## Lincoln High School – Course Registration

**<u>Rock Ensemble</u>** Course # \_\_\_\_\_ Year Course ~ 1 credit per year Instructor: Dr. Knotts-Gonzalez

This course is designed for students who want to develop music-making skills and music literacy using primarily rock and pop music. This course is designed for all students, so little or no prior experience is needed. Those students without formal music reading skills or prior musical ensemble experience are encouraged to enroll. Hands-on instruction will be given on guitar, electric bass, drum set, keyboard, digital, string instruments, and vocals. Students will develop skills on each instrument, create ensembles, and explore music performance. Each student will be exposed to live sound reinforcement and be given the opportunity to "run" a live concert (either in or outside of class). The course content will focus on elements within rock music as well as a focus on the fundamental elements of music.