

BAILEY MIDDLE SCHOOL BANDS – 2017-2018 INSTRUMENT SUPPLY LIST

Take this list to a reputable music store when you rent or purchase your instrument. Please check with Ms. Petersen at r.petersen@cms.k12.nc.us if you have any questions. The brands of instruments *in italics* have been recommended for their quality of craftsmanship, sound quality, and durability.

WOODWINDS

FLUTE

Gemeinhardt, Jupiter, Yamaha, or Pearl

Note: An "off-set G" key is preferred for beginning students to encourage proper, comfortable hand position.

Silk or cloth swab and a polishing cloth.

CLARINET

Buffet, Jupiter, or Yamaha

- *Vandoren M30 or Hite Premier or Fobes Debut* mouthpiece for 7th & 8th Grade.
- *Rovner* ligature for 7th & 8th Grade.

1 box *Vandoren* Reeds: Strength 3 (2 ½ for 6th)

Cork grease, La Voz reed guard, and a silk swab.

BASS CLARINET

- *Hite Premier or Fobes Debut* mouthpiece for 7th & 8th Grade.
- *Rovner* ligature for 7th & 8th Grade.

1 box *Vandoren* Reeds: Strength 2 ½

Cork grease, La Voz reed guard, and a silk swab.

ALTO, TENOR, & BARITONE SAXOPHONE

Yamaha, Jupiter

- *Yanagisawa Hard Rubber or Hite Premier or Fobes Debut* mouthpiece for 7th & 8th Grade.
- *Rovner* ligature for 7th & 8th Grade.

1 box *Vandoren* Reeds: Strength 3

- (2 ½ for 6th and for tenor/bari.)

Neck strap, cork grease, La Voz reed guard, and a silk swab.

PERCUSSION

Pearl or Ludwig Percussion kit or comparable model, which includes a concert snare drum, a practice pad and bells; *Musser M-4* mallets; and *Vic Firth SD-1 General* snare sticks. I would **highly recommend** purchasing a stick/mallet bag since percussionists will eventually only carry their sticks/mallets back and forth between home and school.

REQUIRED SUPPLIES FOR ALL STUDENTS:

Sound Innovations, Book One, for 6th Grade Band and first semester 7th Grade Band. (*Sound Innovations, Book 1*, is also available as an iBook.)

Sound Innovations, Book Two, for second semester 7th Grade Band and 8th Grade Band.

Fundamentals of Music Theory (Have to buy through the Bailey Band Boosters.)

A pencil should always be brought to class. I would also strongly suggest a folding music stand for use at home.

The chance of each student's individual success is much greater if he/she has a quality instrument. All students MUST have an instrument August 30th (A Day) or August 31st (B Day).

BRASS

TRUMPET

Bach, Getzen, King, or Yamaha

- *Bach 5C* mouthpiece for 7th and 8th Grade.

Tuning slide grease, Blue Juice valve oil, and a polishing cloth.

FRENCH HORN

- *King H2 or Conn H2* mouthpiece for 7th & 8th Grade.

Tuning slide grease, *rotor oil*, and a polishing cloth.

TROMBONE

Bach, Conn, King, or Yamaha

- Small bore/small shank: *Bach 6 ½ AL* mouthpiece for 7th & 8th Grade.

Slide-O-Mix, a spray bottle, tuning slide grease, a polishing cloth, and a plastic-coated snake.

EUPHONIUM (BARITONE)

- *Bach 6 ½ AL* mouthpiece for 7th and 8th Grade.

Tuning slide grease, Blue Juice valve oil, and a polishing cloth.

TUBA

- *Bach 18* mouthpiece for 7th and 8th Grade.

Tuning slide grease, Blue Juice valve oil, and a polishing cloth.