# MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY Majorette Audition Requirements

Saturday, April 20th, 2024 9:00 a.m. - Noon - Wright Music Building

### Requirements are as follows:

- 1. Dance/Twirl: Music selection of your choice (2-3 minutes maximum)
  - a. Criteria for evaluation includes
    - i. Coordination of routine to music
    - ii. Simultaneous footwork and twirling
    - iii. Variety of dance steps
    - iv. Showmanship
    - v. Multiple Batons
  - b. Bring a digital download of your music.
- 2. Additional areas of consideration
  - a. Appearance
  - b. Attitude
  - c. Posture
  - d. Presentation
  - e. Basic marching skills
- 3. Attire
  - a. Costume/leotards or any clothing that allows unrestricted movement (a competition/high school uniform would be appropriate).
- 4. Two letters of recommendation

(not required of current "Band of Blue" members)

- a. One from your band director
- b. One from your principal, school teacher, or baton coach.
- 5. You will be taught a short group routine and be asked to perform tricks as a group.
  - a. You will be evaluated on your ability to learn quickly and efficiently.

Please complete the Google form at www.mtsu.edu/bands

\*\*\*All applications must be received no later than April 20th, 2024.\*\*\*

\*\* If you are unable to audition on this date, please contact us at mtsumajorettes@yahoo.com to make other arrangements.\*\*

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### "Band of Blue"

## Majorette Audition Application

Name		
Address		
MTSU #	Cell Phone _	
Email address:		T-shirt size
High School Attended _		
Experience as Majorette_		
Check one:	Line Member Only	_ Interested in Captain

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\*Returning members are not guaranteed a spot and as such, positions are open each year to all applicants. The number of Raiderettes selected will be at the discretion of the band directors and coaches.

\*\*Candidates should be accepted to MTSU prior to auditioning. Existing students must be in good standing. No member will be considered official until they are registered for the Band of Blue class.