

Uniform Washing Information

Thank you for volunteering to wash uniforms this season. We so greatly appreciate your dedication and support.

You will be assigned specific uniforms to wash after each game/competition. There is a sign in / sign out sheet that will be on the uniform racks for each event. For each washing, we will add 2.5 hours to the volunteer tracking form for you time spent, washing, drying, organizing, picking up and delivering uniforms. For Walmart/Sam's Club associates, I am tracking this for VAP hours as well.

When do I pickup uniforms?

- Uniforms need to be picked up on Friday nights after games. Please sign out the uniforms each time.
- Note: This may be different for competitions depending on when the band returns. Uniforms should be picked up upon the students return from competition.

When do I return uniforms?

- Clean uniforms need to be returned on Tuesday nights to the band room between 6:00 – 9:00 pm. The racks will be out and available for you to hang them up. Please sign in the uniforms each time.
- Please hang up the uniforms on the corresponding instrument rack in alphabetical order based on the band member's first name.

The following are a few helpful tips:

- Jackets and Pants are to be washed separately in cold water with a mild detergent
- Jackets are to be washed inside out so buttons do not get scratched
- Gauntlets are to be washed together, with the Velcro connecting them, this will keep them from snagging.
- Uniforms should be dried on low heat (NOTE: Gauntlet's do not go in the dryer they need to air dry, on a flat surface).
- Make sure pants are folded on the seam prior to hanging up. The pant/bib straps should be hung over the hook of the hanger. Make sure snaps are intact.
- Jackets are hung on top of the pants on the same hanger and needs to be zipped up the back.
- Place a dryer sheet in the garment bag after the uniforms have been washed, this will keep the uniforms fresh and smelling good.
- Students should not leave dinkles (shoes) in garment bag
- It is not the volunteer's responsibility to wash any dirty clothing; socks, t-shirts, shorts that are left in the garment bags, these items should not be left in the garment bags.