



# Concert Orchestra Grand Haven High School



**Course Number:** J54  
**Grade Level:** 9, 10, 11, 12  
**Credits :** 1  
**Prerequisite Courses :**

## Course Description

Two semesters, Basic to Intermediate. All Freshmen are required to be in Concert Orchestra.  
Sophomores, Juniors and Seniors will be placed by auditions in the Spring for Fall placement.

## Course Objectives

Concert orchestra is in a traditional string orchestra setting throughout the year. Objectives include establishing good fundamentals, raising practice and performance standards, and learning good teamwork skills with a positive attitude to achieve excellence

## Student Expectations

All students are expected to bring a great attitude and work ethic to each class, rehearsal or performance. Members of the orchestra are also required to be at all concerts, scheduled orchestra events and extra rehearsals. A schedule is given out at the beginning of the year and students will need to plan accordingly.

## Communication

Email and the orchestra website is the best way to get information about the orchestra program.

Website - [grandhavenorchestra.org](http://grandhavenorchestra.org)

**DIRECTOR CONTACT INFORMATION:**

Melissa Meyers - [meyersm@ghaps.org](mailto:meyersm@ghaps.org) 616-850-6153

## Grading Policy

Daily Participation - 40%

Assignments/Quizzes/ Tests - 30%

Performances - 30%

### Building Behavioral Expectations

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## Scope and Sequence

Performances: Fall, Winter, Festival(s) & Spring Concerts.

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