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Dear Band Colleague,

University Bands

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Greetings on behalf of the University of Louisville Bands! We are happy to invite you and your student musicians to our **Annual All-State Audition Workshop** for woodwind, brass, and percussion players. The event will take place on **Wednesday, September 25**. Check-in at the School of Music lobby will begin at 6:30 pm and the workshop will run from 7:00 – 9:00 pm.

Applied music faculty members as well as their graduate assistants will be available to provide instruction and encouragement for your students as they prepare for their All-State auditions. We have hosted this popular and free outreach activity for many years and are happy to be able to continue this service.

Please return the enclosed general enrollment form by <u>Friday, September 13</u>, to Adam Thomas at adam.thomas@louisville.edu to make reservations. This will enable us to plan appropriately for those who will be attending the workshop.

If you are attending the workshop with your students, then the attached YPP Form is not required. However, if your students are attending on their own, the YPP Form must be completed and signed by a parent or guardian. All YPP forms must be submitted by **Friday, September 13**.

In addition, you will find a Student Registration Form. Print these and have your students complete the form in advance and bring them along to the workshop. Doing so will help us speed up the on-site check-in process.

We love having you visit our UofL School of Music and look forward to seeing you on Wednesday, September 25th!

Sincerely,

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