

Service & Activities Fee Base Funding Request Form

**PEP BAND**

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**2026-2029 Service & Activities Fee Base Funding Request Form**

**Program/Department Name**

PEP BAND

**Program Manager**

Dr. T. André Feagin

**Do you currently receive S&A Base Funding?**

Yes

**How does the program support the University's Vision and Mission?**

<https://www.cwu.edu/about/mission-vision/>

The CWU Pep Band aligns with the university's mission by fostering a welcoming and inclusive environment where students of all majors can connect, perform, and grow. By serving as musical ambassadors and spirit leaders at athletic events and university functions, the Pep Band enhances community engagement and supports high-impact practices through extracurricular activities. The ensemble cultivates teamwork, leadership, and musicianship, which contribute to student success. Its performances energize campus life, promote school pride, and strengthen CWU's commitment to equity, belonging, and meaningful community partnerships.

**How does your request support current CWU students?**

Funding for the CWU Pep Band directly supports students by providing equitable access to a paid extracurricular activity that fosters musical, social, and leadership development. Open to all students through audition, the Pep Band engages participants in performances that boost school spirit and campus culture. The stipend encourages participation while recognizing their contributions to CWU's vibrant community. The ensemble also supports students' mental and social well-being by fostering teamwork and providing a creative outlet that complements their academic endeavors.

**What metrics or assessment do you have (or intend to have) to measure the success of your program?**

The CWU Pep Band uses metrics such as tracking participation numbers, including demographic information, to evaluate inclusivity and accessibility. Retention rates are monitored to assess member satisfaction and engagement. Feedback from athletic administrators and event organizers provides qualitative insights into performance quality. Student surveys measure satisfaction, personal growth, and skill development. Additionally, the size and enthusiasm of event audiences gauge the band's impact on school spirit and community engagement, while external invitations reflect the program's growing visibility.

**Is this program associated with enrollment in academic course or academic credit?**

No

**Identify your S&A funding category?**

**Did any organizational changes occur in your previous quadrennial in comparison to this quadrennial ask?**

Yes

**If yes, please explain organizational changes**

There has been a leadership change within the athletic band program due to the hiring of a new faculty member within the department of music.

**Current Annual Report\***

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**Submit Base Funding Budget Form and Organizational Chart\***

located: <https://www.cwu.edu/about/offices/services-activities/resources/index.php>

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**Additional Documents (optional)\***