



Creekview High School Orchestras

First Day Information Sheet



Welcome to a new school year with the Creekview Orchestra! This page contains lots of info and instructions to help you have a successful start to the year in orchestra!

1. Review the Creekview Orchestra Handbook and Fine Arts Handbook with your parents. Sign and detach the **Handbook Signature Page**. Bring it with you to the Orchestra Registration Day.
2. Access the Creekview Orchestra web site and click the "**Calendar**" link. Make sure your home calendar reflects all of the indicated performance dates and other dates that apply to you. Check periodically for updates. We will notify you of any major changes.
3. All students need a BLACK, 3-ring binder with a front window to use for orchestra class exclusively. You need to have your binder in class by Thursday, August 30th. It's for a grade!

Upcoming Dates:

1. **Freshman Social** is THIS Friday, August 24th, from 4:00-6:00 PM in the Orchestra Hall. For ALL officers and **ALL freshmen!**
2. **Howdy Party** Cookout! Friday, August 31st at the park behind Creekview (Timber Creek Park). 4:00-6:00 PM. Join us for our first Orchestra party of the year!!
3. The **Freshman/New Student Meeting** is Thursday, September 6th, at 6:30 PM in the Orchestra room. This meeting is **required** for all students new to Creekview, as well as one adult for each student.
4. **Orchestra Registration Day** is Saturday, September 15th. **Wear light athletic type clothing for uniform fitting**. It is now first come first serve.

Please print and bring the following items:

Handbook Signature page
Fine Arts COC Signature page
Medical & Field Trip Release Form
Private lesson program sign up sheet

During **registration day** you may turn in all forms and fees, pick up your uniform, join the booster club, and purchase spirit items.

Creekview Orchestra Updates and Reminders

We will use **Twitter** to send out text message updates to parents and students. We send out 2-3 messages per week maximum. This is mandatory for all students who have a cell phone with messaging. For parents, this is optional but often helpful!

In order to ensure that your messages are always relevant, you will need to sign up twice – once for the orchestra program as a whole, and once for your specific class.

Creekview Orchestra Program Updates* (everyone must do this one)

Send a text to **40404** with the message **follow CreekviewOrch**



Orchestra Class updates (choose your specific orchestra)

3rd period Concert Orchestra: Send a text to **40404** with the message **follow ConcertOrch**

2nd period Camerata Orchestra: Send a text to **40404** with the message **follow CreekviewCam**

4th period Philharmonic Orchestra: Send a text to **40404** with the message **follow CHSPHil**

1st period Symphonic Orchestra: Send a text to **40404** with the message **follow CHSymphonic**