

Leadership Application

Uintah Ute Marching Band 2021-22 School Year



Positions available:

- Drum Major
- Section Leader
- Drum Capitan
- Color Guard Capitan
- Equipment Manager
- President
- Others as needed

Application Due:

All applications must be completed and all elements turned in by: Nov 24 2020
Please be prompt and professional with your application. Some positions may need to participate in interviews and evaluations, you will be contacted to schedule an interview if this applies to you.

When Submitting:

Please make sure that all elements are enclosed in one package and are clearly labeled with your name. Any elements of your submission that you would like returned need to be labeled as such. All applications must be typed. Failure to do so will result in the return of the application to the applicant.

Welcome and thank you for showing an interest in being a part of the Student Leadership Team. ***We hope you will find the application process to be interesting and enriching regardless of the outcome.*** This application represents a significant departure from the standard way of selecting student leaders. In addition, some leadership positions have been added or deleted to better fit the current organization. If you have any questions about the process or your application, please do not hesitate to contact Mr. Gibson at any time. Good luck, and work hard to best represent yourself through this process.

Your candidacy will be judged on the following criteria:

1. Past performance
2. Quality of your application
3. Future leadership potential
4. Best fit for the individual and organization

When completing the application, be thorough, complete, creative, and honest. Don't say what you think Mr. Gibson might want to hear. Say what you really think. Leaders are people who can offer something new and different to the organization. This application process is structured so that you will gain insights into yourself as a person, so please be honest and thorough. You need to open up and show the person you truly are, or what you aspire to be. Whether you are chosen to participate in the office you apply for is not the ultimate purpose. Dig deep inside, answer the questions, and complete the service project with the intent of learning something new. **Please do not fill out this application unless you are prepared to participate in the leadership training process.**

HAVE FUN WITH THIS. There will be no class time given unless approval from Mr. Gibson is given prior to the event.

- No scavenger hunts
- Do not set time restrictions on
- Anything you do, you must be willing to undo



Please understand that if chosen, you will be held to a higher standard of behavior, performance, and work ethic than your peers. You must be willing to make that sacrifice so that others around you may succeed. Serving in this capacity will not only provide others with a better experience, but will provide you with a tremendous growth opportunity that will serve you for years to come.

Do This:

1. Please provide a resume. Be sure to highlight your past leadership roles and experiences.
2. On a separate piece of paper, please answer the following questions:
 1. What are your greatest personal strengths?
 2. What are some areas in which the organization could improve and how would you improve them?
3. Interview someone in the community (student, faculty, administrator, business person, etc.) and ask him or her for views on leadership. Write a review of what you learned from your conversation? How are their views different from yours? (This is a chance for you to sell the program.)
4. Complete a service project for the organization. The scope and duration of the project are at your discretion. You may choose something that you think needs to be done, or you may ask others for ideas. If you have any questions about the validity of your chosen project, please speak with Mr. Gibson prior to starting it.
5. Wow Me! This is where you have the opportunity to show your creative side. You may do anything that you deem appropriate to convince me that you are able to "think outside the box" and address issues in a different manner. This is the portion of the application where you should expect to learn the most about yourself as an individual. Therefore, take a risk here. Once again, this should be fun for you and the organization.

Student Name Printed: _____

Student Signature: _____

Parent Name Printed: _____

Parent Signature: _____