



DENISON HIGH SCHOOL BAND

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Wind Ensemble

Instructions: This is a suggested practice guide for the week. **You will still be responsible for your weekly objectives. These will be due on Sunday, April 5th at 11:59 PM to Schoology.**

You will fill out a short survey at the end of the week chronicling your practice and what you improved upon.

Monday, March 30

| | Warm Up (5 min) | Fundamentals (5 min) | Music (10 min) | Other (10 min) |
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| Suggested Activity | Flow Studies 1-8 <i>Get each note in tune before moving on to the next</i> | Scales: Chromatic full range <i>Work up your tempo</i> | Play through each UIL piece <i>Use the 3/5 Recordings to play along to</i> | Listen to music: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6WhWDCw3Mng |

Tuesday, March 31

| | Warm Up (5 min) | Fundamentals (5 min) | Music (10 min) | Other (10 min) |
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| Suggested Activity | Marching Fundamentals Packet <i>Long Tone 1 Ascending and Descending</i> | Scales: Bb, Eb, Ab <i>Work up your tempo by 4 bpm for each scale</i> | Work on your objective pass off for this week <i>Submit recording via Schoology if you are ready</i> | Watch living American composer, Brian Balmages, discuss composition: https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=IyIWrqHCaZM |

Wednesday, April 1

| | Warm Up (5 min) | Fundamentals (5 min) | Music (10 min) | Other (10 min) |
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| Suggested Activity | Remington Descending Sixteenth Articulation exercise @ 120 bpm | Scales: F, C, G <i>Work up your tempo by 4 bpm for each scale</i> | Sight read through one of the supplemental Festival solos <i>Play it for your family!</i> | Play the Monster Musician Reader Sight Reading game (or watch on Youtube) <i>Book 5, Race speed</i> |

Thursday, April 2

| | Warm Up (5 min) | Fundamentals (5 min) | Music (10 min) | Other (10 min) |
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| Suggested Activity | Remington Ascending Marching Fundamentals Packet <i>Articulation Exercises 1-4</i> | Scales: Db and D <i>Go slow to get each note correct!</i> | Work on your objective pass off for this week <i>Submit recording via Schoology</i> | Watch a Live Stream concert at 12 pm: https://www.armyfieldband.com/livestreamstory/ |

Friday, April 3

| | Warm Up (5 min) | Fundamentals (5 min) | Music (10 min) | Other (10 min) |
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| Suggested Activity | Marching Fundamentals Packet <i>Flexibility 1 and 2</i> | Scales: Gb and A <i>Go slow to get each note correct!</i> | Sight read through one of the supplemental Festival ensemble <i>Play it with a friend using technology!</i> | Watch the FREE online master class video at: https://www.denisonbands.org/distance-learning.html |

Required Practice Journal

This will be due on Sunday, April 5th at 11:59 PM

<https://forms.gle/du9sxauTh1RFV44V7>

Be sure to check out the Supplemental Materials on Schoology!