

Edison High School Charger Band and Color Guard

Marching Band, Color Guard, Drumline, Concert Band, Jazz Band

2025-2026 Handbook

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Greetings Charger Band & Colorguard Families,

Welcome all new and returning families. We are excited to start another year

of great music and performances. I am honored to serve as Booster president this

year, especially as I celebrate my 10th year with this incredible program. Over the

years, I've seen firsthand how much hard work, passion, and community support go

into making this program thrive.

The Edison Band Booster Association is a volunteer organization dedicated to

supporting the wonderful Instrumental Music and Color Guard programs at Edison

High School. It has been said that "no one can do everything, but everyone can do

something." I invite you to become an active member of our organization through

attendance, donations, and volunteering at our various Charger Band and Color

Guard events. Together we can help make this a successful year for our performers.

We hope to see you at our monthly booster meetings in the band room and

look forward to your participation and support. Here's to a successful and

memorable year!

Warmest regards,

Christine Pok

Edison Band & Color Guard Booster President

Ensembles

Marching Band and Color Guard

The marching band is the most active and visible part of the Edison High School band program. This includes wind instruments*, percussion** and guard. Students must be enrolled in a band, percussion or guard class during the entire school year to maintain their membership.

Weekly after school commitments: Two weekday rehearsals, football games, Saturday rehearsals (if needed) and competitions, check our calendar on EdisonInstrumentalMusic.org for the most up-to-date info

Season: August to beginning of Thanksgiving week

*Piccolo, Flute, Clarinet, Bass Clarinet, Alto Sax, Tenor Sax, Bari Sax, Trumpet, Mellophone, Trombone, Baritone, & Tuba, etc.

**Battery Percussion: Snare, Tenors, Bass; Front Ensemble: Mallet instruments, auxiliary percussion, cymbals, keyboards, bass, etc.

Concert Band

The Concert Band enables students to develop higher levels of musicianship on their instrument through traditional concert repertoire. This class will focus on playing proficiency and band literature. This ensemble begins after the marching season is concluded and includes all winds and percussion players.

Weekly after school commitments: one rehearsal (starting in January), three to four performances starting in December

Season: December to June

Winter Guard

Winter Guard is the second competitive season of the year for Color Guard students. The group prepares a show to be performed in a gymnasium that is judged in competition with other schools.

Weekly after school commitments: Two rehearsals, Saturday competitions in March and April

Season: December to April

Indoor Drumline

Indoor Drumline is a separate performing group for all members of the marching band and concert wind ensemble. All percussionists are required to participate, and winds are welcome to audition. This is a competitive group that happens in January through April. Students prepare for and perform a show that is evaluated by a panel of expert judges. In doing so, they learn teamwork, leadership, musicianship, and physical skills.

Weekly after school commitments: Two rehearsals, Saturday competitions in March and April

Season: December to April

<u> Jazz Band</u>

Jazz Ensemble is an additional, optional, opportunity for members of the winds and percussion sections. This ensemble is active during the second semester and plays specific popular styles including, jazz, funk, rock, blues, and Latin jazz styles.

Weekly after school commitments: One rehearsal, 3 performances in April, May, and June

Season: December to June

Please check with the director about the proper courses to enroll in each semester or if there are schedule conflicts.

Advanced Music (Honors)

This honors-level course is designed to allow interested and dedicated students the opportunity to extend their musical education in an enriched curriculum. Students must demonstrate a higher level of musical understanding and be able to perform at the highest possible level both as an individual and as a member of an ensemble. Students are expected to demonstrate a high level of critical listening, musical understanding, technical ability, and rehearsal etiquette. Students will be required to Audition to an honor group during their time in the course to experience what it is like to be in an audition process. Admission is determined during the second semester of the year prior to enrollment in the course.

Charger Band Leadership

Drum Major Bailey Fitch

Assistant Drum Major Giselle Sorensen

Drum Captain Jonah Pok

Front Ensemble Captains Tayden Pang, Daisy Hoac

Color Guard Captain Paige Waller

Color Guard Lieutenant Shania Freeman

Brass Section Leader Kaden Dilts

Woodwind Section Leader Nhi Nguyen

Charger Band Staff

Director Luis Caceres Flores

Assistant to the Director Brian Gonzalez

Visual Caption Head Andres Ramirez

Drumline Caption Head Kaz Akers

Drumline Coach Kat Camberos

Front Ensemble Coach Jadanne Donis

Color Guard Caption Head Keith Conaway

Color Guard Tech Molly Haney

Brass Coach Andres Ramirez

General Procedures

(more details can be found in our class syllabus)

Code of Conduct

All students will abide by the code of conduct, both of Edison High School and the Instrumental Music Program. The Instrumental Music Program Code of Conduct will be provided to each student at the beginning of the season.

Attendance

Your attendance at all events and rehearsals is of the utmost importance. Your absence affects all others in your team. **Please plan ahead**. If you have a conflict with a rehearsal, performance, competition, or other activity, please do everything you can to resolve the conflict. **If you can not resolve the conflict please email the director and appropriate coach as early as possible. A Parent/Guardian MUST send the email.** More details about attendance, absences, and your grade can be found in our syllabus.

Performances

All performances are **mandatory**. Show up on time with the appropriate materials.

