

JET Band Parent Volunteer Opportunities

Maybe you are new to JET Band and wonder how you can participate. Or maybe you're a returning parent looking for something new. Either way, here's a list of opportunities for you to participate in band activities. Give it a try – you'll have a great time!

Activity	Time of Year	Location	Description	Contact Information
March a Thon	August	Taylor High School attendance zone	Kick off the year by helping out with one of JET Band's most popular fundraisers. The band marches in neighborhoods around each elementary school that feeds into Taylor HS and there's a need for chaperones, lunch servers and more.	marchathon@jetband.org jetfuel@jetband.org chaperones@jetband.org
Mum Making+	Year round; especially August-September	Home or school	Help out with one of the band's larger fundraisers! Work at home or with the Mum-a-Mias at school. Jobs are as simple as cutting and stapling ribbon and as involved as creating an entire mum. Learn from others or bring your own expertise and have a great time socializing while you do it!	mums@jetband.org
Mum Sales/Distribution	One month before Homecoming	School	Take mum orders during lunches from 10:00 – 1:00. Help distribute mum orders when they are ready. Check up on your child at school while s/he thinks you're working on mums!	Mums.sales@jetband.org
Chaperones – Football games and contests+	Fall	Football stadiums throughout Houston	Monitor and aid students at outside events they have, from football games to marching contests and the annual band trip. Spend time with more than 200 entertaining teens!	chaperones@jetband.org
Chaperones – Rodeo Parade+	February	Old Katy	Monitor and aid students at Katy Rodeo Parade as they march in the combined district marching band. Wave to parade attendees and hand out beads.	chaperones@jetband.org
JET Fuel+	Fall	School	Set up, and serve meals to the band and color guard. A great way to see band kids on game day!	jetfuel@jetband.org
Loading Crew+	Fall	Football stadiums throughout Houston	Strong backs required! Help load and unload the band trailer before and after traveling band events. Hang out with the loading crew during football games and hone your armchair quarterback skills.	president@jetband.org
Marching Uniform Fitting	July/August	School	Fit marching uniforms on students. Confirm that returning students' uniforms fit.	Marching.uniforms@jetband.org
Marching Uniform Distribution+	Fall	School	Check marching uniforms in and out on game days and for contests.	Marching.uniforms@jetband.org

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Concert Uniform Fitting	November	School	Function as part of a well-oiled machine as we fit concert uniforms on students in less than 2 school days!	Conncert.Uniforms@jetband.org
Tide Troopers+	Fall	Home	Wash marching uniforms 6-7 times a year during football season. Detergent provided!	Tide.troopers@jetband.org
Concert Concessions+	Fall	Rhodes Stadium/Legacy Stadium	Sell concessions to attendees at Katy ISD Marching Festival in October.	concessions@jetband.org
Garage Sale+	Spring	School	Set up and work the garage sale in the band hall. Barter to your heart's content at the end of the day!	Garage.sale@jetband.org
UIL Events+	Fall and Spring	School	Assist Taylor Band and Katy ISD in hosting UIL events. Duties include contest room monitors, ticket sales, performance stage prep, and providing hospitality in the judges' room.	UIL.volunteers@jetband.org UIL.Food@jetband.org
Special Ops (JET Crew)+	Fall	School	Construct marching show apparatus. Strong backs are welcome; handy with tools a plus!	Construction.crew@jetband.org
Fireworks Stand	Summer and Winter	Randall's Parking Lot on Fry Road	Celebrate the holidays with a bang and help sell fireworks at a seasonal stand in the neighborhood.	president@jetband.org

Additional volunteer opportunities will come up throughout the year, so make sure you subscribe to the JET Band Blast, which comes out at the beginning of each week. Send an email to blast@jetband.org to sign up.

+ indicates good fit for working parents