

2009-10 LOADING CREW

Canyon Ridge Middle School Band

Students and Parents,

Welcome back! I hope you've had a relaxing summer. Ms. Allison, Mr. Matschek, and I are very excited to start the new school year with you!

As you know, the Canyon Ridge Middle School Band travels to several performances and events throughout the school year. We can't do this without students who help load, unload, and set-up the equipment and materials before, during, and after each performance/event.

Rather than asking for different volunteers for each performance/event, we've created an official **Canyon Ridge Middle School Band Loading Crew** to make the traveling process run significantly more smoothly. The loading crew will be comprised of eighteen students, six students from the Honor Band, Symphonic Band, and Concert Band. All students are welcome to apply. Selections will be based upon:

1. Academic Teacher Recommendation Form

Please present "Academic Teacher Recommendation Forms" to three (photocopy them on your own) academic teachers from this past school year.

2. Essay

Please submit a short essay (1-3 paragraphs in length) stating why you believe you will be an exceptional loading-crew member.

3. Previous school year's six-weeks averages

Please note that the Leander Independent School District abides by the "No pass, no play" policy. Your grades are being taken into account to **ensure** your presence at **all** performances/events.

Application materials are due no later than **September 18** to Mr. Yee's office. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me.

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