

6th Grade BEGINNING BAND Supplies

2020-2021

Dear 6th Grade Families,

It is important that **ALL** families sign up for a zoom meeting with Mrs. Vernon **BEFORE** you purchase your band supplies for 6th Grade Beginning Band, many of your questions will be answered in that meeting. This meeting will ensure you are informed of how Band will work and will make sure you have the materials you need.

If you have not signed up for a meeting time with Mrs. Vernon to discuss what instrument you will play, and how to get an instrument, please sign up ASAP using this link:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0c49aea62daaf49-6thgrade>.

If for some reason you did not sign up for a meeting in time, or you cannot make any of the listed times, please email me at cvernon@wcpss.net and we will set up a meeting time that works for you.

With Band starting online, there will only be 4 instrument choices first semester, FLUTE, CLARINET, TRUMPET and TROMBONE. When we are back in person, students will have the opportunity to switch over to the other instruments. Mrs. Vernon will advise on what instrument is best to start on if your first choice instrument is not one of the 4 starter instruments.

6th Grade FLUTES

Tuner/Metronome: There are 2 different options for the tuner/metronome. You can either get the Tonal Energy Tuner and Metronome App on a phone or tablet (cost is \$3.99 in the app store) **OR** you can purchase a Korg Metronome/Tuner combo that can be purchased here: https://www.amazon.com/Korg-TM60BK-Tuner-Metronome-Black/dp/B078C5HCVP/ref=sr_1_2?dchild=1&keywords=korg+metronome+tuner&qid=1596368840&sr=8-2

Music Stand: (if you don't have one at home already)
https://www.amazon.com/Kasonic-Professional-Collapsible-Instrumental-Performance/dp/B07D5KK26W/ref=sr_1_6?dchild=1&keywords=folding+music+stand&qid=1596369423&sr=8-6

Cleaning cloth, a silk handkerchief or bandana will work. You could also purchase this if you don't have either of these at home:
https://www.amazon.com/Hodge-Silk-Flute-Swab-Purple/dp/B001M5I27A/ref=sr_1_5?dchild=1&keywords=flute+cleaning+cloth&qid=1596369023&sr=8-5

Essential Elements Book

https://www.amazon.com/Essential-Elements-2000-Book-Flute/dp/0634003119/ref=sr_1_3?dchild=1&keywords=essential+elements+for+band+book+1&qid=1596369704&sr=8-3

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Reeds: 1 box of VANDOREN clarinet reeds, size 2.5 Please do not buy any other brand.
https://www.amazon.com/Vandoren-CR1025-Clarinet-Traditional-Strength/dp/B00MO1XS5M/ref=sr_1_2?dchild=1&keywords=vandoren+clarinet+reeds+2.5&qid=1596370849&sr=8-2

Book:
https://www.amazon.com/Essential-Elements-2000-Comprehensive-Clarinet/dp/0634003143/ref=sr_1_2?dchild=1&keywords=essential+elements+for+band+book+1+clarinet&qid=1596369790&sr=8-2

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Valve Oil:
https://www.amazon.com/Al-Cass-Valve-Oil-fluid/dp/B002LI4Y92/ref=sr_1_7?dchild=1&keywords=valve+oil&qid=1596369271&sr=8-7

Trumpet Book:
https://www.amazon.com/Essential-Elements-2000-Comprehensive-Trumpet/dp/0634003208/ref=sr_1_2?dchild=1&keywords=essential+elements+for+band+book+1+trumpet&qid=1596370057&sr=8-2

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Slide Cream:

https://www.amazon.com/SuperSlick-12374-Superslick-Slide-Grease/dp/B002Q0WT92/ref=sr_1_13?dchild=1&keywords=trombone+slide+cream&qid=1596370159&sr=8-13

Mist spray bottle:- you can find these for \$.99 at target, or in any travel section of a drug store. https://www.amazon.com/Fantasea-Fine-Spray-Bottle-Ounce/dp/B000NIY7QM/ref=sr_1_6?dchild=1&keywords=tiny+spray+bottle&qid=1596370201&sr=8-6

Book:

https://www.amazon.com/Essential-Elements-Band-Trombone-Book/dp/0634003224/ref=sr_1_2?dchild=1&keywords=essential+elements+for+band+book+1+trombone&qid=1596370134&sr=8-2