



**~Please review the updated information below~**

**GRAMERCY BRASS BAND CAMP 2021**  
**17th Season**  
**Monday, July 26 through Saturday, July 31**

We are delighted to announce:

Gramercy Brass Band Camp 2021 will take place at the  
**John J. Cali School of Music at Montclair State University**

This incredible partnership will combine the forces of Gramercy Brass Orchestra of NY and the state-of-the-art facilities of the Cali School of Music at MSU. Students will not only have the opportunity to work side by side with principal members of Gramercy Brass Orchestra in an intense daily program designed by Gramercy Brass Orchestra, but will be treated to clinics and performances by Cali School of Music faculty members.

In 2020, Gramercy Brass Band Camp offered its entire 16th season VIRTUALLY due to the Covid-19 pandemic. In 2021, we will make every effort to be “In-Person” on the MSU campus. Our goal, however, is to provide a program that will accommodate students safely in person on campus, as well as participants at a distance, remotely.

In-person, we will be working with MSU Campus leadership and Cali School of Music Leadership to have as many outdoor summer options as possible for events, classes, and activities.

Please continue to read for the most current information concerning MSU campus Covid safety policies, revised schedule and pricing options for 2021.

Below is a sample of the “Hybrid” Schedule for Gramercy Brass Band Camp 2021  
(in-person - socially distanced and remote)

**Monday through Friday** (7/26 through 7/30)

9:30 am Warm-Ups lead by Gramercy Brass Orchestra Principals

10:00 - 10:40am Rehearsal Session I

Break Individual Practice / Snacks / Relax

11:00 am - 11:40am Rehearsal Session II

12:00pm - 12:50pm Lunch Break, Organized Outdoor Activities,  
Lesson Sessions by appointment with faculty

1:00pm - 2:15pm Clinic/Performance Session with Guest Artist or  
GBO Member / Percussion Break Out Session

2:30pm In-Person Students may depart campus  
Q&A Session with Virtual Participants Only  
Lesson Session Option by appointment with faculty

3:30pm Close of Day

**Saturday** (7/31)

**PLEASE NOTE: SATURDAY WILL BE THE FINAL DAY. THERE IS NO PROGRAM SCHEDULED FOR SUNDAY.**

Alumni and Adult Brass Band Festival (AM)

Morning Session: In Person Only

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| 9:00am         | Arrival                             |
| 9:30 - 10:30am | Advanced Brass Band Reading Session |
| 11am - 11:45am | Clinics (TBD)                       |
| 12:00 Noon     | Lunch Break (on your own)           |

Afternoon Session:

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| 1:00pm          | Youth Camp Student Arrival   |
| 1:30pm - 2:30pm | Concert Dress Rehearsal for all<br>(In Person and Remote)<br>(Subject to Change) |
| 2:30pm          | 2021 GBBC Photo Session  |
| 3:00pm          | Warm Ups   |
| 4:00pm          | Brass Spectacular - Finale Concert<br>In Person and Virtual                      |
| 5:30pm          | Depart MSU Campus until GBBC 2022!   |

**PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION  
WHICH HAS BEEN CHANGED:**

**Out of an abundance of caution,  
Lunch will not be provided during GBBC in 2021.**

Please plan accordingly to bring your own lunch.

Students will be supervised in safe locations close by and snacks and beverages will be provided throughout the week.

**COVID PRECAUTIONS AND RELATED ITEMS**

Gramercy Brass Band Camp will be following MSU campus Covid regulations. The MSU campus is following the guidelines outlined by the NJ Department of Health.

**MSU Campus Regulations:**

Everyone will be required to submit a DAILY health form prior to entering the campus, including on campus visitors. We have employed a registered school nurse who will manage the daily submission of health forms to ensure compliance. Use this link to access the daily health form:

[https://montclair.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_410UteTwtqUHFtQ](https://montclair.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_410UteTwtqUHFtQ)

**INDOORS:**

Everyone is required to be vaccinated with ready proof upon request. Non vaccinated students and/or staff will be able to enter the building, however, a negative Covid test must be submitted within 72 hours of the start of camp, the daily health form will help determine your medical condition on that day, and a mask must be worn at all times indoors. A second Covid test will be required by MSU on Wednesday. We will send a link for emailing us the Covid Tests.

**OUTDOORS:**

For Gramercy Brass Band Camp, there are no restrictions other than social distancing for OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES. We are making every effort to keep our program outdoors, however, there are a few times throughout the day when we will be indoors for short periods of time and the stated indoor compliance will be observed. In addition, weather will be a factor in the decision of indoors vs outdoors.

**ALL PLANS FOR GBBC 2021 ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE  
AS COVID REGULATIONS DICTATE**

# GRAMERCY BRASS BAND CAMP 2021

## Tuition Scales and Payment Options

MSU On Campus / In-Person Program

\$499 / (\$399 for returning students)

Limited scholarships may be available.

Email - [jlambert@gramercybrass.org](mailto:jlambert@gramercybrass.org)

to request a scholarship describing financial need.

Remote Access Only (Limited Participation)

\$250 / Suggested Donation to GBBC Scholarship Fund

Fully Remote (If covid regulations take us 100% off the MSU campus)

\$250 / Suggested Donation

An alternate daily virtual schedule will be announced.

Please note: Tuition has been reduced to compensate for shorter days, providing your own lunch, and the close of GBBC one day early.

Upon receiving your registration form online at [www.gramercybrass.org](http://www.gramercybrass.org), you will be sent an invoice for Gramercy Brass Band Camp payment.

Tuition Remittance options will include:

- Payment by Check
- PayPal (with Credit Card through our website)
- Extended Payments on a Payment Plan

POLICIES:

- \$50 of your payment will be non-refundable as an application fee.
- Cancellation will be refunded up to 50% prior to the start of GBBC.
- There will be no refund for cancelations after July 25th.
- If GBBC is required to go 100% remote, you will receive a refund on the balance after the \$250 remote donation.

These options will be available with instructions on your invoice via email.

Remote Participants will receive Zoom Links via email as the week of GBBC approaches.

If we must go to ALL REMOTE due to campus closure, Zoom Links will be sent to everyone via email, along with a revised updated schedule.

If you have questions or need further information, please contact us via email at [GBBC@gramercybrass.org](mailto:GBBC@gramercybrass.org). One of our GBBC representatives will respond to you and make every effort to resolve and answer questions.

The John J. Cali School of Music at  
Montclair State University  
is located at  
1 Normal Avenue, Montclair, NJ 07043

Visit the MSU Campus Website for further information.

<https://www.montclair.edu>

Please Note **RE: Parking on Campus:**

There is ample drop-off space in front of the Cali School of Music Building on College Avenue, right off Normal Avenue. Parking on Campus is limited to the RED HAWK PARKING DECK, located just beyond the Cali School of Music Building. There is a parking charge.

Email: [parking@montclair.edu](mailto:parking@montclair.edu) for more information or call 973-655-7580.

We look forward to greeting you In Person or Virtually  
at our 17th Season of Gramercy Brass Band Camp!



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