

Kinard Beginning Band

Flute Supply List 2017-2018

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Instrument Brand and Model

Yamaha YFL-261 (open hole)

Why an open hole flute? Flutes are originally designed to be open hole. Closed hole flutes were invented for the elementary aged beginner in mind (some school districts start beginners as young as 4th grade). Open hole flutes provide better tone quality and ensure proper finger position (clarinets are open hole instruments and actually have bigger open holes, yet do not have a closed hole option!). The flutes listed above are open hole, but come with tone hole plugs for beginners to use for the first few months of playing. We will start removing one plug at a time throughout the school year.

Accessories to purchase at time of rental

- Silk Flute Swab
- Tradition of Excellence Book 1, Flute
- Folding Wire Music Stand

Important Information to Know Prior to Renting

1. What percent of your monthly payment (equity) can go towards a step-up instrument?
2. Can equity be transferred to another instrument should your child change instruments or be transferred to another family member?
3. How are instrument repairs handled?
4. Are loaner instruments available for students to use while their instrument is being repaired?

Rental and Accessories Resources

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Clarinet Supply List 2017-2018

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Instrument Brand and Model

Buffet B12 or Buffet Prodigie

Mouthpiece Brand and Model

Vandoren M13 Lyre

Note: It is recommended you have your music store include this mouthpiece as part of your rental not purchased. If you purchase this mouthpiece and the ligature below and your child should switch to a different instrument from clarinet, you will be left with a mouthpiece and ligature!

Ligature Brand and Model

Rovner Dark

Note: Ask to have this included as part of your rental

Why a Vandoren mouthpiece and Rovner ligature? The mouthpiece and ligature (the ligature secures the reed to the mouthpiece) are the heart and soul of a clarinet player's sound. While a quality instrument like the Buffet B12 is also a key part of a successful sound for your child, the mouthpiece and ligature are as important. Think of the instrument itself as the chassis of a car and the mouthpiece and ligature as the engine! With this mouthpiece and ligature, your child's sound/tone will be fantastic!

Accessories to purchase at time of rental

- Mouthpiece Patch (small piece of rubber that attaches to the mouthpiece to make playing more comfortable)
- Thumb Eze (helps ease the weight of the clarinet)
- 1 Box Mitchell Lurie Size 3 reeds
- Silk Swab
- Mouthpiece brush
- Cork Grease
- Tradition of Excellence Book 1, Clarinet
- Folding Wire Music Stand

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Instrument Brand and Model

Yamaha YTR-2330 or

Mouthpiece Brand and Model

Bach 7C or Yamaha equivalent

Accessories to purchase at time of rental

- Blue Juice Valve Oil
- Selmer Slide Grease
- Mouthpiece Brush
- Valve brush
- Cleaning Snake
- Tradition of Excellence Book 1, Trumpet
- Folding Wire Music Stand

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Horn Supply List 2017-2018

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School Owned Instrument or Rented (checked out the first day of the summer music program to students selected for a school horn)

Recommended Model: Holton H378

Comparable Brands: Yamaha

Mouthpiece Brand and Model

Farkas MDC

If you were selected for a school owned instrument you will need to buy this mouthpiece. If you are renting a horn from a music store, ask to have this mouthpiece included in your rental.

Accessories to purchase at time of rental

- Rotary oil (this is different than **valve** oil)
- Selmer Slide Grease
- Mouthpiece Brush
- Cleaning Snake
- Tradition of Excellence Book 1, Horn
- Folding Wire Music Stand

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Trombone Supply List 2017-2018

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Instrument Brand and Model

Yamaha 448G (F attachment/trigger trombone)

Mouthpiece Brand and Model

Bach 6 ½ AL or Yamaha equivalent mouthpiece

Note: It is recommended you have your music store include this mouthpiece as part of your rental not purchased. If you purchase this mouthpiece and your child should switch to a different instrument or quit band, you will be left with a mouthpiece!

Why an F attachment/trigger trombone? An F attachment is also called a trigger trombone. Compared to a student model "pea shooter" model, it has one piece of extra tubing, a rotor, and a trigger. The advantage of this type of trombone for middle school students is arm length. The trombone uses 7 slide positions to change notes. For most 6th and 7th graders, 6th and 7th position are very challenging for their shorter arms to reach, so students are forced to compensate by stretching their fingers, arm, shoulder and torso into an extended position (some shorter 6th and 7th graders cannot reach these positions at all!). An f attachment allows players to use the trigger in 1st position (the closest position to their body) to play 6th position and use the trigger in 2nd position for 7th position. At first it may seem strange to create this attachment for a few notes, but the 6th position note "C" is one of the first five notes students learn and is a note they use very frequently in band music! In addition, f attachment trombones feature a bigger bore/tubing size allowing students to produce a fuller warmer sound than a traditional trombone.

Accessories to purchase at time of rental

- Slide o Mix (separate bottles or combined mix bottle are acceptable)
- Holton Rotor Oil
- Selmer Slide Grease
- Mouthpiece Brush
- Cleaning Snake
- Tradition of Excellence Book 1, Trombone
- Folding Wire Music Stand

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Baritone Supply List 2017-2018

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Mouthpiece Brand and Model

Bach 6 ½ AL small shank

Accessories to purchase at time of rental

- Blue Juice Valve Oil
- Selmer Slide Grease
- Mouthpiece Brush
- Valve brush
- HW Brass Saver Cleaning Snake
- Tradition of Excellence Book 1, Baritone B.C.
- Folding Wire Music Stand

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Tuba Supply List 2017-2018

School Owned Instrument (checked out the first day of the summer music program)

Mouthpiece Brand and Model

Conn 120S Helleburg mouthpiece

Accessories to purchase at time of rental

- Blue Juice Valve Oil
- Selmer Slide Grease
- Mouthpiece Brush
- Valve brush
- HW Brass Saver Cleaning Snake
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Woodwind and Brasswind

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Percussion Supply List 2017-2018

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Percussion families need to purchase their own practice pad, snare stand and sticks and rent a practice marimba. These instruments are not brought back and forth to school, they are for at home practice. Percussion students utilize the school's pads and mallet instruments and bring their own snare sticks and mallets back and forth from home

Practice Pad and Snare Stand Brands and Models (purchase these)

Practice Pad: Off World V3 Invader Practice Pad or 12" Prologix Practice Pad (green)

Practice Pad Stand: Purchase a basic snare stand like the ones made by (Pearl, Ahead, Tama, Gibraltar etc)

Snare Drum Sticks (purchase)

Vic Firth SD1 snare drum sticks

Practice Marimba (rent, comes with mallets)

Marimba Warehouse or Adams 3.0 Practice Marimba

Why a practice marimba? I had kids switch to these a few years ago to inspire percussionists to learn mallets on a quality instrument. We used to use bell kits at Kinard and the students despised them! Bell kits are challenging to play due to their smaller keys and hard mallets. In the beginning of playing percussion it is important for kids to play with a big solid sound and bell kits cannot be played this way. Practice marimbas have larger keys and sound great. This allows kids to play a full stroke and inspires them to play mallets more. Since we have switched to these instruments I have seen percussionist's confidence and achievement increase substantially and equally important, they enjoy practicing mallets!

Accessories to purchase at time of rental

- Tradition of Excellence Book 1, Percussion
- Folding Wire Music Stand

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Steve Weiss Music (pad, snare stand and sticks)

www.steveweissmusic.com

Lonestar Percussion (pad, snare stand, sticks)

www.lonestarpercussion.com