##### Grading Policy

Final numeric averages will be determined using the following formula:

* **Performances (25%**) –The success or failure of each performance depends upon the hard work, cooperation and dedication of our members, therefore, our **concert performances are mandatory**. I will provide the schedule of performances at the beginning of the year. Please see the “Fine Arts Attendance Policy” for clarification.
* **Quizzes (30%)** - Written and playing tests will be given. A test grade will be given for each performance. Unexcused absences will result in a test grade of zero.
* **Participation (40%)** – Participation includes bringing class supplies, proper behavior, cooperation, and following the orchestra rehearsal procedures.
* **Practice Charts (5%)** – Please record your practice weekly on the practice sheets that will be provided. Total the points for the week and turn in EVERY Friday. This is your homework for orchestra. Practice charts without parent signatures will NOT be accepted. I will accept a late practice chart for ONE WEEK after the due date only.

100 min. 100

90-99 min. 95

80-89 min. 90

70-79 min. 85

30-69 min. 80

1-29 min. 75

0 min. 0

110 min. 110 (extra credit)