Sacred Heart UNIVERSITY

BAND & ORCHESTRA

MARCHING BAND / PEP BAND / CONCERT BAND / ORCHESTRA / CHAMBER ENSEMBLES / WINTER GUARD / FEATURED TWIRLERS

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The Sacred Heart University (SHU) Band & Orchestra are a family in which everyone is passionate about performing and using music to express themselves. The program is made up entirely of non-music majors who want to keep music a part of their lives but do not plan to make a career out of it. Our students continue to play music in college because they love it. While SHU does not offer a music major, our music minor offers several different concentrations, and private lessons are available for all instrumentalists.

Musical ensembles fulfill several roles on campus. The band performs as a marching band for home football games, as a pep band for home basketball and hockey games, and as a concert band. The concert Band & Orchestra both give several concerts throughout the school year. Chamber ensembles like flute choir, sax quartet and brass ensemble also give a concert at the end of each semester. Sacred Heart is also home to featured twirlers and a competitive winter guard which competes locally as well as nationally in WGI competitions.

Every other year, Band & Orchestra take an international performance tour. These trips are not required, but are open to all members of the program. Past trips include Ireland, Italy, Prague, and Vienna!

INVolVEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

- Band*
- Orchestra
- Flute Choir
- Featured Twirlers
- Brass Ensemble
- Percussion Ensemble
- Sax Quartet
- Winter Guard
- Jazz Ensemble

*Band students participate in Marching Band, Pep Band and Concert Band

SCHOLARSHIPS & AUDITIONS

Grants and scholarships are available for members of the Band & Orchestra, and auditions are required to determine placement. Prospective students may schedule an audition online at www.sacredheart.edu/visitplanner or by contacting the program director. Detailed audition information is available at www.sacredheart.edu/audition.

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