Lockers

Each student will be assigned a locker in the hallway outside the band room for the school year. It is the student's responsibility to keep the locker clean and to tell the director if the lock is broken or needs maintenance.

Communications

EdisonInstrumentalMusic.org



The website hosts a lot of information you will need, including our calendar and fundraising needs. You can add our calendar to yours by clicking +GoogleCalendar.

ParentSquare



We will use ParentSquare to send our weekly schedule and newsletter, along with other non-urgent communications. Think of this like a mailing list. Please make sure your information is correct with Edison High School and that your email notifications are ON.

To turn email notifications on:

Log in to either the website (ParentSquare.com) or app My Account > Notification Settings > Turn on Email Notifications for Edison High School (instant or digest is fine, just make sure you're reading through the digest!)

BAND.us (for students)

This is a website and app that the director and coaches use to communicate with students. We will go over how to join and best use this tool at orientation and again during band camp. All of the information in the BAND group will also be communicated directly to parents and guardians using the above methods, however if a parent would like to join to see how this group is being used please contact the director.

Other Social Media

Facebook: facebook.com/ehsbandfamily.org



Instagram: @chargerband, @ @edison_guard, @ @edisonchargerdrumline,







@edisonchargerfrontensemble



Required Supplies

All students must have the following items for every marching band, drumline, and color guard rehearsal:

- Pencil
- Athletic shoes
- Sunscreen & sun protection
- Warm layers
- Water in a large, insulated, refillable bottle
- Spiral bound index cards (dot book) on a lanyard or shoestring

In addition, students will require the items specific to their section:

Winds

- Music (provided by director) in a binder (described below)
- Instrument (your own or assigned, as decided with the director)
- Instrument accessories (valve oil, mouthpiece, reeds, cork grease, swab, etc.)
- 3/4 inch three-ring binder and sheet protectors (must be 3/4 inch or less)
- Marching band lyre specific to your instrument (check <u>wwbw.com</u>)
- Music flip-folder and extra pages (check <u>wwbw.com</u>)
- Tuner/metronome phone app (<u>Tonal Energy Tuner</u> app highly recommended)
- High black socks
- Black compression shorts for under your uniform
- All black Dinkles Glide shoes (Link here)

Drumline (Battery and Front Ensemble)

- Sticks and/or mallets (will be decided by your drumline staff)
- 12" Practice Pad (check <u>steveweissmusic.com</u>)
- 3/4 inch three-ring binder and page protectors (must be 3/4 inch or less)
- Tuner/metronome phone app (<u>Tonal Energy Tuner</u> app highly recommended)
- High black socks
- Black compression shorts for under your uniform
- All black Dinkles Glide (Link here)

Color Guard

- Yoga Mat
- Flag Bag (provided)
- Duffel Bag (provided)
- Body tights (Adult Body Tights from discountdance.com highly recommended)
- Performance Gloves (<u>Ever-Dri Performance Gloves by DSI</u> highly recommend)
- Jazz Shoes (Adult "Neo Flex" Slip-On Jazz Shoes from discountdance.com highly recommended)
- Black leggings with logo (purchase your own leggings)
- Warm-Up Jacket (purchased through the boosters)
- EHS Guard Shirt (purchased through the boosters)

Other items will be needed as directed by the Color Guard staff

Band Uniform Requirements and Care

Preparing for a performance

- a. Underclothing: Black compression shorts and the EHS performance t-shirt are to be worn under the uniforms (no tank tops!). This will help keep perspiration off the uniforms. In addition, high black socks are to be worn.
- b. Jewelry: No visible jewelry may be worn at any time.
- c. Hair: Must be put up securely so that it does not show below the collar line.
- d. Shoes: Mandatory all-black Marching shoes (Dinkles) must be worn for each performance. They are to be clean and dust-free. Recommended shoes will be purchased by each family. **Please place orders with Mr. C

Putting on and taking off the uniform

- a. Pants should be adjusted so the hem falls just to the top of the shoe, resulting in little or no "break" in the pant leg.
- b. The hat (shako) is to be distributed and collected at every performance.
- c. Volunteers will place and remove the plumes, plumes are never handled by students.
- d. Hang the pants neatly. Use the crease line of the pant to fold the pant over the hanger.
- e. Hang the jacket zipped with the curve of the hanger facing forward.
- f. **Hang** the uniform in the provided garment bag immediately after each performance. Do not throw it in a car trunk, etc. If there is perspiration or moisture of any kind, leave the zipper open until the uniform is dry, then zip it up.
- g. The only other items that may go in the garment bag are gauntlets and gloves. Shoes are to be labeled and kept separate from the uniform.
- h. Do not eat or drink while in uniform (except water)

Cleaning the uniform

- a. Cleaning of the uniform will be done **ONLY** by the Boosters. Students are to maintain the uniform by brushing off any dust or dirt. Should any cleaning beyond that be necessary, contact the director or a booster parent.
- b. The Shako is not to be dry cleaned or immersed in water. Let Mr. C know if cleaning is necessary.

Alterations/Repairs

a. Do not make any alterations or repairs to the uniform, including sewing on a button. If an adjustment or repair is necessary, contact Mr. C and arrangements will be made.

