**Limestone Community High School Bands**

**Student Absence Form**

Because any absence negatively affects the student’s own performance and the performance of the section and the ensemble:

**All absences from rehearsals and performances, regardless of reason, must be approved by the Directors by use of this form.**

For a non-emergency absence to be excused, it must be submitted and approved at least two weeks in advance. In case of an emergency (sickness, family death, et cetera), you should notify the Directors as soon as possible, before the rehearsal or performance starts if at all possible, and then provide this form at the next opportunity.

A make-up assignment (determined by the Directors) will be given for all excused absences.

An unexcused absence will result in a zero in the grade book and possible dismissal from the group.

Work schedules and lack of transportation will NEVER be considered an excused absence. All athletic and extra-curricular schedule conflicts are known well in advance, since these schedules are posted early in the season.

Student name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Date of absence: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Event(s) that will be missed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Reason for absence:

Parent signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Today’s date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Director use only

Excused: \_\_\_\_\_ Unexcused: \_\_\_\_\_

Band Director Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_