

# **California Jazz Championships**

## **April 28 - 29, 2023**

*The following information is for all students and families involved in the Jazz program at Rodriguez. The California Jazz Championships will be held in the Folsom Historic District. We will be performing on both Friday April 28th and Saturday April 29th. The event is free for all who would like to attend and support your friends and family. There are many opportunities for your student to watch other High School and College groups perform throughout the day, as well as attend master classes. Here is a link <https://www.liveperformingartsacademy.com/> to the Festivals website. Which has directions, maps of the event, food options and much more. Please have your student fed when they arrive for both departure days. They will need money for food as the boosters will be providing Waters and Snacks for both days. (Please plan accordingly) The Jazz Choir, Jazz Band students and I will be traveling by tour bus both days. Anytime the students are not performing they will be encouraged to eat, stay hydrated, and watch all of the amazing Jazz Concerts and Master Classes as time permits. We will be staying for the finals on Saturday Night. Students need to make sure they*

*have a change of clothes, and bring warm clothing as this event is held outdoors.*

**Itinerary for Friday April 28th.**

*7:45 am Call time in the Music Room*

*8:30 am Departure for Folsom*

*10:00 am Arrival*

*12:00 pm call time for Jazz Choir behind Zittel Amphitheater*

*12:30 pm Warm-Up*

*1:00 pm Performance for Jazz Choir at Zittel Amphitheater*

*2:00 pm Call time for Jazz Band behind Sutter Street*

*2:30 pm Warm-Up*

*3:00 pm Performance for Jazz Band at Sutter Street*

*3:45 pm Load instruments and depart*

*4:00 pm Depart for Rodriguez High School*

*5:00 / 5:30 Arrival at Rodriguez High School*

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**Itinerary for Saturday April 29th**

*7:00 am Call time in the Music Room*

*7:30 am Departure for Folsom*

*9:00 am Arrival - Jazz Choir will immediately go to backstage at Sutter Street*

*9:30 am Jazz Choir Warm-up*

*10:00 am Jazz Choir Performance*

10:45 am Change into Street Clothes  
2:00 pm Call time for Jazz Band behind Zittel  
Amphitheater  
2:30 pm Warm-Up for Jazz Band  
3:00 pm Performance for Jazz Band  
3:45 pm Change into Street Clothes

### **7:00 pm Finals Play off**

Our students have as good of a chance to make the finals as all other High School Jazz Choirs, and Jazz Bands!

### **Items Needed for Friday Apr 28, 2023**

- Dress Clothes
- Instruments (Mutes, Drum Equipment, Music etc..)
- Money for Lunch
- Money for Incidentals

### **Items Needed for Saturday Apr 29, 2023**

- Dress Clothes
- Street Clothes (Something warm for the Evening)
- Instruments (Mutes, Drum Equipment, Music etc..)
- Money for Lunch and Dinner
- Money for Incidentals