



Supply List for 7th Grade Band:

Please note, you do not HAVE to purchase the product from the vendors in the below links.

These are just samples of good quality products to purchase.

1. **All Instruments:** [Wire Music Stand](#)
2. **All Instruments:** Tuner and Metronome (Tonalenergy Tuner App or other tuner apps are also offered for free)
3. **All woodwind and brass Instruments:** Book: Sound Innovations Book 1 (this is the same book we used in 6th grade last year). We will also be using online resources and practice programs covered by a small payment. This payment will be made available online in September. This will also include a music department t-shirt!

Instrument Specific Supply Lists:

Flute

- Recommended Brands: Gemeinhardt, Yamaha, or Jupiter
- Cleaning rod and thin handkerchief or [silk flute cloth](#). (Do not purchase a polishing cloth.)

Oboe

- Recommended Brands: Fox or LeBlanc
- Three (3) working reeds at all times - [Oboe Reed For Beginners](#)
- [Reed Case](#)
- Cleaning Supplies: Cleaning [Swab](#) & [Cork Grease](#)

Clarinet

- Recommended Brands: Yamaha, Selmer or LeBlanc
- Cleaning Supplies: [Silk Cleaning Swab](#) or [Silk Cleaning Swab](#) & [Cork Grease](#)
- Reeds: Six (6) Working reeds - [Vandoren 2½ or 3 clarinet reeds](#)

Alto Saxophone

- Recommended Brands: Selmer or Yamaha
- [Neck strap](#) & [Six \(6\) number 2 ½ vandoren alto sax reeds](#)
- Cleaning Supplies: [Silk Cleaning swab](#), [Cork Grease](#), six (6) number 2½ Alto Sax. Vandoren reeds.

Trumpet

- Recommended Brands: Bach, King, or Yamaha
- [Cleaning Kit](#) - Needs to include Valve oil, tuning slide grease, a cleaning “snake” and a mouthpiece brush.

French horn

- Recommended Brands: Conn, Bach, or Holton (Instruments may also be rented from the school. [Email band directors](#) for more information.)
- Mouthpiece - [Holton Farkas MC](#)
- [Cleaning Kit](#) - Needs to include Rotary oil, tuning slide grease, a cleaning “snake” and a mouthpiece brush.

Trombone

- Recommended Brands: Bach, Conn, King, or Yamaha
- [Bach 6 ½ AL Small Shank Tenor Trombone Mouthpiece](#)
- [Cleaning Kit](#) - Needs to include water sprayer, tuning slide grease, a cleaning “snake” and a mouthpiece brush.
- [Trombotine](#) to keep the slide working properly.

Euphonium

- Instrument and mouthpiece will be rented from the school for \$100 for the year. Information will be sent in an additional email later this month.
- [Cleaning Kit](#) - Needs to include Valve oil, tuning slide grease, a cleaning “snake” and a mouthpiece brush.

Tuba

- Instrument will be rented from the school for \$100 for the year. Information will be sent in an additional email later this month.
- Mouthpiece - [Conn Helleberg Mouthpiece Silver SB](#) (If you rented a mouthpiece with the Tuba from Mercer last year please let us know.)
- [Cleaning Kit](#) - Needs to include Valve oil, tuning slide grease, a cleaning "snake" and a mouthpiece brush.

Percussion

- **Practice Xylophone** - We highly recommend a practice xylophone like the [Yamaha Practice Xylophone](#) or the [Adams Practice Xylophone](#). If you have a bell kit at home you could also use this for home practice again this school year. The links we listed for the practice xylophones would be the next natural upgrade from a bell kit as your students progress in their skills.
- **Book** - "[Fresh Approach to Mallet Percussion](#)" (Same book that Mercer used last year)
- **Book** - "[Snare Drummer's Toolbox](#)" (Same book that Mercer used last year)
- **Mallets and Sticks** - Vic Firth [EP 2 Stick Bag](#)
- **Practice Pad and stand**
- **Wire Music Stand to Set Book and Music on when practicing.**