

Music



JAZZ

All students must complete the application at magnet.ccsd.net by January 9, 2024. Applications entered after the deadline are considered late and will be scheduled for the late audition and only if a seat in the requested conservatory is available. Auditions are open to students entering grades 9, 10, and 11. Band and Jazz are two different majors both with separate auditions. *Please check with your student that their program of choice is correct on the application. No changes can be made after January 9, 2024.* Questions? Contact Linda Skeary at skearlm@nv.ccsd.net or 702-799-7800 ext. 4202.

AUDITION REQUIREMENTS:

Brass, Winds, Guitar, Bass, Piano, and Vibraphone

1. Sight-reading
2. Scales: Concert Bb Major, Concert F Major, and Concert Eb Major Scales at a tempo of quarter note equals 144 beats per minute. The chromatic scale of your choice at a tempo of quarter note equals 120 beats per minute in 8th note triplets.
3. Perform ONE of the following three choices:
 - Standard jazz piece and solo over two choruses of changes OR
 - Jazz transcription of a major performer with the head and two choruses of solos OR
 - LVA Optional Jazz Audition

Drummers:

1. Sight-reading
2. Demonstrate Latin, Jazz and Afro-Cuban style
3. Trade fours in a Swing style
4. Demonstrate knowledge of brushes

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Parents/Guardians will receive an audition confirmation email prior to the audition containing their student's magnet confirmation number. Students must bring/show electronically a copy of the audition confirmation email to check in on the day of their audition.

Information is also available on the parent/guardians application dashboard.

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