Parent Preview**, 3-7pm
August 20 – 24 – First Full Week of School/Normal Rehearsal Schedule*
Meet the Kats– TBD
September 22 – **Bands of America South Texas Regional Contest – McAllen, TX**
October 6 – **Galena Park Marching Contest – North Shore HS**
October 13 – **Lonestar Preview – Woodforest Stadium**
October 23 – **UIL Marching Contest – Woodforest Stadium**
October 27 – **Waller Marching Festival – Waller HS**

Standardized Testing Dates/ Possible Conflicts in **BOLD**

ACT

June 9, 2018 (Please Take)
July 14, 2018 (Please Take)
September 8, 2018
October 27, 2018 – Waller Marching Fest
December 18, 2018 – Region Clinic/Concert
February 9, 2019
April 13, 2019
June 8, 2019 (Please Take)
July 13, 2019 (Please Take)

*Normal School Week Rehearsal Schedule:

Tues, Wed, Thurs – Full Band 3:00 – 5:45 (5:30 Wed)
Any modifications to the normal schedule will be notated on the calendar.

ATTENDANCE AT ALL REHEARSALS IS MANDATORY

If students miss any rehearsals or performances with an unexcused absence, they risk being removed from the competitive marching show. If taking a standardized test (ACT, SAT) causes students to miss a contest performance they will be removed from the competitive show. Please schedule tests on dates that don't conflict with contest performances.

SAT

October 6, 2018 – Marching Contest
November 3, 2018
December 1, 2018 - Willis Christmas Parade
March 9, 2019
May 4, 2019
June 1, 2019 (Please Take)

Football Schedule Fall 2018

Football Game Attendance is Mandatory for All Band Members

August 31 – Huntsville - Home
September 6 – Lake Creek – Away (Thursday)
September 14 – New Caney – Home
September 21 – Open Week
September 28 – Lufkin – Home
October 5 – Mag West – Away
October 12 – Magnolia – Away
October 19 – Caney Creek – Home (Homecoming)
October 26 – College Station - Away
November 2 – Waller – Home (Senior Night)
November 9 – Tomball – Away