

Arkansas School Band and Orchestra Association

Junior High School Classification Form 2017-2018 – Any 7th, 8th, and/or 9th Grade Organization

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| School Name: | Director: | Region: |
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Note: 1. Classification number is determined by the highest grade used in the band/orchestra.
 2. Classification letter is determined by the **AVERAGE SCHOOL ENROLLMENT** of all grades used in the band/orchestra.

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| Junior High School Enrollment <small>(Only 1 grade involved, indicate the grade being used and how many)</small> |
| Grade ____ = ____ |
| Total _____ |
| Average School Enrollment _____ |

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| Junior High School Enrollment <small>(2 grades involved, indicate the grades being used and how many)</small> |
| Grade ____ = ____ |
| Grade ____ = ____ |
| Total _____ |
| Average School Enrollment _____ |

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| Junior High School Enrollment <small>(3 grades involved, indicate the grades being used and how many)</small> |
| Grade 9 = ____ |
| Grade 8 = ____ |
| Grade 7 = ____ |
| Total _____ |
| Average School Enrollment _____ |

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| CLASSIFICATION |
| (Please indicate your average school enrollment in the proper classification range below) |
| 149 – Below ____ = E |
| 150 – 299 ____ = EE |
| 300 – 449 ____ = EEE |
| 450 – Above ____ = EEEE |
| (From the AAA Office) Sixth grade students are not eligible to compete against students in grades 7-12 in any competition for awards, ratings, recognitions, criticism or qualifying for additional competition. THEY MAY ENTER SOLO-ENSEMBLE EVENTS – HOWEVER, if they are members of an ensemble, the ensemble must be composed of 6th graders only. This in no way limits 6th graders from performing at non-competitive school events, such as concerts, school shows or halftime marching shows. |

**** Use school enrollment as of May 1, 2017. ****

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| Unique Classifications <small>(Place an X to indicate classification, if applicable)</small> |
| Second bands/orchestras chosen by audition ____ DD - #E'S of the above classification |
| Third bands/orchestras chosen by audition ____ DDD - #E'S of the above classification |
| Second groups which only have students in their first year of training ____ D - #E'S of the above classification |
| NEW band/orchestra programs in existence for three years or less N1____, N2____, or N3____ plus - #E'S of the above classification <small>(Depending upon which year of the program's existence, i.e., N1-9EE, N2-8DD-EEE)</small> |
| Newly consolidated band/orchestra programs C1____ plus above class or C2____ plus above classification <small>(Depending upon which year of the program's consolidation, i.e., C1-AAA, C2-9DD-EEEE)</small> |
| For schools affected by or newly created due to restructuring within a school district R1____ plus above class or R2____ plus above classification <small>(Depending upon which year of the program's restructuring, i.e., R1-AA, R2-9DDD-EEEE)</small> |
| All 7 th grade beginner groups ____ 7(#E's by enrollment of 7 th grade)/BEG i.e. 7EE/BEG |

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| Indicate the grade level(s) used in your Junior High School Band/Orchestra and total number enrolled in each of those grades in your Junior High School Band/Orchestra . |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 5 th grade - How many ____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 6 th grade - How many ____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 7 th grade - How many ____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 8 th grade - How many ____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 9 th grade - How many ____ |

Signature of Director: _____
 Signature of Principal: _____
 Date: _____

OFFICIAL BAND/ORCHESTRA CLASSIFICATION

*** Deadline for Return – September 30, 2017 ***
 OR **BEFORE** first scheduled interscholastic event, whichever occurs first

Send **one copy** to **ASBOA**, 6227 Tech Lane, Russellville, AR 72801 (FAX: 479.498.6063 or 501.421.7994)
AND one copy to your **Region Chair**.