<u>Inventory of uniform pieces provided to each student:</u>

a. Jacket

b. Hanger

c. Green Pants

d. Gloves

e. Garment Bag

g. Gauntlets

f. Shako (except front ensemble)

Concert Attire Guidelines

The dress guidelines outlined here are strongly enforced to ensure that everyone in the ensemble is dressed professionally and uniformly for performances. If in doubt as to what to wear, stay as conservative as possible. Students who arrive for a concert improperly dressed will be sent home to change or, if this is not possible, will have their grade automatically lowered and may be pulled from the concert. Consistent failure to maintain a professional appearance in performance will have a negative effect upon one's grade.

<u> Option A - Suit or Tux</u>

- Black tuxedo or suit (pants and jacket)
- Pressed white dress shirt
- Black bow tie
- Black dress socks (no ankle socks)
- Black dress shoes (no cowboy or combat boots, no Vans, Converse, or sneakers)

Option B - Dress

- Plain black, floor to mid-calf length gown with long or 3/4 sleeves
- Black hose
- Black dress shoes

<u> Option C - Slacks or Skirt and Top</u>

- Long or mid-calf black skirt or black dress slacks, with a black top having long or 3/4 sleeves
- Black hose and close-toed black dress shoes (two-inch heel or less)

<u> Jazz Ensembles</u>

All black, colorful ties or accessories.

In All Cases

- No excessive jewelry, no sequins or sparkles, hair accessories must be black, silver, or gold
- Pants, skirts, and dresses should be loose and flowing, nothing skin-tight
- No jeans
- Heels can be no higher than two-inches
- Shoes must be ALL black

Adapted for the Edison High School Charger Band from "Concert Attire Guidelines," University of Puget Sound.

Important Dates

Check calendar on EdisonInstrumentalMusic.org for updates, this is not an exhaustive list. Winter and Spring rehearsal times will be announced in December.

Summer Rehearsals - Color Guard

TBD - check the BAND app

<u>Summer Rehearsals – Drumline</u>

TBD - check the BAND app

Band Camp

August 11-15	9:00 AM – 5:00 PM	Edison High School
August 15, March to the Sea	5:00 PM -8:00 PM	Edison High School/State Beach
August 18-22	9:00 AM – 5:00 PM	Edison High School

Regular After School Rehearsal Schedule

Begins August 28

Tuesday	4:30pm- 7:30pm	Edison High school
Thursday	6:00pm- 9:00pm	Edison High School

Saturday Rehearsals

TBD (If needed)	

Field Competitions

October 11	TBD*	Costa Mesa HS
October 18	TBD* Capo Valley @ Tesoro High School	
November 1	TBD*	Bolsa Grande HS (Edison Hosts)
November 8	TBD*	San Clemente HS
November 15: Division Champs	TBD*	TBD*
November 22: State Champs	TBD*	TBD*
-	*Schedules are released al	oout a week in advance

Football Games

August 22	Vs Clovis West	Band will not be in attendance	
August 28	Vs Yorba Linda	First Home Game At HBHS	
September 5	Vs Lakewood	HOME GAME AT HBHS (Military Night)	
September 12	@ Palos Verdes	Band will not be in attendance	
September 19	vs. Fountain Valley	Bell Game (At OCC)	
September 26	@ La Serna	Band will attend	
October 3		Band will not be in attendance	
October 17	② Los Alamitos	Band will attend	
October 24	Mission Viejo	HOME GAME AT HBHS (Homecoming)	
October 31	San Clemente	HOME GAME AT HBHS (Senior Night/Middle School Night)	
November 7	Playoff games TBD		

Pep Band Games (Only upon request by sport <u>coac</u>h)

Thursday or Friday afternoons/evenings starting in January Time dependent on sport

District Honor Band: all students in Advance music honors class should plan to audition

Dates for honor band and other concert are currently TBD

Below is a general guideline to winter and spring rehearsal schedules, but it is subject to change:

Concert Band (mandatory for winds and percussion): One day a week, 1.5 hours Winter Guard (mandatory for color guard): Two to three days a week, typically 5-9pm

Indoor Drumline: Two to three days a week, typically 3 hours

Jazz Band (optional): One day a week, 2 hours

EHS Band Booster Association

As a parent or guardian of a band or color guard student, you are officially a member of the Edison High School Band Booster Association. The Booster Association is tasked with coordinating the parent volunteers and raising the funds necessary for the program to function. As a qualified charitable non-profit organization, donations made to the Booster Association may be tax deductible, though only your tax professional can make a determination in each individual case.

The Edison High School Band & Color Guard program is run by volunteers. If your child is in band or color guard then you are a booster, and the program needs every booster to volunteer! Not only will you enjoy participating in this activity with your child, you will get to meet other parents and your child will appreciate how your participation and contribution enhances his or her band or color guard experience.

