

Related Occupations

Music Performance

Music Minister

Musical Accompanist

Music Director/Conductor

Acoustician

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Valencia High School

Instrumental Music
Career Path

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**Valencia High
School
Instrumental
Music Career**



California Pathway:
Performing Arts



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**INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC
EDUCATION**

REQUIRED COURSES

- ◆ Music Appreciation A/B
- ◆ 1 Year of Symphonic Band
- ◆ 1 Year of Marching Band
- ◆ Career Exploration Project
(Must be in Industry Sector)

OPTIONAL COURSES

- ◆ 1 Year of Jazz Band
- ◆ Music Appreciation

SYMPHONIC BAND A/B

Instrumental techniques are refined and an understanding of music more suitable to the concert stage is developed through rehearsal and performance of selected literature. This band participates in concert band festivals for adjudication and rating and presents concerts on campus, which are open to the public.



MARCHING BAND A

Marching band is a large musical ensemble for wind and percussion instrumentalists. Instrumental playing techniques and marching techniques are developed and applied primarily to a competitive field show which is presented throughout the fall semester at home football games and in Saturday competition tournaments with bands from other schools. PE credit is awarded

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PERFORMANCE**

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BEGINNING JAZZ BAND A/B

This course is designed to develop the specific skills needed to play the styles of music that fall under the general category of jazz. The stylistic nuances of jazz are explored and the skills and knowledge applicable to the art of improvisation are introduced.