

SPRAYBERRY HIGH SCHOOL
BAND OF GOLD



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Sprayberry Band of Gold Student Contract

- I understand that being a member of the Band of Gold program (Marching Band, Percussion, Color Guard, Spirit Guard) is a worthwhile activity; however, I should strive to do the best I possibly can in my academic work. This means I will budget my time so that I do not jeopardize my ability to participate in BOG and other extracurricular activities. I also understand that if I experience academic difficulties, I can speak to the band directors to get assistance.
- I understand that as a member of the Sprayberry Band of Gold, I will be held to the highest standard of discipline and behavior. I will treat my directors, leadership, peers, and parent volunteers with respect in my language and behavior. Actions deemed detrimental to the program will be subject to disciplinary actions, including dismissal from the program. These disciplinary actions will be determined by the band directors.
- I understand that I represent the Band of Gold and a legacy of excellence. I will strive to honor and represent the reputation of BOG and my school when visiting other schools for away games and competitions.
- I understand that my attendance at practices, performances and group functions is expected at all times and is vital to the success of the entire group. If I must miss an event, I am required to let the band directors or staff know, in writing, at least 2 weeks before the absence. In the case of a sudden emergency that demands an absence, I will make every effort to notify the band directors or staff via phone or email as quickly as possible.
- I understand that it is vital that I am on time to all rehearsals. If I am going to be late for any reason I need to clear it with a band director or staff prior to the tardiness. Excessive unexcused tardiness may also lead to discipline.
- I understand that I cannot practice or perform if I do not come to school that day, unless I check in before 11:30 AM or check out after 12:30 PM.
- I understand that being at school, even when sick, means that I will be at practice unless cleared by a band director prior to practice. Unexcused absences will be subject to discipline and will result in failure to perform. Multiple unexcused absences will result in dismissal from the program. Excused and unexcused absences will be determined by the band directors.
- I understand that if I receive ISS or OSS I will be ineligible to practice or perform during the suspended time period. Additionally, I will not be able to perform until I adequately demonstrate proficiency of the material learned and practiced during the suspension time period. Multiple visits to ISS and OSS may result in dismissal from the program at the band director's discretion.
- I understand the Sprayberry Band is a music organization. All music rehearsals & performances take precedence over any activity. Any infractions of this rule could result in dismissal from the program.
- I understand that, above all, I am an important and integral part of the success of the Sprayberry Band of Gold. I will work hard to be my best in the classroom, at rehearsals and performances, and will strive to bring pride to our program, our school, and our community.