

Riverdale Band Leadership Application

The application will take approximately 15 minutes to complete and is for all aspiring Wind, Guard, and Percussion Leaders. The more thorough your answer, the better opportunity to show your leadership thought-process. Completed applications are due by April 16, 2021. If you have questions, see a director or email TheRiverdaleBand@gmail.com (<mailto:TheRiverdaleBand@gmail.com>).

Be prepared to upload a copy of your resume' in Word or pdf format.

Also, you will need to visit <https://www.truity.com/test/disc-personality-test> (<https://www.truity.com/test/disc-personality-test>) and complete the DISC Personality quiz. Save your results as a pdf and upload in question 7.

Please understand that if selected, you will be held to a higher standard of behavior, performance, and work ethic than your peers. You must be willing to make that sacrifice so that the team may succeed. Serving in this capacity will not only provide others with a better experience, but will provide you with a tremendous growth opportunity that will serve you for years to come.

Your candidacy will be judged on the following criteria:

- Past Performance (including attendance),
- Quality of your application,
- Future leadership potential,
- Best fit for the individual and organization.

Good luck! And if you have a question - ask!

* Required

* This form will record your name, please fill your name.

1. First & Last Name *

2. Current Grade Level *

- Freshman
- Sophomore
- Junior

3. What is your current section? *

- Flute
- Clarinet
- Double Reed
- Saxophone
- Horn
- Trumpet
- Baritone/Euphonium
- Trombone
- Tuba
- Percussion
- Guard

4. While at Riverdale, have you been subject to In-School Suspension (ISS), Out-of-School Suspension (OSS), or sent to Daniel McKee Alternative School? If so, please answer fully.

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5. What is your current Grade Point Average (GPA), according to the Skyward Grade Portal / your report card? *

6. Please provide a resume' and highlight any leadership roles and experiences with which you've been involved. Upload a Word or PDF copy of your resume' here. *

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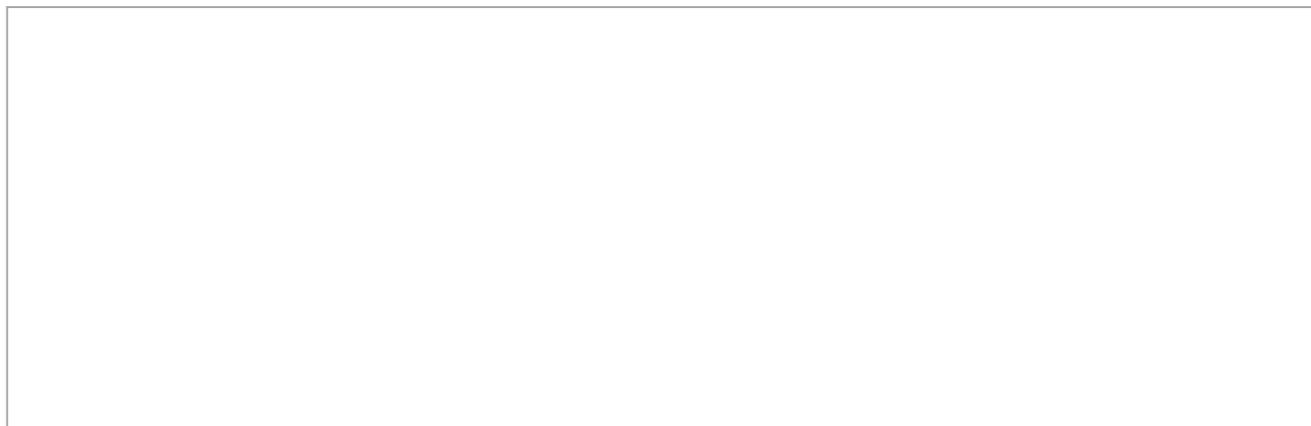
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7. To help us build a compatible leadership team, we need to better understand your approach to peer interaction. Visit <https://www.truity.com/test/disc-personality-test> (<https://www.truity.com/test/disc-personality-test>) (copy and paste link into a new browser window) and complete the DISC Personality quiz. Print a pdf of your results and upload here. *

