



2025-2026 Fee Assistance Program

Bentonville West Midnight Regiment/Winter Guard

It is critical for the success of the Bentonville West Marching Band that each student pay their fair share of expenses in a timely manner. The **Band Fee Assistance Program** is intended to help cover expenses to minimize the financial burden to families in need. There are two ways to receive assistance:

- 1. Student Band Fee Scholarship:** Students may be eligible to receive a full or partial Band Fee Scholarship for the 2025-2026 season. Scholarships are limited and based on funds available.
- 2. Student Band Fee Extended Payment Plan:** Students who do not qualify for a scholarship may be eligible for the Band Fee Extended Payment Plan, allowing smaller payments over a longer period.

Refer to the **2025-2026 Financial Letter** for a breakdown of what is covered by band fees.

Students who receive assistance are expected to participate in fundraising opportunities to help offset the cost of their fees. Additionally, volunteer work will be required and can be fulfilled by the student or family/friends on behalf of the student. Visit bwestband.com/volunteers for current opportunities.

Please complete this form to apply for assistance and return to the Director of Bands. You will be contacted when a decision is made, and additional details and forms will be provided for eligible students.

Information will remain confidential and only discussed by deciding parties.

Student Name: _____ Student 9 Digit ID: _____

Parent Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Address: _____ Email: _____

Do you qualify for lunch assistance at Bentonville West High School? ☐ No ☐ Free Lunch ☐ Reduced Lunch

Are you seeking an Extended Payment Plan? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, date of final payment: _____

Please describe your financial need.

By signing below, I agree the information provided above is accurate to the best of my knowledge and acknowledge completing this form does not guarantee assistance will be granted.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____