

BEGINNING BAND 2010-2011
Fowler MS Band
RECOMMENDED INSTRUMENTS AND REQUIRED SUPPLIES

We recommend that you don't purchase an instrument the first year. You can RENT new or used instruments from any music store. After the first year, you can continue to rent-to-own the instrument or return the beginner instrument for a Step-Up instrument. These Step-Up instruments will last them for the rest of their musical career (high school, college, & beyond).

INSTRUMENT	BRAND/MODEL	MOUTHPIECE	MAINTENANCE SUPPLIES
Flute	Emerson EF6 (open hole) Jupiter 511 RBS (open hole) Step-up*-----> Lyric, Sonare SF501 (or higher), Emerson EF8B, Brio! B10 (or higher) Top Line-----> Speak to a director		Silk Swab, suede cloth, K&M flute stand
Oboe	Provided by the school (Limited availability)		3 Graham reeds (medium soft), reed case, silk cleaning swab. Optional: Claricord Neck strap
Bassoon	Provided by the school (Limited availability)		3 Singin' Dog reeds of medium strength, reed case, silk swab.
Clarinet	Buffet E11 Selmer CL201 (Only if E11 not available) Step-up* & Top Line-----> Buffet R13	Vandoren M13	1 Box Vandoren #2 1/2 reeds, reedguard, silk swab, Rovner ligature, bite pad, thumb-ez. Optional: Claricord Neck Strap
Alto Saxophone	Yamaha YAS23 Selmer AS 500 Step-up* & Top Line ----->YAS 62II	Selmer C-star	1 Box Vandoren #2 1/2 reeds, reedguard, silk swab, Rovner ligature, bite pad, Neo-tech neck strap
Trumpet	Eastman ETR420 Yamaha YTR-2335 King 601 Step-up* & Top Line ----->Bach S180-37 "Stradivarius"Trumpet	Bach 7C	Al Cass valve oil, Selmer tuning slide grease, mouthpiece cleaning brush, BERP buzzing system: Trumpet #3
French Horn	Provided by the school (Limited availability)	Farkas MC	Rotary valve oil, Selmer tuning slide grease, BERP buzzing attachment #1 Optional: Small rolling dolly (Office Supply)
Trombone (w/ Trigger)	Eastman ETB432G Yamaha YSL448G Step-up* & Top Line----->Bach 42 BO or Conn88HO	Bach 6 1/2 AL	Slide-O-Mix, Selmer tuning slide grease, mouthpiece brush, cleaning snake BERP buzzing attachment #4 or #5 (lrg. shank) Optional: Small rolling dolly (Office Supply)
Baritone	Provided by the school	Schilke 51D (small shank)	Al Cass valve oil, Selmer tuning slide grease
Tuba	Provided by the school (Limited availability)	Conn Helleberg 120S	Optional: Small rolling dolly (Office Supply)
Percussion	FOWLER MS		
	Innovative Percussion Bell Kit (IPPK32) Comes with: bells, practice pad, with built-in rolling cart, Innovative Percussion IP-LD Lalo Davila or Vic Firth SD-1 Snare Sticks, and Innovative Percussion/ Fundamental Series F9 Xylo/Bell Mallets Vic Firth/M213 or Pro-Mark/BT 4 Marimba Mallets Innovative Percussion/IP-CT3 or Pro-Mark/JH3 Timpani Mallets		Dynasty/SG3 Mallet Bag or Pro-Mark/JSB5 Boss/ DB-30 Metronome Full Length Door Mirror (Wal-Mart) Hearos/High Fidelity Ear Filters (recommended) Wire Music Stand

Band Supplies List for 2010-2011

We try to anticipate ALL the expenses you will have the first year apart from the actual instrument rental. Woodwind players will have the added expense of replacement reeds every few months.

A list of suggested music stores in the area can be found on the band website:
www.fowlerband.com

ALL STUDENTS: will need to have the following materials **BEFORE** the first day of school:
THESE ITEM you will need to get from a Music Store: (All prices are approximate)

- ❖ Essential Elements 2000 book (CD & DVD) \$ 8.95-\$9.95 (except Percussion)
- ❖ Wessels 5 Min. Music Theory book \$ 3.95 (except Percussion)
- ❖ Wire Music Stand for home practice \$ 14.95 (on sale at Music&Arts for \$10)
- ❖ Digital Metronome Korg TM-40 \$ 33.00 (except Percussion)

Percussionist ONLY

- ❖ Wire Music Stand for home practice \$ 14.95
- ❖ Digital Metronome Boss/Take Along Dr. Beat –DB-30) \$39.95
- ❖ Book: “Simple Steps to Successful Beginning Percussion” by Kennan Wiley \$ 28.00

The following items must be purchased from the Band this Fall
(Money due the first day of school):

- ❖ Beginning Band Supplies (includes T-shirt for performances and activities, materials, awards, refreshments & incentives) \$ 23.00
- ❖ Contest Fee (Solo & Ensemble contest in May) \$ 5.00

Total: \$28.00

Spring 2010 Supplies:

- ❖ Hurricane Harbor Spring Trip May 2011 - \$32.00 (includes: ticket, transportation, & lunch)
We will not accept any money for this trip until February of 2011

Brass Players ONLY (Required):

- ❖ BERP Buzzing system for Brass \$16.00

PLEASE CONSIDER PRIVATE LESSONS

AS A VITAL PART OF THE BAND PROGRAM.

LESSONS ARE HELD AT THE SCHOOL AND ARE \$16.00 PER WEEK.

IT IS MUCH PREFERABLE TO RENT A USED INSTRUMENT AND TAKE PRIVATE LESSONS THAN IT IS TO HAVE A “SHINY” NEW INSTRUMENT WITHOUT LESSONS.