Concordia College

High School Honor Jazz Band Weekend

April 2-4, 2027–Moorhead, MN

Application Procedure

- Complete and submit online application

Audition Recording (Recordings will not be returned)

You may upload your recordings (Audio only or Audio/Video) right into your online application. Or you can send a link to instrumental@cord.edu with access to the files. Be certain the recordings/files are clearly labeled with name, instrument, and selections.

Saxophone and Brass

- Upload a recording of your instrument's excerpt found here: JAZZ EXCERPTS
- Upload a recording of scales
    - Brass: Play a major scale of your choice and full range chromatic scale
    - Saxophones: Play the D Major Scale and full range chromatic scale
- Improvisation (optional)
    - Upload a recording of you improvising over a play-along track

Rhythm Section

- Upload a recording of your instrument's excerpt found here: JAZZ EXCERPTS
- Piano, Bass, Guitar: Comp a standard 12-bar Bb Blues progression
- Drums: Audio/Video preferred. Upload one 30 second recording for each of the following patterns:
    - Swing
    - Bossa Nova
    - Funk
    - Samba
- Improvisation (optional)
    - Upload a recording of you improvising over a play-along track

Timeline

- Application and audition recordings must be received by Jan 15, 2027
- Notification of acceptance by Feb 15, 2027

If you have any questions, please contact Kayla Bones at instrumental@cord.edu or 218-299-4897.

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