

## TENTATIVE Big "D" Band Calendar

2024-2025 [Revised 3-2-2024.](#)

### May/June 2023

- 28 – 1: Big D Jazz & Percussion Camp (8AM – 1PM)
- 1: Leadership Retreat (Group Dynamix)
- 3-7: Marching Band Camp #1 (7:30 AM – 4:30 PM) \$60
- 10-14: Marching Band Camp #2 (7:30AM-4:30PM) (\$60)

### July 2023

Every Tuesday/Thursday: Open Sectionals (11AM-2PM)

### August 2023

- 5-9: Marching Band Camp #3 (3PM-8PM) (\$60)
- 16: 9<sup>th</sup> Period Marching Band Begins 7:30 AM & Fri. Late Practice til 8:30 PM, Band Parent Orientation #2 6:30 PM
- 19: Vertical Raise Fundraiser Begins
- 22: All Region Jazz Clinic until 6:30 PM
- 23: Uniform Payment Due
- : Pepsi National Battle of the Bands – Houston NRG (Tentative)

### September 2023

- 21: All Region Jazz Try-outs ([Waxahachie HS](#))
- ?: [Dress Rehearsal](#) (Location TBA)
- 25: All Fall Fling \$ Due & Unsold Tickets
- 27: Fall Fling
- 28: Battle of the Bands (Kincaide Stadium)

### October 2023

- : Pep Band visit Middle School Academies
- : [Pre-UIL Marching Contest - Kincaide Stadium](#)
- 16: [UIL Marching Contest – Kincaide Stadium](#)
- 21: Rain Date (UIL Marching Contest)- Kincaide

### November 2023

- 2: Battle of the Bands (PVAMU)
- 22: NovemberFest
- 22-23: [All-Region Jazz Clinic/Concert](#)
- 18: Concert Band Placements
- : DISD HS All-City Band Auditions

### December 2023

- : Open House Performance @ TMC
- : Holiday Parade Downtown Dallas
- 6-7: [All-Region Auditions](#)
- : [Kwanzaa Concert \(TBAAL\)](#)
- 10-11: Pick up Solo & Ensemble Music

### January 2024

- 11: [Area Auditions](#)
- : DISD All-City Band Percussion Sectional
- : All City Band Clinic & Concert
- : [Region Clinic & Concert](#)

### February 2024

- : [DISD Pre-UIL Solo & Ensemble \(Thomas Jefferson HS\)](#)
- 3: Future Leaders' Meeting 8:25 AM
- 11: [Leadership Recommendation Form/Letters Due by 9 AM](#)
- 14: Leadership meeting 8:25 AM
- 19: TMC Royalties and Silkettes Interest Meeting
- 20: Region 20 UIL Twirling Contest (SUNSET)
- 22: Solo and Ensemble (Red Oak HS)

### March 2024 (possible Jazz or Concert trip)

- 1: DMEA Jazz Festival (Townview)
- 3-7: Royalties Try-Outs
- 4: : Leadership Interviews
- [7: End of Grading Period](#)
- 24-28: Silkettes Try-Outs
- : DISD HS Band Pre-UIL Concert & Sightreading

### April 2024 (possible Jazz or Concert trip)

- 2-4: [UIL Concert & Sight-Reading \(Richardson HS\)](#)
- 18: [Senior Profiles & All RSVPs Due for Band Ball](#)
- 21: Middle School Placement
- 21-25: Highly Intensive Training (Future Leaders)
- 28: Band Ball Ticket \$50/\$60 after 4/28

### May 2024

- 2: FINAL DEADLINE BAND Ball (\$60)
- 2: [Leadership Try-Outs](#)
- 3: Samuel BOTB
- 9: TMC Band Night
- 10: Band Ball
- [23: End of Grading Period](#)
- : [State UIL Solo/Ensemble Contest](#)
- 27-31: DISD Big "D" Jazz Camp

### [Summer 2024 \(TBA\)](#)

9<sup>th</sup> Period begins Aug 16, 2023.

9<sup>th</sup> Period (Mon-Thurs): 4:30-5:30 PM

Students will be able to ride activity buses.

Most Friday Practices will be until 9PM. Attendance is submitted to attendance office. [Excuse letters must be turned in to the attendance office for absences etc.](#)

This schedule is tentative meaning things are subject to change and events will possibly be added or taken away from the calendar. The Band will also be asked to perform at various other events throughout the year that are not on the calendar. We are asking for 100% participation all year. No opt-out.