

My Fair Share Contribution (MFSC) Information

The my fair share contribution (MFSC) program is an important component ensuring necessary funds would be available to support the student band program at Gulf Breeze High School. A budget is devised each spring and approved annually by vote of the Gulf Breeze Band Boosters membership at the May meeting. The fair share contribution is an important part of this budget process with an assumption that all families will help contribute an equal portion to the program.

The MFSC amount for the 2019-20 school year is \$550 with a -10% discount given to those that contribute in full by the first day of band camp (July 16th). The MFSC can either be paid in one lump sum by July 16th (\$495, save 10%!) or by the following payments: Audition Commitment May 20 (\$100), June 28 (\$125), July 31 (\$125), August 30 (\$100), and September 27 (\$100). Payments can be made by cash, check, or through My School Bucks (please visit www.gbhssoundwave.com for the My School Bucks information). If a student does not satisfy their portion of the My fair share contribution, they will not be permitted to participate in extracurricular band events (for example: indoor percussion, winter guard, jazz band, spring trip, etc.)

The initial non-refundable Audition Commitment (1st MFS payment) of \$100 is due May 20th. The director will use this commitment as confirmation that the student will have a position on the field during the 2019 marching season. It is very difficult to add positions in the drill after the show is written, so the student may end up as an alternate if the first payment is late.

Each family is encouraged to participate in multiple band functions during the school year. This includes chaperoning games, competitions, concessions, spirit sales, fundraisers, and other opportunities. Please contact a volunteer coordinator or check the Charms calendar for more details. Our tremendous parent support helps to keep the fair share amount low.

Volunteering for 3 income producing events (i.e. Concessions Booth, Program Sales, other) and you can also receive a 10% discount on your MFSC (credited in October)

The Gulf Breeze Band wants all students to take full advantage of any opportunities provided in this outstanding music program. If you have concerns about meeting your financial obligation, please contact the band director or director assistant.