

## The Purpose of Band

- To improve and cultivate individual musicianship.
- To continuously strive for musical excellence through individual and group performance and commitment.
- To develop character, leadership, and professionalism through the maintenance of high moral standards.
- To promote school spirit.
- To provide entertainment for both school and community activities.

**KHS Band Activities and Performances**

- ♪ Band Camp (necessary for placement in show)
- ♪ Parades
- ♪ Football Games
- ♪ FBA District Solo/Ensemble Festival
- ♪ Fund Raising
- ♪ Additional Competitions
- ♪ FBA Marching Festival
- ♪ FBA Concert Festival
- ♪ Seasonal and Spring Concerts
- ♪ Various opportunities for Individual Performances

**Membership**

The King High Marching Lions are made up of both instrumentalists and auxiliary members. As King High School is on traditional 7-period scheduling, all instrumentalists are expected to participate the entire school year in both marching and concert groups. Instrumentalists may also participate in jazz band, during the 2<sup>nd</sup> semester either in a class period or voluntary class after school dependent upon placement. Membership in the Marching Lions and band program is an opportunity and privilege. Any students who abuse that privilege are subject to removal from the band program.

