

PASADENA CITY COLLEGE
TOURNAMENT OF ROSES HONOR BAND

BAND UNIFORM INFORMATION

Bring this sheet with you on your Uniform Fitting Day (see green schedule)

- I) Required items
- A) White Band Shoes
 - 1) White leather lace-up marching shoe – **MTX Brand (white shoe polish is also needed)**
 - 2) Patent leather, vinyl, plastic, or athletic shoes are not allowed
 - 3) Sources for shoes
 - (a) A shoe supplier will be available in CA-134 at 11 am on November 4 and November 11 to fit students for shoe sizes and take orders for white leather marching shoes. The cost is \$50 and can be paid with either cash or check made out to PCC Band. (Payment must be made when ordering the shoes.)
 - (b) Another source of marching shoes (if you choose to buy shoes on your own) is: Peacock's Marching World, www.marchingworld.com – (800) 733-BAND (2263)
 - B) White Long-Wristed Cotton Gloves - Available from the uniform crew, \$4.00.
 - C) Plain White Underwear
 - D) PLAIN White T-Shirt (Mandatory!) - **NO TANK TOPS ALLOWED; it must be a PLAIN T-shirt, all white, with no lettering or designs.**
 - E) White Socks - socks must be **ALL WHITE**, mid-calf high with no stripes or logos (AND no gray heels).
 - F) Tuba players and herald trumpeters wear a White Wool Beret (available from the uniform crew for \$10).
 - G) Percussionists (except cymbal players) need wide (“double”) plain White Wristbands. (Amazon.com carries the “Gamma Elite” brand; plain white wristbands are also available at many sporting goods shops. Wristbands with solid color on one side are not acceptable.)
 - H) **NO JEWELRY, WATCHES, BRACELETS, SUNGLASSES or TRANSITION LENSES** in uniform.
 - I) **NO UNNATURAL HAIR COLORING OR DYES** (no pink, green, blue, etc. hair)
 - J) All Men must be clean shaven or facial hair must be grown in and well-groomed/trimmed – No bushy beards or 3 day old stubble.
- II) **You must wear your white marching shoes at every marching rehearsal and performance, beginning December 9, 2018.** If you do not purchase shoes through the band on November 4 or 11, do not wait until the last minute to buy your shoes elsewhere; they may need to be special ordered.
- III) **PCC wind players participating in the Honor Band will be fitted on Saturday, October 27. All percussionists (college-age and high school) and PCC Lancer Band make-ups will fit uniforms on November 4. Uniform fitting for high school woodwind and brass players will begin on November 13 (see green schedule). Students must wear marching band shoes for the fitting to adjust the pant lengths accurately. If you do not yet have white band shoes, please bring the marching shoes you use with your high school band for the uniform fitting.**
- A) How to wear the uniform (do not wear the uniform over your street clothes)
 - 1) Adjust the suspenders to bring the top of the pants almost up to the underarms.
 - 2) The length of the pants should be adjusted so that the hem just touches the top of the marching shoe.
 - B) Procedure at uniform fitting
 - 1) Report to GM 140 (Band Uniform Facility)
 - 2) Give your name to a member of the uniform crew when called.
 - 3) You will be given a uniform to try on.
 - 4) Go to the dressing area (directions provided on site).
 - 5) Return in full uniform to the uniform room for inspection by the managers. Let us see the uniform, even if it does not fit, so we can determine how much adjustment will be necessary.
 - 6) If the pants or sleeves must be hemmed, you will go to a uniform crew member to have them pinned, and then Mrs. Seidling will check that they have been pinned at the correct length
 - 7) After your uniform (or pinning) is approved by Mrs. Seidling, hang up the complete uniform and take it to a member of the uniform crew (at a desk just inside the door) to be bagged and labeled. **Do not** hang up uniforms that need to be hemmed. Inform the crew about items that need hemming. If you notice loose buttons or snaps or zipper problems, also report those issues to Mrs. Seidling & the uniform crew at the desk.
 - 8) If your uniform needs to be hemmed, you will need to try it on **again** for inspection after it has been sewn (listen for your name to be called).