**Westview Varsity Band Letter Award 2016-2017 – Forms Due May 5.**

Late submissions WILL NOT be accepted. Submissions must be hard copy with documentation included.

**Name: Grade: School Year:**

**Band(s):**

*Include extracurricular bands*

**Have you previously earned a Westview Varsity Letter in ANY sport or activity? YES\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ NO\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

The band letter award is intended for those students who put extra effort into the band program at Westview. Band students are already expected to attend concerts and participate in fundraisers that support the program. **The letter award recognizes students who "take the next step”** **in band.**

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| All students who wish to receive a letter award **must** do the following:   * Be a member of the band program all year. * Have no unexcused absences from any concert or performance with any band. * Complete a letter award application (this form) with supporting documentation. |

In addition, students must earn **150** points or more as follows:

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| **Activity** | **Points** |  |
| Be a member of the Wildcat Marching Band. | 50 |  |
| Be a Section Leader for the Marching Band. | 15 |  |
| Be a Drum Major. | 20 |  |
| Be a member of the Jazz Band. | 25/sem.  50/year |  |
| As a member of the Wind Ensemble, perform on a secondary instrument in Symphonic Band. | 10/sem.  25/year |  |
| Perform with the Pep Band at **8 or more** out of 10 regular season basketball games. | 30 |  |
| After 8 Pep Band Games in the regular season, each additional game is 5 points each (multiply additional games by 5) | 20 max |  |
| Perform in the pit orchestra for the spring musical (must be an auditioned member) | 30 |  |
| Participate in PYP/MYS/PYJO/OPAYCO for an entire season. Provide documentation. | 40 |  |
| Perform on an instrument in a garage band, church ensemble, or other organized, non-Westview affiliated group (excluding honor bands). Provide documentation. | 20 each  40 max |  |
| Participate in Winter Percussion for an entire season with no unexcused absences. | 50 |  |
| Take private lessons on your primary instrument – on a regular basis – for at least 6 months. Provide documentation. | 50 |  |
| OMEA District XV Instrumental Solo & Ensemble event (more events, more points):   * Solo Rating of I * Solo Rating of II * Solo Rating of III, IV or V * Ensemble Rating of I * Ensemble Rating of II * Ensemble Rating of III, IV or V | Each:  40  20  10  30  15  5 |  |
| OSAA State Instrumental Solo:   * Receive a I Solo Rating * Receive a II Solo Rating * Receive a III, IV or V Solo Rating | Each:  100  50  25 |  |
| Audition for an Honor Band/Orchestra (All-State, All-NW, WIBC, etc.). | 10 each |  |
| Be accepted and participate in an honor band/orchestra, including the BSD Honor Band | 15 |  |
| Attend community/collegiate/professional instrumental music performances (i.e., bands, orchestras, etc). 10 each/50 max. Provide ticket stubs and/or concert program, signed by a parent. | 50 max. |  |
| Other, as approved by the director | Up to 40 |  |
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| **TOTAL:** | |  |