

# Lufkin High School Band

## Tardy Policy

The Lufkin HS Band has approximately 200 student members. The success of any student group that big depends largely on the ability of its members to maintain good attendance and punctuality. The following tardy consequence plan will serve to give students several chances to learn how to be punctual, but will also hold students accountable for repeated tardiness.

Effective immediately (July 31, 2019), the Lufkin High School Band will observe the following tardy policy.

### **1st unexcused tardy - 5 minutes of makeup practice**

- This adult supervised makeup practice session will take place at the conclusion of marching rehearsal when the rest of the band is dismissed to come inside (during marching season), or after school (during concert season).

### **2nd unexcused tardy - parent contact and 10 minutes of makeup practice**

- This adult supervised makeup practice session will take place at the conclusion of marching rehearsal when the rest of the band is dismissed to come inside (during marching season), or after school (during concert season).

### **3rd unexcused tardy - parent contact and 20 minutes of makeup practice**

- This makeup practice session will take place after school.

### **4th unexcused tardy - parent contact and 45 minutes of makeup practice**

- This makeup practice session will take place after school.

### **5th unexcused tardy - student's schedule will be changed out of band**

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### **SPECIAL NOTES**

- Excused absences (flat tire, sick sibling, power outage, etc.) that have proper documentation from a parent or guardian will not incur tardy consequences.
- The tardy count for each student will reset at the beginning of every semester.