

# McCormick Junior High School Bands

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*Beginning/Symphonic/Percussion Band Book: Sound Innovations for Concert Band–Book 1*

*Concert Band Book: Sound Innovations for Concert Band-Book 2*

*Rhythm Book for all band students: Rhythms and Beyond*

## Recommended Instrument Brands & Supplies

### **Flute:** *Yamaha, Gemeinhardt, Armstrong, Jupiter*

- Flute Cleaning/Maintenance/Care Kit
  - Soft cleaning cloth/swab
  - Tone hole cleaner
  - Key oil
  - Cork grease
  - Pad papers
  - Polishing cloth
- Cleaning rod
- Small eyeglass/jewelers screwdriver

### **Oboe/Bassoon:** *Selmer*

- 1 plastic reed
- 1 soft wood reed
- 2 medium wood reeds
- Reed holder for 4 reeds
- Small empty pill bottle to soak reeds
- Oboe/Bassoon Cleaning/Maintenance/Care Kit
  - Cork grease
  - Reed guard
  - Cleaning swab set
  - Duster brush
  - Thumb rest cushion
- Small eyeglass/jewelers screwdriver

### **Clarinet:** *Yamaha, Buffet, Leblanc, Selmer*

- Vandoren B45 Mouthpiece
- Ligature & Mouthpiece Cap
- 4 - #2.5 Rico Clarinet Reeds or 4 Eastman Venuto Reeds
- Reed holder for 4 reeds
- Clarinet Cleaning/Maintenance/Care Kit
  - Cleaning swab
  - Mouthpiece brush
  - Polish cloth
  - Cork grease
- Small eyeglass/jewelers screwdriver

### **Saxophones:** *Yamaha, Vito, Selmer, Accent, Cannonball*

- Rousseau New Classic Mouthpiece or Vandoren AL3 Mouthpiece
- Ligature & Mouthpiece Cap
- 4 - #2.5 Rico Sax Reeds or Eastman Venuto Sax Reeds
- Reed holder for 4 reeds
- Neck Strap
- Saxophone Maintenance Kit
  - Cleaning Swab
  - Cork Grease
  - Reed guard and brush
  - Mouthpiece brush
  - Polish Cloth
- Small eyeglass/jewelers screwdriver

### **Trumpet:** *Bach, Holton, Yamaha*

- Bach 7C Mouthpiece
- Trumpet Cleaning/Maintenance/Care Kit
  - Valve Oil
  - Tuning Slide Grease
  - Snake/Flexible Cleaner
  - Valve Casing Brush
  - Mouthpiece Brush
  - Polishing Cloth

### **Horn:** *Holton, Conn or Yamaha*

- Holton Farkas Medium Mouthpiece
- Horn Cleaning/Maintenance/Care Kit
  - Rotary Oil
  - Tuning Slide Grease
  - Coated Snake
  - Mouthpiece Brush
  - Polish Cloth

### **Trombone:** *Bach, Conn, Yamaha, Jupiter*

- Bach 6½AL Mouthpiece
- Slide-O-Mix
- Trombone Cleaning/Maintenance/Care Kit
  - Mouthpiece brush
  - Slide snake/cleaning rod
  - Soft cleaning cloth/swab
  - Slide spray
  - Tuning slide grease
  - Polish cloth

### **Baritone/Tuba:** *Bach, Yamaha, Holton, Jupiter*

- Baritone Mouthpiece
  - Bach 6½AL
- Tuba Mouthpiece
  - Bach 18 or Conn Helleberg 7B
- Cleaning/Maintenance/Care Kit
  - Valve oil
  - Tuning slide grease
  - Flexible cleaner/snake
  - Mouthpiece brush
  - Valve casing brush
  - Polishing cloth
- Small Face/Hand Towel

### **Percussion:** *Practice Drum Pad and Bell Set*

- Stick/Mallet Bag
- Snare Sticks
  - Vic Firth SD1 Generals or Promark SD1,
- Hard Plastic Mallets
  - Vic Firth M6 or Balter BB10
- Medium Hard Rubber Mallets
  - Vic Firth M5 or Balter B5
- Medium Soft Yarn Mallets
  - Vic Firth M3 or Balter BB2
- Timpani Mallets
  - Vic Firth T1 General or Balter T3 General