Band Program Participation

Students entering Leila North for September of their grade 6 year may choose to be in the Band program prior to the beginning of their grade 6 year. The commitment is for one year after which students may re-commit for grade 7 and 8.

Students who transfer to Leila North during their grade 6 year may have an opportunity to join the Band program if the following conditions are met:

- The student was in a Band program at their previous school.
- The student remains on the instrument played at their previous school.
- The student has demonstrated a skill level that is comparable to the current level of his/her peers.
- Should learning support be necessary for the student to reach an acceptable level of skill, it will be the responsibility of the parents to provide for this additional support.

Students who transfer to Leila North during their grade 7 or 8 year may have an opportunity to join the Band program if the following conditions are met:

- The student was in a Band program at their previous school.
- The student remains on the instrument played at their previous school.
- The student has demonstrated a skill level that is comparable to the current level of his/her peers.
- Should learning support be necessary for the student to reach an acceptable level of skill, it will be the responsibility of the parents to provide for this additional support.

Students who transfer to Leila North from a school that did not have a Band program may have an opportunity to join the Band program if the following conditions are met:

- The student selects an instrument with the assistance of the Band director.
- Learning support for the student to be able to reach an acceptable level of skill is the sole responsibility of the parent/guardian. The Band director will provide assistance with securing this support if needed.
- A mimimum level of skill must be demonstrated to the Band director prior to the student being scheduled for Band with their peers.