NAHS MUSIC DEPARTMENT Nashville Festival of Gold Packing List

Basic Necessities:

Money for lunch on Thursday (after we get off the plane) and Friday (at the zoo), and any souvenirs

Cell phone and cell phone charger to call chaperones/ parents

Toiletries (deodorant, toothbrush, toothpaste, shampoo, soap, hair brush, deodorant)

Homework for the plane/ at hotel

Snacks for hotel/ plane. NO PEANUT/ NUT PRODUCTS as we have students on our trip with life-threatening airborne allergies.

Sunscreen (if needed)

Clothing:

Casual outfit for dinner and line dancing on Thursday

Reminder: whatever you wear on the plane you will still be wearing while walking around downtown Nashville... please plan appropriately (no pajamas in public, please)

Casual outfit for zoo and downtown Nashville/clinic on Friday

Casual outfit for clinic/downtown Nashville on Saturday

Fun outfit for Grand Ole Opry (if desired) on Saturday

Full Uniform (in garment bag):

CHOIRS:

Tuxedo Wearers:

Tuxedo pants

Tuxedo shirt

Tuxedo vest

Tuxedo jacket (Scarlet and Black and Treble Choir Only)

Black socks

Black dress shoes

Red tie

Hair pulled back off face (if applicable)

Dress Wearers:

Chorus Dress

Red Ribbon

FLAT black dress shoes

Black tights

Pearls (S&B only)

Red flower (TC only)

NO OTHER JEWELRY besides STUD earrings

Hair pulled back off face (if applicable)

BANDS:

Gentlemen:

Black dress shirt (black sport jacket Wind Ensemble Only)

Black dress pants (NO JEANS)

Black dress belt

Black socks

Black dress shoes (most wear black marching shoes)

Ladies:

Black dress, black blouse and black skirt, or black blouse and black dress

Sleeves may be medium length or longer (no sleeveless tops)

Dress or skirt must be mid calf or longer

Pants should be long

Black closed toe dress shoes (comfortable heel height for walking on and off stage)

Jewelry- small necklace and/or earrings may be worn. NO bracelets.

Please note that all band/ choir students may wear their choir uniform for the band performance!

Clothes to go home in on Monday

Pajamas

Comfortable shoes for walking around Nashville

Musical Items:

Choirs:

Honor Choir music in NICE BLACK BINDER (if applicable)
Music Department Water Bottle

Bands:

Flutes- if room, pack instrument in suitcase. MUSIC.

Clarinets- 3 extra reeds, cork grease, MUSIC

Double Reeds- extra reed, MUSIC

Saxophones- neck strap, 3 extra reeds, cork grease, MUSIC

Trumpets, Trombones, Euphonium, Tuba- mouthpiece, valve oil, any mutes needed for the pieces, MUSIC

Percussion- MUSIC, Suspended cymbal and stand, concert snare drum and stand, crash cymbals, congas and stand, tambourine, darbuka, triangle and beater, all necessary mallets and sticks (concert snare, bass drum, gong, timpani, vibes, marimba, chimes, xylophone)

Medications:

Prescription medications must be kept in original packaging with a note from parents.

For safety, please only bring the amount needed for the duration of the trip. One additional day may be brought in case of flight cancellation.

Students needing epi-pens and other life-saving medications should carry them on their person at all times.

Students should be responsible for holding and administering their own medications on this trip. If this is an issue, please contact our school nurse, Lauren McDonald, who is attending our trip and she will discuss it with you.

Advil and other over-the-counter medicines can be held without a note.

Do not bring expensive items!

Reminders:

Students may bring one carry-on suitcase and one personal item (backpack, purse, etc.). Only carry-on size luggage is allowed. Please visit your airline's website for dimensions. Make sure there are name tags on all suitcases and instruments containing your first and last name, address, and phone number.

Please be practical about what you bring. No large sums of money, expensive items, etc.

IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS:

Mrs. Durkin, Mr. Smalley, Mr. Clark, Mr. Young, Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. Boucher: We are happy to provide this upon request. In addition, we will be checking email frequently throughout the duration of the trip.

Chaperone Phone Numbers: Please meet your child's assigned chaperone