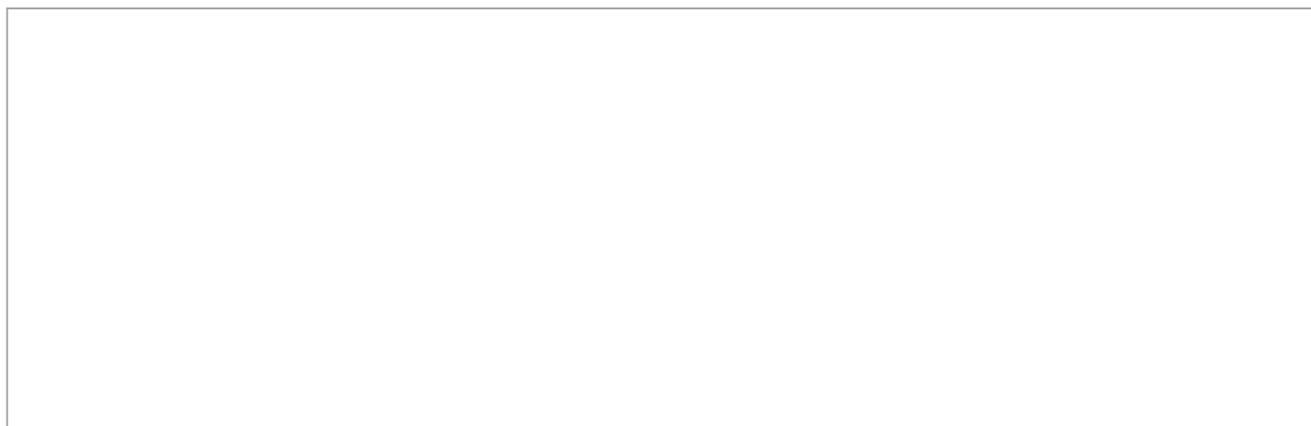
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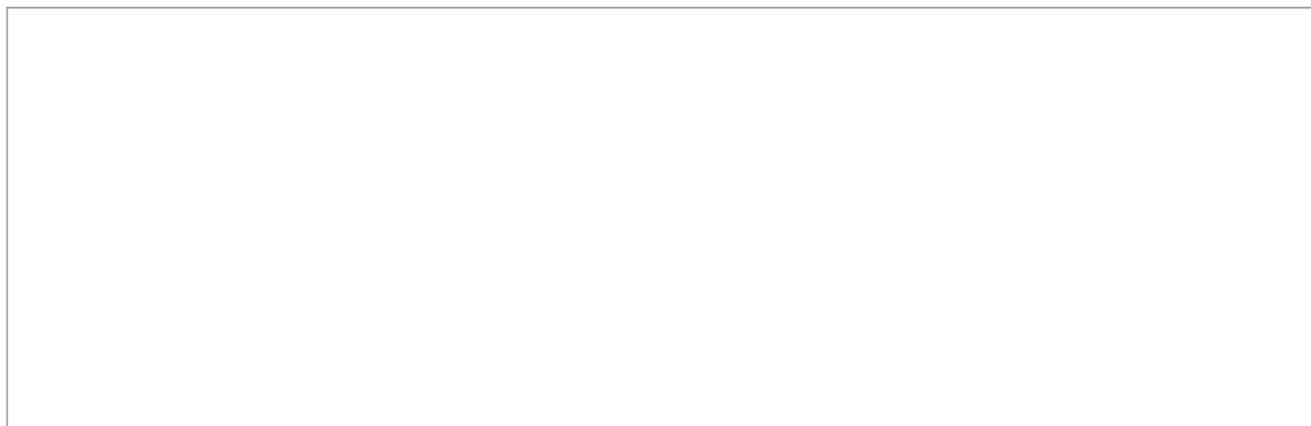
8. Why do you want to be a leader in the Riverdale Band? *



9. Describe your greatest personal strengths. *



10. Describe your weaknesses or areas you need to improve. *



11. Have you previously served in a band leadership position at Riverdale? If yes, answer the following questions (if not, proceed to the next question);

