

Brass Educator

Title: Brass Educator

Description: The Madison Scouts Drum & Bugle Corps is seeking dedicated, experienced Brass Educators to join our World Class instructional staff. Team members are responsible for the direct instruction and mentorship of the Madison Scouts Brass, focusing on fundamental technique, musicality, and membership growth. Candidates must possess significant experience in the competitive marching arts, excellent communication skills, and the availability to attend winter and spring camps, as well as the DCI Summer Tour. This role requires a professional, positive, and high-energy commitment to fostering musical excellence within the Madison Scouts organization.

Duties:

- Implement performance and leadership education at off-season camps and during the summer tour
 - Including feedback to performers on all camp assignments and active participation in staff and membership slack channels.
 - Monitoring performer progress and individual growth throughout the winter and summer.
 - Creating a measurable growth plan for performers musical deficits.
- Collaborate with the brass educational team to ensure pedagogical approach and staff culture align with the expectations of the Madison Scouts program.
- Staff members should hold their section to the highest standard of excellence while fostering an inclusive and supportive learning environment for all performers. Staff will balance rigor and accountability with empathy and encouragement, creating a culture where every member feels challenged, valued, and empowered to succeed.
- Recruitment and retention of membership.
- Additional duties as assigned by the Brass Caption Head



Qualifications:

- Minimum 21 years of age
- Pass a criminal background check and reference check
- Availability to teach one-to-one virtual lessons throughout the offseason - flexible scheduling
- Availability to attend winter camps, as assigned by the Brass Caption Head
- Substantial availability between June - early August
- Candidates with experience teaching world class DCI or WGI organizations are preferred

Additional Information:

- Educational team members will be in a live-in position with the drum corps during the summer tour. Once competition begins the educational team will travel with the drum corps via bus to all performances.
- Forward Performing Arts, Inc. (501(c)3) and the Madison Scouts are an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Compensation:

- Negotiable-based on experience and availability
- Housing and food costs are covered by FPA
- Transportation is available on a limited basis

Contact:

Direct all questions and/or inquiries to Bo Soddors, Brass Caption Head bosoddors@gmail.com and David Lofy, Corps Director at director@madisonscouts.org. Interested applicants should submit their resume and cover letter [here](#).