

Additional Parade Guidelines for Band Chaperones

Arrival and Loading

Shoes must be dust free – check students after they are dressed in their uniform

Check for black socks and hats as they enter bus.

No nail polish or jewelry

Students do not usually wear their jackets during the bus ride. Ask students to neatly fold and place their uniform jacket on their laps during the bus rides.

Uniforms are never to touch the ground. Remind students not to lean or brush against fences, railings, or any items which will soil their uniforms.

Performance

Upon arrival, chaperones pick up the water (on equipment trailer or wagon)

Check:

Uniform – check if still clean, dust off if can

Hair – no loose strands

Pants – check length – fix if you can

Shoes – make sure that tied

Help distribute plumes – push plume in hat by holding bottom metal piece

Before parade starts – water only when Mr. Garcia authorizes

– watch for white tongues

Walk to the right of the parade – behind the viewers and judges

No activity with band after they are set for judging

Check for any sick students – ask them – if they're sick:

Pull from student from the parade, take their jacket off, if necessary

Give water

Chaperone stays with student until end of parade

Let Mrs. Adams or Mrs. Fitkin know so buses will wait at end of parade

Help collect plumes at end of parade

Water bottles will be in coolers at end of parade for students and chaperones.

Additional Parade Guidelines for Colorguard Chaperones

Arrival and Loading

Visit bathroom before loading buses.

Check as they load bus:

Clean shoes, white tights, hats

No nail polish or jewelry

Everything not needed for parade stays on the bus

Girls must have hats, equipment out and lipstick on

Performance

On arrival get water from wagon or equipment trailer

Check: zipper pull and hook on uniform jacket

Hair – no loose strands

Shoes tied

Water only when Mr. Garcia authorizes

Walk to the right of parade – behind the viewers and judges

No activity with guard once they are set for judging

Girls should not be fidgeting or moving around at this time

Watch for anyone feeling sick

Water bottles will be in coolers at end of parade for students and chaperones