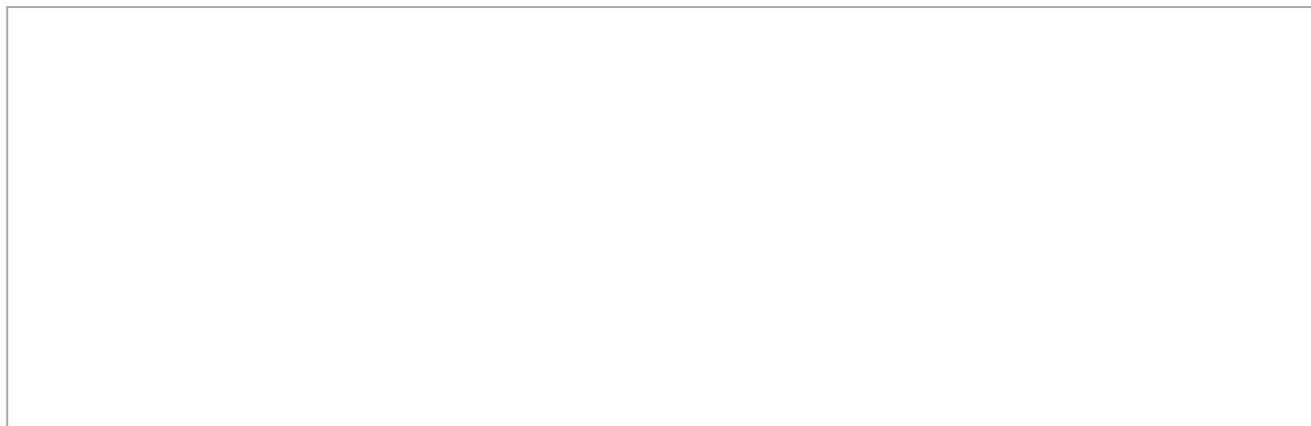
-what position,

-what were your responsibilities? What did you do?

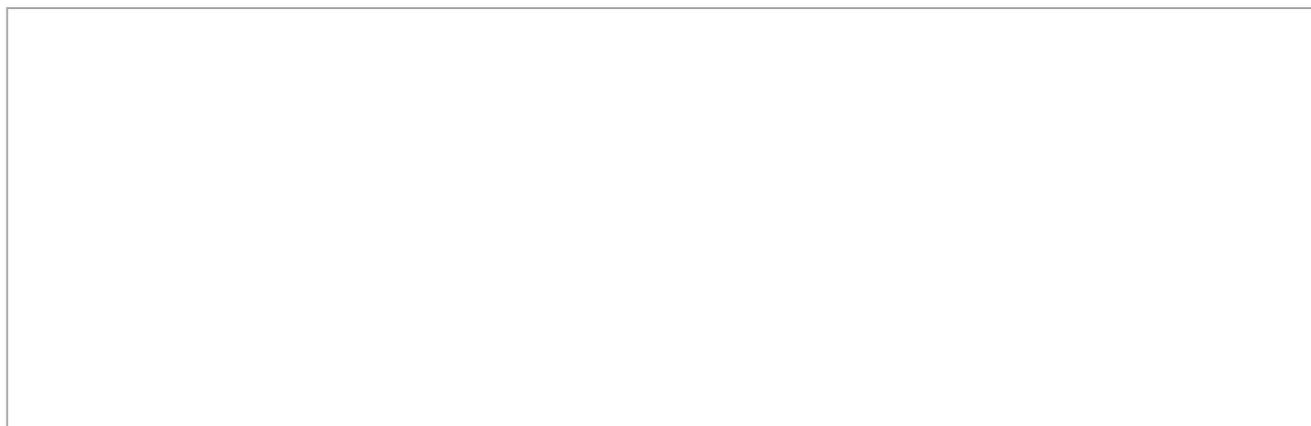
-were you effective/ineffective? Why?

