

# SHS Music Department

## Course Offerings

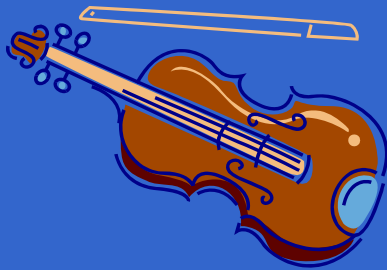
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- Wind Ensemble
- Symphonic Band
- Orchestra
- Chorus
- World Percussion
- Music Theory I-IV
- Historical Perspectives of Music
- Music in Our Lives I-II



# Performance-based courses

- Wind Ensemble, Symphonic Band, Orchestra, Chorus, World Percussion
- All perform in three concerts per year
- Excellent ensembles
- Fulfill arts requirement & have fun





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# Theory/History Courses

- Music Theory I, II, III, IV (one semester each); Historical Perspectives of Music (fall semester)
- A MUST if you're considering any type of career related to music
- Interesting, challenging, and fun if you have some kind of background in music



# Music in Our Lives I-II

- NYS State arts requirement for graduation
- Music in Our Lives I-II (one semester each) fulfills arts requirement
- Good for those students without any background in music, who need to fill the arts requirement



# Bonuses

- Marching band trip to Disney World
- Jazz Ensemble performances in the community
- Shaker Select Chorus field trip performances
- Shaker Theatre Musicals
- Chamber Orchestra/String Quartet
- Pit Orchestra for musicals
- African Drum Circles in World Percussion
- Tri-M Music Honor Society

# Brain Power

- Music encourages creativity, expression, independence, commitment, energy, self-discipline... all important traits for colleges and future careers
- Plus you get to have fun every day at SHS

