Georgia Southern University, Music Department
Audition Requirements
Southern Pride Marching Band

Prospective students wishing to be considered for entrance into the Southern Pride Marching Band should see the appropriate area below:

Woodwinds and Brass

No audition is required. Please fill out the application to express your intent to participate.

Percussionists (Drum Line)

Southern Pride Drum Line Audition Schedule

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<td>9:00AM</td>
<td>Meeting in the Foy Fine Arts Building. Pick up individual audition music. Please make sure you have registered before the 9:00AM meeting.</td>
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<td>10:00AM</td>
<td>Individual auditions begin in the Foy Fine Arts Building.</td>
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<td>12:30PM</td>
<td>Break for lunch.</td>
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<td>2:00PM</td>
<td>Technique Workshop begins - various locations around the Foy Fine Arts Building.</td>
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<td>5:30PM</td>
<td>Auditions are over.</td>
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Procedure: After a brief meeting, participants will be issued music for the individual auditions. You may enter and play as soon as you are ready. Break for lunch. The Technique Workshop will begin at 2:00PM. Participants will report to their area of interest (snare, tenors, etc.). Each section will concentrate on warm-up material as well as technique and execution style.

What to Bring: Each participant should bring the appropriate sticks or mallets. Bass Drum mallets will be provided. Instruments will be provided for the audition, but for your own personal preparation, a practice pad would be helpful. NOTE: Those interested in auditioning for Snare Drum - we use Traditional Grip. Tenors = quints.
## Color Guard

### Southern Pride Color Guard Audition Schedule

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Recreation Activities Center (RAC)  
GSU Campus

Auditions will conclude by late afternoon.

### Procedure:

Judging will be in three categories:

1) Each participant will perform a solo routine at least two minutes long and will perform to a pre-recorded cassette tape of your choice.

2) Participants will be taught a routine to be performed in small groups.

3) Each participant will be taught a movement/poise exercise. (This requires no prior experience).

### What to Bring:

Each participant is to supply their own flag and solo routine tape.  
A CD player will be provided for the auditions.  
No uniforms are necessary, practice attire is suitable.
Southern Pride Majorette Audition Schedule

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Auditions will conclude prior to lunch (early afternoon).

**Procedure:**

Judging will be in three categories:

1) Each participant will perform a solo routine at least two minutes long and will perform to a pre-recorded cassette tape of your choice.

2) Participants will be taught a routine to be performed in small groups.

3) Participants will demonstrate fundamental marching techniques. (This requires no advance experience).

**What to Bring:**

Each participant is to supply their own equipment and solo routine tape.

A CD player will be provided for the auditions.

Solo routines are to be performed in uniform. Dressing rooms will be provided.