12. Would others say you're a positive or negative person? Why? *

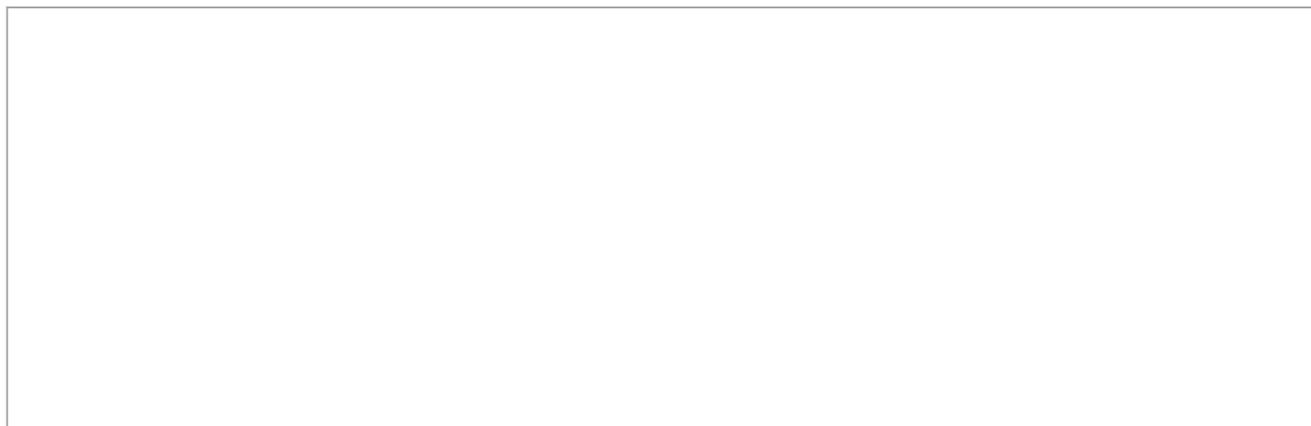
13. Why would you make a good leader for the RHS Band? *



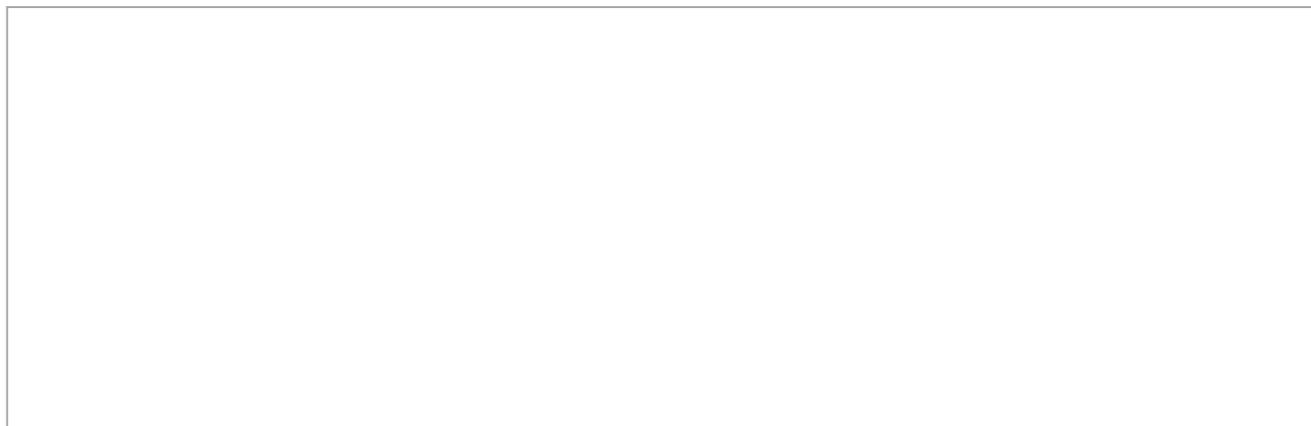
14. Describe how you would like to see the band excel. What will you personally do to make this happen? *



