

# Saratoga District Spring Concert Series 2024

## Friday, May 31

**Saratoga High School McAfee Theater**  
**7:00 PM: Redwood & SHS Choirs**  
Doors open for audience at 6:45 PM

**Report time for performers: 5:50 PM**

### ***PERFORMER ATTIRE***

Concert Black (see next page)

### ***SCHEDULE***

@before 5:50 PM	Report to the McAfee Theater Be dressed for performance, ready to warm up on stage right at 6:00
6:00-6:20 PM	Practice with SHS
6:20-6:40 PM	RMS sound check
6:45 PM	Doors open to the audience
7:00 PM	Concert starts!

Students are expected to remain for the duration of their concert. Please bring family and friends to support our performers. Our concerts are free of charge, and all are welcome!

We hope you will join us for all of our Spring concerts:

- Percussion (Mr. Ramirez's Period 3) with SHS: Friday, May 17
- Bands, Percussion & Color Guard: Monday, May 20
- Orchestras: Tuesday, May 28
- Choir with SHS: Friday, May 31



Thank you for a fantastic year of music!

# Concert Black

How an ensemble dresses for concerts is extremely important. A group who comes onto the stage well-dressed shows respect for their audience, reflects personal pride, and sets the stage for what you are about to perform. As musicians, much of our energy in rehearsal and performance is spent refining how we sound. However, the visual world always takes precedence in the human brain. We need to dress and act in a way that puts the audience's focus on our music!

For most of our music events, performers will wear the "uniform" of professional musicians referred to as "Concert Black."

## What is Concert Black attire?

First and foremost, it is completely black. Concert black is formal, classy, and elegant.

Students are free to choose the components of their concert blacks within the following guidelines:

- **Redwood Music performance polos**
- Black Slacks, Dress Pants, or Long Skirt (*full length*) with black tights (**not** athletic/dance/casual pants)
- Black Belt (*if your pants have belt loops*)
- Black Dress Socks (*regular crew socks are not dress socks*)
- Black [Dress Shoes](#) or Flats (socks not necessary **with flats**)
- Long hair tied back
- If you wear one, a black (or solid color) mask is appreciated



## What is NOT Concert Black attire?

- Jeans (including black ones), sweats, warm-up/athletic pants, tights, yoga pants, leggings, mini-skirts or shorts
- T-shirts, tank tops, spaghetti straps, halter tops, or crop tops
- Flip-flops, sports shoes, sneakers, black shoes with colored stripes or logos
- White socks, ankle socks, crew socks, colored socks, no-socks, bare legs, or bare feet