



Rockheights MIDDLE SCHOOL music

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Grade 7 and 8 Walking Field Trip to Esquimalt High Music Program 1:35 – 4:00pm, Monday, April 25th, 2022

Monday, April 11th, 2022

Dear Parents and/or Guardians:

The music program at Esquimalt High is graciously hosting **an afternoon of fun for music students in grade 7 and 8 from Rockheights and Shoreline Middle Schools on Monday, April 25th**. This is a chance to hear the ensembles there, and to play with other students across the district.

Here is the tentative plan:

1:35pm – Grade 7 and 8 Band students will meet in the large music room at Rockheights, load large instruments into a vehicle, and begin walking to Esquimalt High School, 847 Colville Rd., a 20-minute walk.

2:00-3:00 - Hellos, tour, games, performances and question and answer session.

3:00-3:50 - Play together with ESQ Band students and the Senior Band performs for 8s.

3:50-4:00: Final questions, clean up.

4:00 – Students are dismissed. They can either walk back to Rockheights with Ms. McDonell, or with your permission, they can be dismissed from Esquimalt High. The school day normally ends at 2:48pm for grade 7's and 3:30pm (after band) for grade 8's. Please allow students to stay with the group until 4:00pm, or if they absolutely need to leave early, please organize a parent pick them up from Esquimalt High.

Please sign the permission slip attached and return it to me at Rockheights, or simply send an email indicating your permission (or not, as they case may be). Thank you for supporting your child's music education!

Sincerely,

Risa McDonell
Music Teacher, Rockheights Middle School



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Permission Slip

Please check one:

YES! I give permission for my child to participate in the walking field trip to visit Esquimalt High from 1:35 – 4:00pm on Monday, April 25th.

No. My child will not be participating in this field trip.

Please answer the following questions:

- 1) **Are you able to help with this field trip** by either driving some large instruments to and from Esquimalt, or by joining us for the walk?
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- 2) **Do you give permission for your child to be dismissed from Esquimalt High at 4:00pm?** (Yes or No. Please give any relevant details.)
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Parent's Name: _____ Parent's Signature: _____

Please RSVP by putting this slip in the *Red Hand-In Bin*, or by email at rmcdonell@sd61.bc.ca by Friday, April 22nd, 2022.