Booster Board 2025-2026

President	Christine Pok	boosterpresident@edisoninstrumentalmusic.org 714-856-7320
Marching Band VP	Sherana Polk	marchingvp@edisoninstrumentalmusic.org 707-373-4842
Color Guard VP	Sharai Freeman	guardvp@edisoninstrumentalmusic.org 562-882-6563
Concert VP	Brenda Brignardello	concertvp@edisoninstrumentalmusic.org 714-866-6038
Percussion VP	Jennifer Sorensen	percussionvp@edisoninstrumentalmusic.org 949-923-1945
Treasurer	Emily Lai	treasurer@edisoninstrumentalmusic.org 714-399-5387
Secretary	OPEN	secretary@edisoninstrumentalmusic.org
Volunteer Coordinator	Lindsey Mark	volunteers@edisoninstrumentalmusic.org 714-454-1381
Fundraising Coordinator	Helen Liang & Brenda Brignardello	fundraising@edisoninstrumentalmusic.org Helen: 714-698-9291 Brenda: 714-866-6038
Parliamentarian	Harmony Houston	parliamentarian@edisoninstrumentalmusic.org 714-472-5639
Orchestra VP	Brianne Smith	orchestra@edisoninstrumentalmusic.org 714- 659-4125

Your Role as a Booster

• Attend Booster Meetings

 Booster Meetings are held on the second Wednesday of each month (Sept - June) at 7:00 PM in the Band Room. It is extremely important that every student member has an adult present at each meeting. We will discuss upcoming events, fundraising, and answer any questions about the program.

• Pay Your Assessments

• Includes the following:

- Camp Fee: Funds the summer program and two-week Band Camp \$550.00
- Instrument Usage Fee: Only payable if your child uses a school instrument \$110 each semester
- Costume costs: Color Guard and Drumline est. \$200 a season

Checks can be made to EHS Band Boosters Association. All payments can be mailed to PO Box 6966, Huntington Beach CA, 92615 or placed in the booster box located in the band room.

Make a Pledge/Donation (SEE PAGE 32)

- Recommendations are stated on the Pledge Form. You have several options for the amount you pledge:
 - Full Cost of Student: The full cost of the program for your child without taking into account any fundraising
 - Recommended Donation: The cost of the program for your child considering estimated fundraising
 - Donation/pledge amount made into monthly payments
 - Any other amount: We will gladly accept any amount that you are comfortable pledging, if you wish to adjust the amount in the future just contact our Treasurer at treasurer@edisoninstrumentalmusic.org

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Please understand that if pledges fall short of the amount budgeted, the program budget will be cut, and the experience of the students will be impacted.

Volunteer

- The Charger Band runs best when every family volunteers. Every family plays a vital role. Your time and energy directly impact the quality of our program. There will be many requests throughout the year. Typical requests are:
 - Donation of Items: Water, snacks, prop materials, other items throughout the year
 - Fundraisers: See fundraising section and website for dates
 - Field Shows / Competitions: We need roadies to move equipment, drivers for our truck and to pull our trailer, chaperones and other support
- Role Descriptions:
 - Roadie: Helps move equipment to and from the field (marching season) or gym (indoor season)
 - *Chaperone:* Supports student supervision at events, rides on bus at events
 - Water Brigade: Keeps students hydrated during performances

• Raise Funds

- Take part in our various fundraisers
- Sign up and use the various Sales Rebate programs listed in the Fundraising Section (help the program earn money on things you purchase everyday)
- Ask if your employer has a matching grant program for non-profits or search for your corporation at <u>Charity Navigator</u> (https://www.charitynavigator.org/donor-basics/giving-101/employee-match-programs/)
 - Our tax id number is 23-7304427
- Find and help the program apply for funding from grants from companies and foundations
- Ask local companies to sponsor the band or purchase ads in our Field Competition program. It is always nice to get money from outside of our families and it benefits all the students.

Attend Performances

Your presence at shows, concerts, and competitions goes a long way to showing that you find this endeavor worthwhile. Our children will be working hard, and we should support them.

Standing Rules of the EHS Band Booster Association

Sec. 1: The Committees of the Association include, but are not limited to, the following. Although a Committee may be listed herein, it may be inactive. Certain committees may consist of only a committee chair with no other members except ex-officio members defined in Article VI:

- A. Fundraising: , Community Cards, Christmas Band, Corporate Contributions/Sponsorship, e-Scrip, , Restaurant Dine-out, See's Holiday Candy, Competition Hosting
- B. Volunteer: Socials, Chaperones, Roadies, Transportation, Concerts, Uniforms, Volunteer Hours, Water Brigade, Volunteer List

Sec. 2: The following includes, but is not limited to, assessments that can be collected from each student. Not all assessments listed will apply to all students. Students shall not be denied the opportunity to participate in school-sponsored or Association-sponsored activities because of non-payment or underpayment of any assessment:

- A. Band and Color Guard Camp ("Field Show Camp") assessment
- B. Field Trips or excursions
- Replacement costs for uniforms or instruments that are lost or damaged
 Transportation to and from school for performances, competitions or field trips

Sec. 3: The following includes, but is not limited to items and standardized apparel that students are expected to procure. The association may not mandate that any of these items be purchased through the Association. The Association, at its discretion can choose to include the costs of any or all of these items in the Association budget or to supply items to students for whom procurement of the item or apparel would create a financial hardship:

A. Polo Shirt (student only)

B. Marching Shoes

C. Band Jacket

D. Warm-ups

E. Gloves

F. Lyre

G. Flip Book

H. Rifle

I. Flag Bag

Sec. 4: Boosters are expected to support the Association by participating in Association-sponsored meetings, fundraisers and activities, and to support student performances, competitions and trips by attending performances and assisting with performance support activities. Each Voting Member is expected to do the following:

A. Attend monthly booster meetings

- B. Provide up-to-date email, home and cellular phone contact information
- C. Staff a shift at any festival or competition that is sponsored by the Association
- D. Do at least one of the following:
 - a. Volunteer several times (minimum number of times to be determined by the Executive Board) during both the fall and spring seasons to staff support roles at performances, competitions and Association-sponsored events
 - b. Chair at least one committee
 - c. Serve on the Executive Board

Prior to the start of field show camp, the Executive Board shall define the available chairperson roles as well as the minimum number of times that a booster is expected to volunteer for a support role for 1st semester. Prior to the start of 2nd semester, the Executive Board shall define the minimum number of times that a booster is expected to volunteer for a support role for 2nd semester. Students shall not be denied the opportunity to participate in Association- sponsored activities because of a lack of participation by any Voting Member.

