

Expectations of Rehearsals

MD's expectations of players during rehearsals.

- The MD should be able to rehearse the music without background chatter, noise or distractions.
- The MD should not be distracted by band members discussing something in the music. This should all be done quietly and in a way that does not disrupt the rehearsal.
- If someone needs to ask the MD a question, they do so at an appropriate moment.
- Players are not distracted by other players in the band.
- Players should respect the MD.
- The rehearsals should be enjoyable, but the music making needs to take priority.

Player's expectations of the MD during rehearsals.

- The MD should address any issues regarding lack of discipline during rehearsals.
- The MD should be able to help with any musical issues or concerns the players have.
- The MD should respect all members of the band.
- The rehearsals should be enjoyable but the music making needs to take priority.

Player's expectations of the other players during rehearsals.

- Players should respect each other.
- Players should sit quietly whilst other sections of the band are rehearsing.
- Players can quietly ask more experienced players around them for help, rather than going straight to the MD, as long as it doesn't disrupt the rehearsal.
- The rehearsals should be enjoyable, but the music making needs to take priority.