

Thirty-seven students from the Mountain Home High School Band participated in the Arkansas School Band and Orchestra Association Region I Band tryouts last Saturday in Rogers. Nineteen students were selected as members of the All-Region Band, with ten students making the first band and qualifying to tryout for the Arkansas All-State Band in February.

Members of the 1st All-Region Band and qualifying to tryout for the All-State Band include:

Jaime Nelson, Jenne Hibbs, and Samantha Gilliland on flute; Rebecca Knight on clarinet; Kelsey Parks on bass clarinet; Dakota Hardcastle, Kalley Smith, and Mike Ivens on trumpet; Martin Williams first band, first chair on baritone, and Turner Pendergrass on tuba.

Members of the 2nd All-Region Band include:

Darah McDaniel on flute; Nicole Moore on oboe; Annie Robbins on clarinet; Luke Kressin on alto sax; Michael Griffin on trumpet; Josh Shelley on French horn; Tyler Stack on tuba; and Jaime Ott and Sarah Bentley on percussion.

Austin Farnam on alto sax and Lacey Gurien on clarinet are All-Region alternates.

These students will participate with 200 other students from 20 other schools at the Region Band Clinic this weekend, January 20-21, on the campus of Mountain Home High School. The clinic will conclude with a concert on Saturday, January 21, at 1:30 p.m. at Dunbar Auditorium. Admission is free and the public is invited to attend.