Please refer to the bylaws for more information.

Finances

Sources of Funding

- School District: The HBUHSD provides the band program facilities and funds the director's salary. They also provide a small stipend for two other coaches, but not funding for their full costs. Some funds are also provided for instrument repair and miscellaneous expenses.
- Donations/Pledges: The director and Booster Board determine a budget for the year. We also determine the recommended yearly donation/pledge amount that covers each student. These donations can be paid out over six months.
- <u>Employee Matching Donations</u>: Please check with your employer to see if they will match your pledge/donation amount.
- Fundraising: The Edison High School Band and Color Guard Boosters are committed, with
 your help, to fundraising about 40% of the budget to help offset the cost of the program and
 to cover those families who are unable to make a financial commitment to the program. We
 hold several fundraisers throughout the year and their success is dependent on the
 involvement of all our families.
- Sponsorships: Businesses can sponsor the band at various levels and receive acknowledgements in return. See the sponsorship form for more info.

Where the Money Goes

- Coaches: Just like a sports team, the band has several staff members that help us put on the best show possible: coaches, drill writer, choreographer, music arranger, etc.
- Show Costs: Music, Props, Entry Fees, Facility Rentals, Clinicians, Flags, etc.
- Purchase and Repair of Instruments and Equipment: The boosters purchase and repair the instruments and equipment owned by the district. In the past several years we have purchased a marimba, metronomes, microphones, a bari sax, and a new mixer. Each year there is a new wishlist of needs.
- Transportation: Rental of trucks, school vans, and reimbursement to the district for buses used to transport students to field shows, festivals, etc.
- Booster Administration: Insurance, CPA fees, website maintenance, scholarships, bank fees, etc.
- Other Costs: Awards, Senior Scholarships, Uniform cleaning, Yearbook pages, Honor Band, Recruiting, etc

Sponsorship Program

The Charger Band is looking for businesses and individuals to sponsor the program and help defray the costs to our families. We ask that each family help to find local businesses or individuals who would like to participate in this program. Local businesses are often eager to support educational programs—don't hesitate to reach out. You never know who might say yes. We also have specific needs that can be sponsored. Please contact the Booster President if you have any questions: boosterpresident@edisoninstrumentalmusic.org.

The Sponsorship Program Form can be found in this handbook.

Sponsorship Levels

Green - \$300

Acknowledgement in all Band Concert Programs, Sponsor Listing/Logo on Band Website

Gold - \$550

Acknowledgement in all Band Concert Programs, Sponsor Listing/Logo on Band Website, Business Card ads in concert programs and Orange Coast Invitational program

Director - \$1000

Acknowledgement in all Band Concert Programs, Sponsor Listing/Logo on Band Website, ½ Page ads in concert programs and Orange Coast Invitational program, Recognition Plaque to Display at your business

Charger - \$2000

Acknowledgement in all Band Concert Programs, Sponsor Listing/Logo on Band Website, Full Page ads in concert programs and Orange Coast Invitational program, Recognition Plaque to Display at your business

Fundraising

Forms

- Fall 2025 Wish List
- OC Invitational Program Advertising Form
- Sponsorship Form (including letter to give to potential sponsors)

The following three forms should be used to solicit Advertising, Sponsorship or donations in support of the Edison Band and Color Guard.

Ask your friends and neighbors, businesses you frequent, or your own employer. You never know who may respond with a donation.

Please make copies as needed.

Checks can be made to EHS Band Booster Association

Forms and checks can be mailed to: PO Box 6966, Huntington Beach, CA 92615

Wish List

Name:	
Contact Name (if business):	
Address:	
Phone: Secondary phone:	
Email Address:	
would like to donate towards the purchase of the following item(s)	
\Box \$80 – One piece of music for band, pep band, jazz band, etc.	
□ \$500 – Donation towards fall marching band props	
□ \$1,000 – Four condenser microphones and stands for marching season	
□ \$2,000 – Custom show for indoor drumline or winterguard	
□ \$2,000 – Crotales (a metallic percussion instrument)	
□ \$200 – Two new color guard capes	
□ \$500 – Pizza for recruitment events for the year	
□ \$4,400 – Truck Rentals for the season	
□ \$2,000 –Sponsor one member of the Charger Band	
□ \$250 each – Perpetual Award Plaque (5 needed)	
\Box I would like to fund an instructor for the year, please contact me	
☐ Other donation in the amount of \$ to help with the above items	
Donors will be acknowledged and receive the benefits of the corresponding level of support in our	

Donors will be acknowledged and receive the benefits of the corresponding level of support in our Sponsorship program, or as negotiated between the donor and the Booster President.

