AMES HIGH SCHOOL BAND DEPARTMENT CALENDAR 2023-2024

Dates with an * indicates all band members in grades 9-12 are involved. Other dates include specific bands or additional opportunities.

Aug 9	Leadership Workshop with Alan Feirer	AHS Bandroom	9 AM - 3 PM
Aug 8,10 & 11	Drumline / Percussion Camp (9-12 Percussionists)	AHS	9 AM - Noon
Aug 10	9 th Parent Meeting	AHS Bandroom	6 pm
Aug 10	Band Booster Fall Meeting	AHS Bandroom	7 pm
Aug 14	All State Meeting	AHS Bandroom	9 am
*Aug 14-18	Marching Band Workshop	AHS	1 PM – 3 PM
Sept 1	Marching Band Performance – Ames vs Centennial	AHS Stadium	6:00 PM
Sept 6	All-State Prelims	AHS Bandroom	3:30 PM
Sept 8	Marching Band Performance – Ames vs City High	AHS Stadium	6:00 PM
*Sept 25	Homecoming Parade	Downtown Ames	6:30 PM
*Sept 28	Combined 9-12 Rehearsal	AHS Stadium	7:00 AM
*Sept 29	Marching Band Performance – Ames vs Ottumwa	AHS Stadium	6:00 PM
Oct 10	All-State Mock Auditions	AHS Bandroom	3:30 PM
Oct 13	Marching Band Performance – Ames vs Sioux City	AHS Stadium	6:00 PM
*Oct 19	Combined 9-12 Rehearsal	AHS Stadium	7:00 AM
*Oct 20	Marching Band Performance – Ames vs Waukee NW	AHS Stadium	6:00 PM
Oct 21	All-State Auditions	Indianola	All Day
*Oct 23	Marching Band Spectacular	AHS Gymnasium	7:30 PM
Nov 11	Jazz Clinic	AHS Bandroom	9 AM – 12 Noon
Nov 16-18	All-State Music Festival	Ames	All Day
Nov 30	SCIBA HS Honor Band Auditions	DM Roosevelt HS	4-7 PM
Dec 4	Jazz Band Concert	W.H. Hansen PAC	6:00 PM
Dec. 9	SCIBA Jazz Festival	Waukee HS	All Day
*Dec 18	Holiday Band Concert	W.H. Hansen PAC	6:30 PM
Jan 6	SCIBA HS Honor Band	Ankeny HS	All Day
Jan 12	Triton Jazz Festival	Fort Dodge	All Day
Jan 19	Young People's Concert – Wind Symphony	W.H. Hansen PAC	1:15 PM
Feb 10	SE Polk Jazz Festival	SE Polk	All Day
Feb 15	Jazz Encounters	W.H. Hansen PAC	7:30 PM

Feb 20	Band Solo & Ensemble Prelim Contest	AHS	4:00 PM
*Feb 29	Winter Band Concert	W.H. Hansen PAC	6:30 PM
Mar 2	Band Solo and Ensemble Contest	AHS	All Day
Mar 8-14	Band Tour to Orlando	Orlando, FL	
Mar 27	Symphonic Band / Jazz I at AMS	AMS	3:00 PM
Mar TBA	Jazz II – Elementary School Tour	Ames	1:15 & 2:30
*April 17	Ames Band Clinic Day	AHS	Daytime
*April 29	Spring Band Concert	W.H. Hansen PAC	6:30 PM
*May 20	Pops Concert	AHS Gym	7:30 PM
*May 26	Commencement	Hilton Coliseum	1:45 PM