

2024-25 Urbandale High School - Instrumental Music Events

° Changes to the calendar are rare. If changes occur, they will be communicated as soon as possible

| 2024-2025 ACT Test Dates | |
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| June 8, July 13, Sept 14 | Clear |
| Oct 26 | All-State Auditions |
| Dec 14 | SCIBA Jazz Festival |
| Feb 8 | Show Choir |
| April 5 | Vocal Solo Contest |
| June 14, July 12 | Clear |

Summer Schedule

Attendance expectations: During July, students who are in town are expected to attend rehearsals. Please communicate with jobs/schedulers accordingly. Students who are on family vacation or are out of town are not expected to alter their travel plans. Beginning in August, attendance at all camp rehearsals is expected and necessary for students and the ensemble to succeed.

| Date | Event | Participants | Location |
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| July 1 | Battery Rehearsal: 9:00 - 12:00 p.m. | Battery Members | UHS Band Room |
| | Leadership Session #1: 12:00 - 2:00 p.m. | Leadership Team | UHS Band Room |
| | New Marcher Orientation: 2:30 - 4:30 p.m. | New Members & Leaders | Band Room/Stadium |
| | New Band Parent Meeting: 5:30 p.m. | New Band Parents/Members | UHS Band Room |
| July 2 | Battery Percussion Rehearsal: 8:00 - 10:00 a.m. | Battery Members | UHS Band Room |
| | Marching Band Music Rehearsal: 10:00 a.m. - noon | All Members | Band Room/Stadium |
| July 3 | Percussion Rehearsal: 8:00 - 10:00 a.m. | All Percussion Members | UHS Band Room |
| | Full Group Marching Fundamentals: 10:00 - noon | All Members | Band Room/Stadium |
| July 4 | Urbandale Independence Day Parade: 8:00 a.m. | All Members | UHS Band Room |

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Band Camp

| Date | Event | Participants | Location |
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| August 5 | Leadership Session #2 w/seniors: 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. | Seniors + Leadership Team | Band Room |
| | Band Camp Orientation: 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. | New Members & Leaders | Band Room/Stadium |
| August 6 | Band Camp Rehearsal: 8:00 - 11:30 p.m.; 12:30 - 3:00 p.m. | All Members | Band Room/Stadium |
| August 7 | Band Camp Rehearsal: 8:00 - 11:30 p.m.; 12:30 - 3:00 p.m. | All Members | Band Room/Stadium |
| August 8 | Band Camp Rehearsal: 8:00 - 11:30 p.m.; 12:30 - 3:00 p.m. | All Members | Band Room/Stadium |
| August 9 | Band Camp Rehearsal: 9:00 - 11:30 a.m. | All Members | Band Room/Stadium |
| | Band Camp Rehearsal: 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. | All Members | Band Room/Stadium |
| | Capture The Flag 8:00 - 9:00 p.m. | All Members | Stadium |
| August 10 | Uniform Fitting: 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. | All Members | UHS Band Room |
| August 12 | Band Camp Rehearsal: 8:00 - 11:30 p.m.; 12:30 - 3:00 p.m. | All Members | Stadium |
| August 13 | Band Camp Rehearsal: 8:00 - 11:30 p.m.; 12:30 - 3:00 p.m. | All Members | Stadium |
| | Booster Club Membership Drive - 6:00 p.m. | All Members | PAC |
| August 14 | Band Camp Rehearsal: 8:00 - 11:30 p.m.; 12:30 - 3:00 p.m. | All Members | Stadium |
| August 15 | Band Camp Rehearsal: 8:00 - 11:30 p.m.; 12:30 - 3:00 p.m. | All Members | Stadium |
| August 16 | Band Camp Rehearsal: 8:00 - 11:30 a.m. | All Members | Stadium |
| | Friday Night Lights - 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. | All Members | Stadium |
| August 19 | Staff Kick Off - 7:15 AM - 8:00 AM | All: optional but encouraged | PAC |

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| Aug 30 | Halftime (vs.) | All Members | Frerichs Field |
| Sept. 19 | Homecoming Parade | All Members | UHS |
| Sept. 20 | Halftime (vs.) (Homecoming) | All Members | Frerichs Field |
| Sept. 21 | Johnston Marching Invitational (AM) | All Members | Johnston High School |
| Sept. 28 | Urbandale Marching Band Invitational | All Members | Frerichs Field |
| Oct. 11 | Halftime (vs.) (MS Night + Senior Night) | All Members | Frerichs Field |
| Oct. 12 | Valleyfest Marching Festival | All Members | Valley Stadium-W. DSM |
| Oct. 18 | Halftime (vs.) | All Members | Frerichs Field |
| Oct. 19 | State Marching Band Contest (AM) | All Members | Waukee HS |
| | Mid-Iowa Band Championships (PM) | All Members | Ankeny High School |
| Oct. 26 | All-State Auditions (Avoid ACT) | Select Students | Indianola HS |
| Nov. 1 | Playoff Game (if at home) | All Members | Frerichs Field |
| Nov. 8 | Playoff Game (if at home) | All Members | Frerichs Field |
| Nov. 21-23 | All-State Festival | Select Members | Hilton Coliseum-Ames |
| Dec 5 | SCIBA HS Honor Band Auditions | Select Students | Roosevelt HS |
| Dec 7 | Urbandale Jazz Summit (AM with noon performance) | Jazz Bands | UHS Band Room |
| Dec. 12 | UHS & 8th Grade Concert Band Concert | All Members | UHS PAC |
| Dec. 14 | SCIBA HS District Jazz Band Contest (Avoid ACT) | Jazz Bands | Waukee HS |
| Jan. 11 | SCIBA HS Honor Band | Select Students | Ankeny High School |
| Feb. 1 | UHS / UMS Band Summit | All Members | UHS PAC |
| Feb. 11 | Urbandale Solo Contest | Participating Students | UHS Music Wing |
| Feb. 22 | Perry Band Olympics | Participating Students | Perry High School |
| March 8 | Hoover Jazz Festival (AM) | Jazz Bands | Hoover High School |
| | Northwest Blue Note Jazz Festival (PM) | Jazz Bands | North West High School |
| March 10 | H.S. Concert Band Concert | All Members | UHS PAC |
| April 8 | Jazz Championships | Jazz Bands | TBA |
| May 5 | High School Band Awards Concert | All Members | UHS PAC |
| May 11 | Large Group Concert Band Contest | All Members | TBD |
| May 12 | MS/HS Jazz Band Concert | Jazz Bands | UHS PAC |
| TBD | Wind Symphony Bookends Tour | Wind Symphony | TBD |
| TBD | Commencement Band | Wind Symphony | Knapp Center |
| July 4 | Urbandale Independence Day Parade | All Members | UHS Band Room |