

2026 Band Camp Rules and Expectations

1. Band Camp is an extension of the high school class, and the student handbook applies to all student conduct. Violations of the student handbook while at camp will be reported to the Principal and/or Assistant Principal, and may result in student discipline.
2. Serious or repeated violations of Band Camp rules or student handbook rules may result in punishment up to and including being sent home early, **WITHOUT A REFUND.**
3. **All luggage, backpacks, and music cases will be searched during student check-in.** The student will face disciplinary action at school if illegal substances are found. Police may also be called.
4. Absolutely no smoking, drinking alcoholic beverages, or illegal drug use is permitted at Band Camp. Non-alcoholic beer and vaping are also prohibited.
5. Each student will be issued a key/keycard to access their dorm room at Band Camp which must be turned in at the end of the week. **Unreturned keycards will result in a charge of up to \$150 which the student/family will be responsible for paying.**
6. Practical jokes of any kind will not be tolerated; no initiation or hazing of other students.
7. Students are responsible for keeping their residence hall rooms, bathrooms, and hallways clean and free of debris.
8. No tape or other objects on residence hall windows, doors, walls, or ceilings.
9. Students/families are responsible for any damage to university or private property.
10. Noise must be kept at a reasonable level. No noise after lights out, and no instrument playing in the residence halls.
11. No running or horseplay in the hallways.
12. Students may not visit rooms on floors other than their own.
13. Students are not permitted in buildings not designated for GHHS Band Camp use.
14. Students cannot leave Band Camp without parental and director permission.
15. Students may not drive themselves to or from Band Camp.
16. Students are not permitted to have outside visitors at any time.
17. The schedule is very demanding and all meals are provided while on campus. Students should eat at all mealtimes to ensure a productive and healthy Band Camp experience.
18. Students who order food deliveries from DoorDash or the like MUST meet the delivery driver in a public space (dorm lobby or the evening social event location) and at least two students should be present to receive the delivery. Students are NOT permitted to leave scheduled rehearsal time to receive deliveries, and all deliveries MUST arrive before lights out. NO EXCEPTIONS.
19. Students should immediately advise Band Camp staff of any health problems that arise during Camp.
20. No skateboarding, scooters, roller skating, roller blades, or "heelies" permitted.
21. For emergencies, students should use a campus call box, call 911, or see any campus adult.
22. Rooms must be cleaned and all luggage placed in designated area first thing on Friday morning. All rooms must pass inspection before any students will leave campus.