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If you have any questions, please contact the Booster President boosterpres@edisoninstrumentalmusic.org



Edison Charger Band Orange Coast Invitational Field Show

November 1, 2025

Program Advertising Form

Business Name:	
Contact Name:	
Business Address:	
Business Phone:	Other Phone:
Email:	Website:
	Back Cover Full Page Color Advertisement - \$700
	Inside Cover Full Page Color Advertisement - \$500
	Full Page Advertisement \$350
	Half Page Advertisement \$175
	Quarter Page Advertisement \$100
	Business Card Advertisement \$25
,	with this form, or you or your graphic artist may email your represident@edisoninstrumentalmusic.org.
Checks can be made to EHS Beach CA, 92615	Band Boosters Association and can be mailed to PO Box 6966, Huntington
Additional Information:	
Solicitor Name:	Email:

Your donation to the Edison Band Boosters Association may be tax deductible under IRS code section 170 (c)

Edison High School Band Boosters Association

Christine Pok, President Edison High School Band Boosters Association 21400 Magnolia Street Huntington Beach, CA 92646



Dear Friend,

Thank you for your interest in the Sponsorship Program for the Edison High School Band Boosters Association. Our organization provides support for the bands and competitive ensembles at Edison, including the Charger Marching Band, Color Guard, Concert Band, Jazz Ensemble and Drum Line programs. Our current budget is just over \$104,000.

As you are no doubt aware, funding for school arts programs has been cut to dangerously low levels. While we provide fundraising opportunities to shore up our operating expenses, it is not nearly enough for our organization to meet even our basic needs for instruction, transportation, uniforms, equipment and materials. We desperately need the help of patrons and businesses within our community to help us to provide a successful program for our students! Will you help us?

We realize that the current business environment is difficult; we intend to make our community aware of the businesses and patrons who have contributed to the success of music at Edison High School. Contributions can be made as a single donation, or a pledge that can be made and paid later. Our organization is set up as a charitable non-profit organization, so consult with your tax professional. The sponsorship levels and benefits are defined on the following Sponsorship Program Form.

Thank you for your support of music at Edison High School!

Sincerely,

Christine Pok

Christine Pok

Edison High School Band & Color Guard Sponsorship Program Form

Thank you so much for contributing to our efforts to create a quality music program for our students! Complete this form to provide information regarding your business and your contribution. Please refer to the "Sponsorship Levels and Benefits" below for the contribution levels.



To submit this form, either:

- email this form to: <u>boosterpresident@edisoninstrumentalmusic.org</u>
 OR
- o mail it to: EHS Band Boosters, PO Box 6966, Huntington Beach, CA 92615

Your Name:	Business Name:
Business Address:	
Business Phone:	Other Phone:
Email:	
I will send artwork to the address above	I will email artwork (.jpg) to the email address above
Please contact me to obtain artwork	
Tell us about your contribution: (Sponsorship	amount:)
I will pay in full today	
I will pay today* and balance by	/(*min. greater of 25% or \$100)
I will pay today* and will make	equal monthly payments through
I have enclosed a check payable to "EHS Ban	ad Boosters"

		Green	Gold	Director	Charger
Sponsorship Levels and Benefits	Donation Amount:	\$300	\$550	\$1000	\$2000
Sponsor acknowledgement in band concert p	rograms	Х	Х	Х	Х
Sponsor Listing/Logo on Band Website		Х	Х	Х	Х
Sponsor Ad in band concert programs			Bus Card	1/2 page	1 page
Recognition Plaque to display at your busines	s			Х	Х
Sponsor Ad in our CSBC competition event p	rogram**		Bus Card	1/2 page	Full Page

Note: sponsorship benefits are granted for 1 full year after receipt of the sponsorship or pledge

EHS Band Boosters Association tax id: 23-7304427

Your donation helps to offset our operating costs:

Coaches: \$5,600 / month

Competition Fees and Show Costs: \$17,000 / annual

Transportation Cost: \$9,500 / annual

** Every fall, Edison High School hosts a competition sponsored by CSBC (California State Band Championships). This event features performances by 20-40 marching units from all over Southern California with a spectator audience of several thousand people.

Registration Form

The following forms must be completed by the first day of Band Field Camp on August 11, 2025, in order for your child to participate.

• Only one set of forms needs to be completed per student.

Forms Checklist

*All forms due by the start of Band Camp.

Student Name	:
<u>Online</u>	only
	Registration Form
	Complete Athletic Clearance through <u>Home Campus</u> o <u>https://www.homecampus.com/login</u>
Hard Co	ppy Only
	Donation/Pledge Form
	Assessment Form
	Student Health History/Physical Form (to be completed by your physician and then submitted to Home Campus)
	Summer Camp Emergency Card (Salmon-color)
	Uniform Contract
	Parent Commitment Form
	Student Commitment Form
	Charger Band Logo Wear Form
	Color Guard Order Form (Color Guard Only)

