



FRANKLIN COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL

BLUE REGIMENT Marching Band and Color Guard

2020-2021 General Fee Information

The Franklin Community High School Instrumental Music Department and Franklin Community Schools Band Booster Organization are able to provide numerous opportunities to our students that we believe improve their musical education and experiences. For our program to provide these opportunities to all our students the band booster organization charges a nominal fee referred to as the **General Fee**.

The General Fee is assessed one time a year to all high school students who participate in a curricular or extra-curricular, high school Instrumental Music Department ensemble – Wind Ensemble, Symphonic Band, Concert Band, Jazz Band, Marching Band/Color Guard, Indoor Drum Line, and Winter Guard. The General Fee is used to help cover the operational costs of the Instrumental Music Department and band booster organization.

2020-2021 Administrative Budget

Business entity report	\$22.50	Tax preparation.....	\$1,500.00
Emergency fund	\$1,000.00	Treasurer payroll.....	\$5,000.00
Employee dishonesty bond	\$174.00	Website hosting/domain names.....	\$325.00
Music administration software	\$365.00	Departmental awards	\$100.00
Office supplies	\$300.00	Advertising	\$150.00
P.O. Box rental	\$96.00	Supplies.....	\$100.00
Postage.....	\$300.00	School membership	\$30.00
Professional development	\$1,800.00		

The total budget for the 2020-2021 year is **\$11,262.50**.

Fees for specific ensembles such as the Marching Band/Color Guard, Indoor Drum Line, and Winter Guard are **NOT** included in the General Fee and are assessed **SEPARATELY**. The General Fee does **NOT** cover any corporation fees such as course or textbook fees, school instrumental rental fees, or transportation fees.

The General Fee for the 2020-2021 academic year is **\$75**.

Checks should be made payable to *Franklin Community Schools Band Boosters* and can either be mailed directly to band booster organization at the address listed below or turned in to the band office. Fees are also payable online through PayPal. The band booster organization account is **fchs.in.band@gmail.com**. Additional information on making payments online can be found on the band website **www.franklinbands.info/paypal**. Payment plans are also available and can be arranged by contacting the band booster organization.

The band booster organization organizes numerous fundraisers throughout the school year to help students earn money for their various fees. Students who have funds available in their individual student account may use it towards the General Fee, school instrument rental fees, and/or corporation transportation fees.

Please let us know if you have any questions. Thank you for your continued support!

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