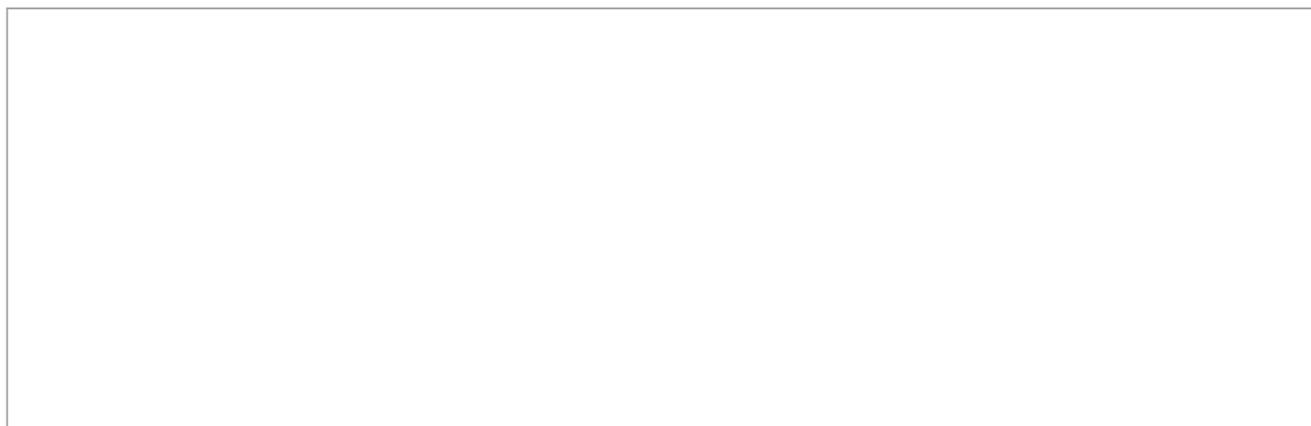
15. Who is the best leader in your section? *



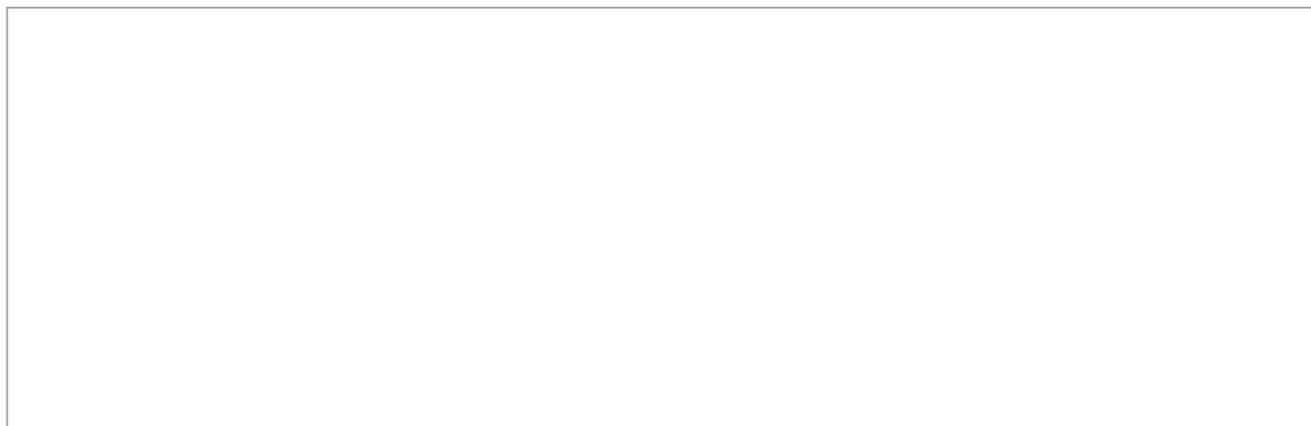
16. Who is the best leader in band (returning members)? *



17. What is the best thing someone could say about you as a band member? *



18. What would be the biggest criticism other have of you? *



19. How would others describe your attitude? *

20. How would others describe your work ethic? *

21. Are you usually... *

- early
- late
- on time

22. Select the 3 positions you're interested in (select more, if you wish) *

- Captain (Brass, Woodwind, Guard, Percussion)
- Section Leader
- Guard Family Leader
- Band President
- Band Vice-President
- Band Secretary
- Music Librarian
- Crew Leader
- Field Commander / Assistant Field Commander

23. If you selected Section Leader, which section are you applying for?

24. If you selected Section Leader,

- are you involved in lessons?
- have you made All-County, Mid-State, All-State, or an Honor Band (describe)?
- What part do you typically play (1st, 2nd, 3rd, etc).

25. If you selected Guard, describe your

- training,
- previous band experience (do you play an instrument?),
- have you participated in Winter Guard?

26. If you selected Field Commander, have you,
- served in this position before?
 - attended a summer drum major training camp (requirement for new field commanders/assistant field commanders),

27. Lastly, we want you to propose a hypothetical service project for the band. Address the following questions,
- what is the project?
 - why did you select this project?
 - what are the costs?
 - what involvement is required?
 - is this project something that can reoccur annually? *