Band and Color Guard Registration Form

Student Information						
Stud	Student Name:					
Stud	lent Email:					
Stud	lent Phone:					
Addı	ress:					
City:	:	State:	Zip:			
	Par	ent/Guardian Information	ı			
Pare	Parent/Guardian 1 Name:					
Pare	nt/Guardian 1 Email:					
Pare	nt/Guardian 1 Phone:					
Pare	nt/Guardian 2 Name:					
Pare	nt/Guardian 2 Email:					
Pare	nt/Guardian 2 Phone:					
	Stı	udent Performance Group				
	Marching Band - Wind Instru	ument				
	Drumline / Front Ensemble					
	□ Color Guard / Winter Guard					

Parent / Booster Commitment Form

As a band parent, I am a booster member and am committed to the success of the band program. I will support the Charger Band by:

- Encouraging my child to practice and be prepared for each rehearsal
- Making sure my child attends all rehearsals and performances on time or that she/he
 discusses with the director and instructors the reasons they are unable to attend as
 scheduled
- Participating in the efforts of the Band Boosters to support the band and color guard programs
- Providing information requested and required by the Band Boosters in a timely manner
- Providing pledge donations as stated on pledge form and/or communicating changes to the treasurer
- Participating in the following fundraisers that directly benefit all band programs at Edison:
 - Restaurant Dine Out Nights
 - CSBC Orange County Invitational: November 1, 2025 (each family, both parents and students, will be asked to sign up for as many shifts as possible)
 - o SnapRaise: Fall 2025
 - o WGASC Drumline and Color guard Competitions Dates TBD
 - Other scheduled fundraisers as they arise (Communication will be directly with Fundraising Coordinators)
- Understanding that this is a competitive marching band and 90% of the instructors' job is to critique, correct, and teach
- Supporting student leaders, instructors, chaperones, and all other volunteers who are doing their jobs

Student Name:	
Parent Name:	
Parent Signature:	Date:

Student Commitment Form

The 2025 Charger Band show is now in the design process. At this time, the director and visual designer require an accurate headcount of marchers which will allow them to write a drill (designed movement of performers and equipment on the field) that is optimal for the number of students who desire to participate. Please return this signed form today to guarantee your position in the Edison Charger Band.

- I agree to attend all rehearsals and performances on time
 - If I am not able to attend a rehearsal or performance, I agree to have my parent/guardian contact the director and my coach and complete any make-up work assigned
 - Excused absences are: family emergency, sickness, extraordinary circumstances, and religious observance
 - Excused absences <u>do not include</u> scheduled appointments, work, interviews, homework, studying, birthday parties, drivers ed, etc.
- I agree to bring all necessary materials to every rehearsal and performance
- I agree to keep the band rooms clean, and free of excess personal belongings and trash, this includes my locker
- I agree to show respect while I am in uniform and represent my school proudly at all events
- I agree to practice my music and choreography and give my best effort to my team
- I agree to memorize my music and drill
- I agree to attend all events with my uniform in top condition
- I agree to take pride in my ensemble, support my school, and support and respect the community in which I live
- I agree to participate in the band/drumline/color guard program throughout the entire 2025-2026 season
- I have read and understand the 2025-2026 Charger Band Handbook
- I agree to follow the Charger Band Code of Conduct (provided to students at the beginning of the season)

Student Name:		
Student Signature:	Date:	
Parent Signature:	Date:	

If a student is unable to comply with any of these requirements, please discuss with the director immediately

Program Cost 2025-2026

We fund the Charger Band and Color Guard with a combination of donations, assessments and fundraising. This year we plan to fundraise up to \$50,000.

DONATIONS

- Each family can choose to pledge one of the following:
 - 1. Student full cost of the program: \$1830.00
 - 2. Student recommended donation: \$960
 - 3. Other Donation amount: any amount within your family's ability to pay
- The pledge can be paid in one payment or over 6 months. Please only commit to the amount you are able to pay, as we use the committed pledges in planning for the year and in order to adjust the budget.
- A shortfall of donations will seriously affect the function of our program; therefore, we are asking everyone to contribute, thus providing every student with an opportunity to participate in a quality program.

ASSESSMENTS

In addition to the family donations, there are a few assessments associated with the program that are paid prior to the beginning of band camp

- Band camp fee: \$550
- Instrument usage fee: \$220 (\$110 per semester)

There is an additional cost for Color Guard costumes (Fall and Winter) & Drumline Costumes (Winter). These costumes are not expected to exceed \$200 per costume. Your coach will provide details on actual cost and payment options.

Donation / Pledge Form 2025-2026

		Donor Inform	mation	
Donor Nam	e:		Student Name:	
Address:				
City:			State:	Zip:
Phone:				
Email for re	ceipt & pledge reminders:			
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		Donation/Pledge	2025-2026	
Check One:		One-Time Payment (OPTION 1)	Monthly for 6 Months (OPTION 2 or 3)	Donation
	Student - Full Cost	\$1830.00	\$305.00	\$
	Student - Recommended Amount	\$960	\$160	\$
	Other Donation Amount	\$	\$	\$
Special Inst	cuction:		Total Dona	tion \$
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	OPTION 1 One-Time Payment:	☐ Send me an inv	voice	g a check
	OPTION 2 <i>Invoice Monthly:</i> Billed monthly for 6 months beginning in August and ending in January, you will receive an invoice on the first day of each month (<i>Payment can be made by Check, Credit Card, or Bank Transfer</i>)			
	OPTION 3 Autopay Monthly: Setup a recurring payment plan for 6 months beginning in August and ending in January to be auto-drafted on the 15th of each month. (payment will be charged to the Credit Card. Please sign and date to authorize the transactions.)			
	Credit Card #:		Expiration Date: _	CVV:
	I authorize the Edison High School payments as chosen above. This pa enough time for the Booster Associ the pledge or notify the Treasurer a	ayment authorization i iation to act on it. By si	is in effect until I notify the Bo igning I also show my intentio	ooster Association of the change in on of completing the payment of
Authorized Signature Date				
	Print Name			

Checks can be made to **EHS Band Boosters Association**. All payments can be mailed to **PO Box 6966, Huntington Beach CA, 92615**

or placed in the booster box located in the band room.

