

Music Opportunities in Mt. Horeb Area School District

General Music

Music classes are offered for all children in grades K-7.

Intermediate Center

Introduction to Orchestra:
4th & 5th Grade Programs.

Middle School

- 6th, 7th & 8th Grade Bands
- 7th & 8th Grade Choirs
- 7th & 8th Chorale: Optional choir, meeting before school.
- 7th & 8th Instrumental Jazz Ensemble: Optional before school jazz group.
- 6th, 7th & 8th Grade Orchestras
- Fiddle Band: Optional before school group for orchestra students in grades 6, 7 & 8.

High School Band

Concert Band: Made up of freshmen and sophomores, it meets daily.

Symphonic Band: Comprised of juniors and seniors, it also meets daily. Freshmen and sophomores may audition.

Wind Ensemble: Comprised of accomplished band performers when sufficient enrollment and interest. Meets daily 2nd semester.

Marching Band: Includes all members of high school band.

Instrumental ensembles: Optional before or after school groups, includes Dixieland and jazz bands.

High School Orchestra

Large Group Orchestra: Meets twice each week. Students in orchestra and band, attend band three times a week and orchestra twice a week, alternating days.

Chamber Strings: Meets three days each week, opposite days of the large group orchestra.

Fiddle Band: Optional high school performance group for orchestra students, meeting either before or after school.

High School Choir

Mixed Choir: Primarily comprised of freshmen and sophomores, it meets daily.

Concert Choir: Choir made up of juniors and seniors, it also meets daily.

Vocal Jazz: Optional high school jazz group, by audition.

Chordsmen: Optional high school men's group, by audition.

Chamber Singers: Optional high school women's group, by audition.

Madrigal: A cappella ensemble, by audition.

Taste of Jazz

showcases elective middle and high school groups and ensembles – jazz, Dixieland and fiddle music – and features a professional jazz artist or group.

Solo & Ensemble

gives students an opportunity to perform solos or in small groups and receive constructive criticism and a rating on performances at the local and/or district-sponsored music festival. Students choose their music and first perform at the school level.

High School Musical

auditions are in August, with performances scheduled the first weekend in November.

The high school **Viking Band Show** is a combination variety show/rock concert/music party event that includes all types of music. Orchestra and choir students are often invited to participate.

High school music groups also help celebrate **Memorial Day, Veteran's Day, Homecoming and Graduation.**

