

WindStream Publishing
Excel Marching Band (Gr. 2.5)
Flex Scoring Notes

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Using Individual Parts Since each ensemble has its own unique instrumentation needs, feel free to mix and match the included parts to best fit your group.

Scoring Guide & Folder Contents

Parts Folder 1

Flute/Piccolo The usual part.

B^b Clarinet The usual part.

E^b Alto Saxophone The usual part.

B^b Tenor Saxophone The usual part, doubling lower brass.

Parts Folder 2

B^b Trumpet 1 The traditional B^b 1st Trumpet part. (Can be covered by B^b Clarinet or B^b Soprano Sax.)

Trumpet 1 in C This doubles the Trumpet 1 part (but in Concert Pitch) & can work for Flute/Piccolo.

B^b Trumpet 2 The traditional B^b 2nd Trumpet part, often cued in Woodwind 1, 2. (Can be covered by B^b Clarinet or B^b Soprano Sax.)

Trumpet 2 in E^b For E^b Alto Sax.

F Horn The usual part.

Horn in E^b This allows the Horn part to be covered by E^b Alto Sax.

Horn in B^b This allows the Horn part to be covered by B^b Horn, B^b Flugelhorn, B^b Clarinet, B^b Tenor Saxophone (playing 8va).

Parts Folder 3

Trombone The usual part. Can also work for Baritone B.C.

T.C. Trombone in B^b This allows the Trombone part to be covered by Baritone T.C., B^b Tenor Saxophone.

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T.C. Trombone in E^b This allows the Trombone part to be covered by E^b Alto Clarinet or E^b Alto Sax.

Baritone B.C. The usual part. Can also work as a Trombone 2 part.

T.C. Baritone in B^b Works for Baritone T.C., B^b Tenor Saxophone, B^b Bass Clarinet.

T.C. Baritone in E^b This allows the Baritone part to be covered by E^b Baritone Saxophone & E^b Alto Clarinet.

Parts Folder 4

Tuba The usual part.

Bass Line Written in octaves for Low Brass instruments or Synth playing bass line.

T.C. Bass Line in B^b Works for Baritone T.C., B^b Bass Clarinet.

E^b Baritone Sax. Doubles Tuba part, octaves adjusted as needed.

Electric Bass Doubles Tuba part, octaves adjusted as needed.

Parts Folder 5

Keyboard Supports the lines and harmonies of the wind parts.

Percussion Traditional percussion parts used for marching band.

- Bells, Xylophone
- Snare Drum
- Cymbals
- Quad Toms
- Bass Drums (for 3 drums)
- Aux. Perc. (for 1-2 players)
- Opt. Timpani (for 3-4 drums)