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Dear Students, Parents and Guardians,

RE: Elementary Band Co-Curricular Program Grade 4-8

The Prince Albert Catholic School Division is pleased to announce that we will be offering an elementary band program for students from grades 5 to 8. This program is optional for students. The Band Program will operate during the school day as a co-curricular program.

Registration for the program for grades 5 to 8 students is occurring using the electronic registration link found in Edsby or by form available through the school. We are now accepting registrations! The program will begin the second week of September until mid-June.

All band classes will be held at École St Anne School. Transportation to and from École St Anne School will be provided for the band program via a school bus. Instrument rental or purchase will be the student's responsibility, and purchase a Method Book and Band teacher for performances (approx. \$22). More information about rental options and purchase of books will be shared by Mme. Manning (Elementary Band Teacher). If costs are a barrier to participation in the Band program, we have an instrument assistance program available through your child's school.

The **grade four** classes will have a fieldtrip to the band class located at École St. Anne School schedules for 1 hour on either May 8, 9 or 10. The grade four students will have the opportunity to see what band instrument they might like and have an opportunity to learn more about the band program. They will be accompanied by their teacher.

Attached to this Edsby communication is a video created by students and staff to assist students and families in providing a glimpse of the band [Band Program Video](#). The program schedule will be established once registrations are complete. Please use the following link to register for the 2023- 24 [Elementary Band Registration Form](#).

Do not hesitate to contact Mme. Manning at École St Anne School (306-953-7549) or your child's school to have any of your questions addressed. We look forward to having students participating in the Elementary Band Program. Let's make some beautiful music!

Yours truly,

L. Trumier

PLEASE RETURN TO YOUR CHILD'S TEACHER BY May 17, 2023

Student Name: _____ **School:** _____ **Grade:** _____

You may register your child for band by completing the form below **OR** by using the electronic form [Elementary Band Registration Form](#) by May 17, 2023

Permission to attend Band class next fall

____ Yes, my child is interested in participating in band class for the fall of 2023-2024.

____ No, my child is not interested in participating in band class for the fall of 2023-2024.

____ My child and I are undecided and would like to have the band teacher contact me for more information.

Is this the student's first time in the band program? **Yes or No**

If the student was previously in band, what instrument did they play? _____

Parent Signature

Parent Name

Parent phone number