

THE NSW SCHOOL BAND FESTIVAL

CODE OF CONDUCT

FOR STUDENTS



Motivational, Educational,
Inspirational

Positive attitudes and conduct help make Music Festivals such as the School Band Festival enjoyable for everyone.

Students who are performing have a vital role in contributing to the sense of occasion and creating a positive Festival atmosphere.

Show Respect

- Support and respect your school Music Director by ensuring you arrive on time and have brought all the required equipment to perform on the day.
- Support and respect all participants by listening to other performances on the day, not just your own school.
- Model appropriate audience behaviour with regards to respectful silence, appropriate applause etc.
- Accept the award allocated by the adjudicator with grace and dignity, even if you feel disappointed.
- Respect the venue facilities and equipment supplied by the Festival for your use.
- Respect the rights of others to enjoy the event.
- Thank your Music Director, adjudicators, Festival officials, marshals and volunteers.
- If you have any issues, raise them with your Music Director or an adult representative of your school's music program.

SBF Codes of Conduct and your School Code of Conduct

- Understand, uphold and support the relevant SBF Codes of Conduct.
- Understand, uphold and support your school Code of Conduct.
- Understand that poor behaviour at public performances such as the Festival may result in:
 - Reduced enjoyment for everyone.
 - Children and adults giving up music or music performance.
 - Fewer people willing to manage or support music programs, and officiate or volunteer at Festivals such as the SBF.
 - Risks to your school's reputation.