

AHJS STRINGS CALENDAR 2018-2019

DATE	TIME	TITLE of EVENT	Attire	Participants	Attendance
Tuesday, August 14	5:00-6:00p; 6:30-7:30p	7 th /8 th Grade at 5p; 6 th Grade at 6:30p Strings Informational Meeting/Sizing	N/A	Parents/Students Fees	Recommended
Wednesday, August 15	4-6p	Student Sizing Make-Up	N/A	Students/Fees	Optional
Thursday, August 16	6:30-7:30p	7 th /8 th Grade Sizing Make-Up	N/A	Any	Recommended
Saturday, August 18	11:00-1:00p	Instrument Sizing Make-up	N/A	Leasing	Rental Fee \$50
Thursday, August 30	During Class	6 th Grade Parent Open House during Class	School	6 th Grade	Recommended
Friday, August 31	During Class	7 th /8 th Grade Parent Open House—in Class	School	7 th /8 th Grade	Recommended
Thursday, September 6	6:00-7:30 p	Strings Back to School Bash!	TBD	ALL	Optional! ☺
Thursday, October 11	5:00-7:30p	JS Strings Spaghetti Supper and Fall Concert (Refer to specific concert schedule notice.)	Official Strings T-shirt, Jeans	ALL	Mandatory (Concert only)
Wednesday, October 10	4:00p	Deadline for registering for TMEA Region. Fees due.	N/A	Any	Recommended
Wednesday, October 17	4-5:45p	Extended Practice and Mock Region Auditions AHJS Strings Room.	School	All Region Groups	Required for those auditioning
Wednesday, October 24	TBD	8 th grade/High School Strings Side-by-Side Concert. AHHS Auditorium	Formal Concert Black (plus special)	8 th Grade	Required for 8 th graders
Saturday, November 3	7 th Grade-- 8:00a 8 th Grade-- 1:00p	(TBD) TMEA Region 12 Con Brio (7) and Concertino (8) Orchestra Auditions Lopez MS	School Dress/Flexible	7 th and 8 th Grade Region Auditions	<i>Selected Students</i>
Friday, November 9	TBD	Selected Groups Veterans Day Performance	Formal Concert Black	TBD	<i>School Day Performance</i>
Saturday, November 10	1:00p	(TBD) TMEA Region 12 Bravo (6) Orchestra Auditions Roosevelt High School	School Dress/Flexible	6th grade Region	<i>Selected Students</i>
Friday, November 30	6:30p - 8:30p	TMEA Region 12 Clinic. Tejada MS (TBD)	TBD	<i>Selected Winners</i>	<i>Selected- M</i>
Saturday, December 1	9:00a -2:30p	TMEA Region 12 Clinic. Tejada (TBD)	TBD	<i>Selected Winners</i>	<i>Selected- M</i>
Saturday, December 1	4:00p	TMEA Region 12 CONCERT. Reagan HS	TBD	<i>Selected Winners</i>	<i>Selected -M</i>
Thursday, December 13	6:30 Concert (6:00 Call)	Strings Winter Concert AHJS Auditorium	Formal Concert BLACK	ALL	MANDATORY
Friday, December 21	8:00a Call - 12:45p	AHJS Strings Goodwill Tours	Formal Concert BLACK	**Students that qualified	Optional

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Friday, January 18	During Class	Class Recital (Solos and Ensembles)	Nice School	ALL	MANDATORY
Thursday, January 31	3:00 -5:00p	Solo and Ensemble Contest	Nice School	ALL	Recommended
Thursday, January 31	5:00-7:00p	Movie Night, AHJS Strings Room	Comfortable	7 th /8 th Grade	Optional
Thursday, February 5	6:30-7:00p (5:00-7:30p)	Side-by-Side Concert, AHJS Auditorium Summer with Strings, Girls Gym	Official Strings T-shirt, Jeans	5th and 6th grade	Mandatory Concert for 6th
Thursday, February 7	4 – 6p	Side-by-Side Celebration TBD	Comfortable	5 th and 6 th grade	Optional
Tuesday, February 12	N/A	UIL Groups Determined. UIL Music Play-Offs Due	N/A	7 th /8 th	N/A
2 Thursdays: Feb. 21, Feb. 28	Snacks Provided 4:00-5:45 p	Sinfonia UIL Practice for those that qualified (Play-offs)	N/A	Sinfonia UIL Students	Mandatory for 7/8 grade UIL Students
Thursday, March 7	TBD (8a- 12:45p)	PRE-UIL Clinic, AHJS Strings Room	Casual Concert	7/8 grade UIL Groups	MANDATORY for 7/8 grade UIL.
Thursday, March 7	Concert: 6:30-7:15 p (5:00-7:30p)	Strings Pre-UIL Concert, AHHS Auditorium Summer with Strings, Fine Arts Building	Formal BLACK	7/8 grade UIL Groups	Concert MANDATORY for 7/8 UIL
Tuesday/Wednesday March 26/27	(Bus call at AHJS TBD)	UIL Middle School Orchestra Contest and Sight-Reading Contest, San Marcos HS	Formal BLACK	7/8 UIL Groups	MANDATORY
Wednesday, March 27	TBD	AHISD Showcase of Engaged Learning	Special Tees	Selected	Selected
Monday, April 29 TENTATIVE	TIMES TBD	AHISD STRINGS FESTIVAL, Blossom Athletic	Formal BLACK	ALL-4th-12th Grade	MANDATORY
Wednesday, May 8	Concert: 6:00-7:05 p Reception 7:10p	AHJS Spring Concert, AHJS Auditorium (8th Grade Reception, Cafeteria)	TBD	ALL	MANDATORY
Friday, May 10	Times TBD	Orchestra Performance Trip	Formal Black	TBD	TBD
Saturday, May 18	TIMES and BUS TBD	SIX FLAGS Field Trip	Cool, TBD	TBD	Optional
Monday, May 20	During Class	Class Recital (Solos or Ensembles)	Nice School	All	Mandatory