**SEGHS MARCHING BAND**

**SECTION LEADER APPLICATION**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Grade (2022-2023): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

* There will be 1 Section Leader per section

- The sections are:

Flutes, Clarinets, Saxophones, Trumpets/Mellophones, Trombones, Baritones/Tuba, Percussion Captain, and Color Guard Captain

* Being a Section Leader here means that you will be the first person in the line of defense for your section, followed by Drum Majors, and then up the chain to the director. If someone has an issue, they will report to you first to see if we can resolve it at that level.
* You will be in charge of helping to make sure that your section is prepared with their music, drill, and other items. You will NOT be in charge of discipline; this is not a power trip.
* You will have the opportunity to run musical and marching sectionals with your section in order to fix issues to make sure things are running smoothly and improve the overall quality of the SEGHS Marching Band
* This is a serious position; you are an extension of the Band Director and the program and this means you may not be “liked” all the time.

1. What is the number one reason that you want to be a section leader here at Southeast Guilford High School?
2. What are your biggest strengths/qualities that you can bring to the SEGHS Marching Band (musical, marching, and other)? (“I don’t know” is not an answer).
3. What would you say is your biggest weakness (musical, marching, and other)? (“I don’t know” is not an answer).
4. What new ideas do you have for the marching band that you think we should try? How will these ideas improve the quality, reputation, and general effect of the SEGHS marching band? (“I don’t know” is not an answer).

* Thank you so much for your interest in becoming a Section Leader; After I receive all application forms, I will notify you in the near future if you are chosen.
* If you are not chosen for “section leader,” this does not mean you cannot be a leader within your section. I expect everyone in the band to try and lead from within by setting the right example and always putting in 100%; every member is important. I value you all and can’t wait to get started with this season.