This form must be submitted in order to participate in band camp.

Assessment Form

Please submit this form on the first day of Band Camp. **Checks, cash, or credit/debit cards** are accepted. **An invoice can be sent through email** upon request prior to the first day of band camp. Please contact the Treasurer at treasurer@EdisonInstrumentalMusic.org if you have any questions or instructions on your assessment.

	Assessments 2025-26				
Studen	nt Name:				
Donor	Name:				
Donor	Address:				
City:	Stat	te:	Zip:		
	for receipt/invoice:		, -		
Check 1	relevant assessments				
	Band Camp (\$550)	9	\$		
	Instrument Usage - Fall (\$110)	9	\$		
	Instrument Usage - Spring (\$110)	9	\$		
	, , ,	Total * 9	5		
	I will pay by credit card on the first day of band camp				

Checks can be made to EHS Band Boosters Association. All payments can be mailed to

PO Box 6966, Huntington Beach CA, 92615

or placed in the booster box located in the band room.

This form must be submitted in order to participate in band camp.

^{*}Credit Card Payment is accepted on the first day of band camp

Edison High School Uniform Contract

(Winds and Percussion Only)

Because our uniforms are very expensive and must be in perfect condition for our performances and competitions, it is important that care be taken by you and your child to maintain this valuable asset. Please read the information below, as well as the "Band Uniform Requirements and Care" document. Once you and your child have read these, please sign below and return this contract to school along with the other registration forms.

Each student will be fitted for and issued a uniform in August. The uniform will be issued <u>only</u> after all registration forms are complete, and this Band Uniform Contract is signed. You and your child will be held responsible for the uniform's care. If any piece is damaged or lost, you will be charged for that piece.

All parts of the uniform must be turned in at the end of marching season (usually December or January), and payment must be made for any damaged or lost uniform pieces, or your child will not be allowed to sign out of school or graduate; this is an Edison High School policy.

Replacement Costs - Marching Uniform

Uniform Component	Replacement Cost
Jacket	\$300.00
Bibbers (Pants)	\$90.00
Gloves	\$15.00
Hat (Shako)	\$80.00
Hanger	\$5.00
Garment Bag	\$10.00
Gauntlet	\$75.00
	\$575.00

I have read this Band Uniform Contract and the separate "Band Uniform Requirements and Care" document, and I agree to follow all instructions. Further, if the recommended care is not followed, I agree to pay for the repair or replacement of any damaged or lost component(s).

Student Name (print)	
Student Signature	Date
Parent Name (print)	
Parent Signature	Date

Pre-Participation Physical Evaluation

Student's Name:	ID #	Scho	ool:	Date of	Exam:	
	Age:DOB:					
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	Phone:					
Relationship	Phone.	Home		work		
Check YES or NO for quest	tions below and explain any "yes" an	swers. Circle qu	estions you	don't know the answe	rs to.	
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	supplements or vitamins to help you gain or			erformance?		
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Athlete's	Parent's					
Signature:	Signature:			Date:		

HUNTINGTON BEACH UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT **Pre-Participation Physical Evaluation**

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

Student's Name:				Date of Birtl	1:	
Height:Weight:	% of Body Fat (opti	onal):	Pulse:	ВР		, /)
Vision: R 20/L 20/_					Unequal	
	Normal		Abnormal	Findings		Initials*
MEDICAL						
Appearance						
Eyes/Ears/Nose/Throat						
Lymph Nodes						
Heart						
Pulses						
Lungs						
Abdomen						
Genitalia (males only)						
Skin						
MUSCULOSKELETAL						
Neck						
Back						
Shoulder/Arm						
Elbow/Forearm						
Wrist/Hand						
Hip/Thigh						
Knee						
Leg/Ankle						
Foot						
* Station based examination or	nly					
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Not cleared for:		Reason:				
Recommendations:						
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Phone:						
Signature of Physician:	MD, DO, Nurse Practitioner, I	Physician Assistan	ıt			

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Rebate Program Information

The following flyers contain instructions for signing up for and using various rebate programs that can earn money for the band and color guard without much extra work from you.



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EARN AUTOMATICALLY

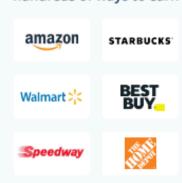
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Groceries	\$400	496	5192
Gasoline	\$300	3%	\$108
Dining Out	\$250	10%	1300
Entertainment	\$200	8%	5192
Clothing	\$250	816	5240
Home Improvement	\$100	4%	\$48
		Total	\$1,080
*Based on average spend for a household family of 4			



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- Easily keep track of the money you've added with your Wallet

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Jessica V., earns for school tuition



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