

<u> Mayfield High School Bands</u>

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St. Patrick's Day Parade Weather Prep 03/17/2023

Hello PRIDE of Mayfield,

The 2023 St. Patrick's Day Parade is a FULL go! The weather is supposed to be rainy and chilly!

We will wear parkas over our uniforms.

WOODWINDS - please bring an appropriate sized trash bag or two from home to school on Friday. We will use this to keep instruments dry while we are waiting for the parade to begin. You are responsible for keeping your instrument from getting wet. A little light rain will not hurt them while we are marching but prolonged exposure or heavy rain that could soak pads, wood, and corks will cause damage.

AUXILIARY - you will be wearing black tennis shoes as well as your squad rain jackets/pants.

We will need to wear our parkas the entire time, once we leave the buses we have no place to leave/store any items. Even if the sun comes out.

Once off the bus, prior to the parade, we will keep our parka hoods zipped and over our hats. Once the parade begins you will be instructed to either keep your hood up, or unzip it and lay it flat across your shoulders. Please help other members of your section to ensure we look uniform and professional.

Please make sure you check Cleveland's forecast and dress according to your own individual comfort under your uniform. The uniform/parka combination tends to be very warm to begin with, however, some people get more cold than others.

Make sure to hydrate tonight and tomorrow morning. Remember, the only bathroom access we have downtown is porta potties on the street.

ALL THE BEST, MTZ TIZETBETZ