

LETTERING IN ORCHESTRA

RHS Orchestra students have the opportunity to receive a RHS letter for orchestra. To do this, students must understand and follow the procedures and guidelines outlined below:

1. Letters are earned by accumulating a total of no less than 40 points from service and performance. ***A list of activities and their point values follows this page.***
2. To receive points, a student should fill out the "VARSITY LETTER FORM" Google Form with all pertinent information. "VARSITY LETTER FORMS" are always readily available via Charms or the Orchestra Website.
3. ***Due dates for "VARSITY LETTER FORMS" will be announced periodically throughout the school year.*** Forms received on a due date will be for a specified time period ONLY. For instance, if the first due date is October 1, forms for events from August through October 1 will be accepted. If the next due date is November 15, forms will be accepted for events from October 1 through November 15 ONLY. Anything before October 1 is no longer eligible for points assignment.
4. The director will assign due dates throughout the semester
5. A running tally of points will be kept throughout the year. Updated point totals will be available a few days after each due date via the Charms points system.
6. To letter, a student must:
 - a. have accumulated 40 points according the "POINT AWARD GUIDELINES,"
 - b. be in 10th, 11th, or 12th grade
 - c. have been eligible for UIL Contest each time while they have been in orchestra
 - d. not have poor citizenship markings in any of their classes
7. A student may letter in orchestra only once.
8. Points belong to the student who earned them and ONLY that person. Points may not be traded, sold, or given away.
9. Any attempt to fabricate points or forms will result in a total termination of all accumulated points for the student in question.
10. The director reserves the right to award and subtract points as necessary.

NOTE: Students coming to Reedy HS from another high school will be credited the points they earned at their previous school, according to the Reedy point system

ORCHESTRA LETTER PROGRAM

POINT AWARD GUIDELINES

Required to earn letter:	40 POINTS
1) WORK POINTS:	4 hours = 1 POINT (0.25pts/hour)
2) PERFORMANCE POINTS:	<u>Points</u>
Fall Concert	2.0
Winter Concert	2.0
Cluster Concert	2.0
Musical Pit Orchestra	8.0
Pre-UIL Concert	2.0
Chamber Music Concert	2.0
Spring Concert	2.0
UIL Orchestra Competition:	(up to 5.0)
Sub Non-Varsity:	1.0,
Non-Varsity:	2.0,
Varsity:	3.0
Rating:	Good 0.5 pts; Excellent 1.0 pts; Superior 1.5 pts; Sweepstakes 2.0 pts
UIL Solo and Ensemble:	
a) Rating I (Superior)	5.0
b) Rating II (Excellent)	3.0
c) Rating III (Good)	2.0
All-Region Orchestra:	
a) Selected and performed	5.0
b) Auditioned but not selected	1.5
All-State Orchestra:	
a) All-Area Orchestra	3.0
b) Selected for All-State	7.0
Trip Orchestra:	
a) Participation	1.0
3) OTHER ACTIVITIES	
Summer Music Camp	2.0
Serving as an orchestra officer	2.0/year
Private lessons	1.0/semester

All points are determined by the director.