

Riverside High School
Jazz Band, Advanced Band, Percussion Ensemble
Grading Syllabus/Guide/Handbook
2008-2009
Mr. Comstock

Class Goals - Learn about music appreciation and performance through listening, practicing, rehearsing, discussion, and performance.

Class Expectations (R.C.A.)

1. Respect
 - a. People (teachers, students, administration, guests, etc.)
 - b. Equipment/Materials/Music (personal, school, etc.)

 2. Communication
 - a. Be proactive about concerns/problems
 - b. No question is stupid, ALWAYS ASK!

 3. Attitude
 - a. Be positive
 - b. Effort always overcomes ability
 - c. Have faith not only in yourself, but in peers and teachers
- * Class starts promptly when the tardy bell has rung. Your instrument(s), sheet music, warm-up materials, pencil, music journal, and any other necessary items must be fully ready allowing you to start the rehearsal on time. You will be assessed a tardy if this is not accomplished.
- *You will not be permitted to leave the classroom unless it is an emergency. Take care of all needs prior to the start of class.
- * Be careful and respectful of all the equipment around you in the band room. Many dollars have been spent to make this program successful and it is expected that you will treat all equipment with care. Any damage resulting from your negligence or carelessness will be your financial responsibility.