



## Siloam Springs High School Band

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# MARCHING BAND SUPPLIES CHECK-LIST

Congratulations on joining the award-winning Siloam Springs Marching Band! As we prepare for our 2024 season, it is essential that every band member shows up prepared and ready to learn - To help you get started off, we've compiled a handy checklist of marching band must-haves. We look forward to seeing you!

## MUST-HAVES

**TENNIS SHOES**

With how much we are on our feet and move around, it is CRUCIAL to have athletic shoes! Good brands include **Nike, Asics, New Balance, or Adidas.**



**LARGE, REFILLABLE WATER BOTTLE**

Staying hydrated is one of the most important things we can do in band! Many of our band members have started using 1-gallon water jugs (The **Coleman Chiller Jug** is a great choice since it's insulated.) Lowes and Walmart have great selections of these and other brands.



**T-SHIRTS / SHORTS**

Athletic-wear is preferred, but any t-shirts and shorts will be breathable enough to keep you cool during hot rehearsals.



**SUNSCREEN**

Not only does sunscreen keep you from getting sunburned, it also keeps you from getting heat exhaustion during our longer rehearsals.



**PENCILS**

All of our band members should know by now how much the band directors love pencils! :) We need to be able to make markings in our show music.



## HIGHLY RECOMMENDED

**HAT**

Anything that shades your face! Some band members have large sun-hats, but a baseball cap would be just fine.



**SUNGLASSES**

This is especially important when school starts and we have afternoon rehearsals - Our practice field faces the sunset and we need you to be able to see.

