

Crestdale Beginning Band Supplies

Necessary Supplies for class and at home daily:

- All band students are to bring to each class:
 - Instrument with a luggage tag attached
 - Music
 - Habits of a Successful Beginner Band Musician (Instrument Specific)
 - 1 inch BLACK 3-ring binder with clear front and back
 - 1 package of clear plastic sheet protectors
 - Pencil
- At home students should have:
 - music stand
 - tuner/metronome or an App on your smartphone

Flute:

1. Flute tuning rod
2. A soft cloth or silk swab

Clarinet:

1. A minimum of (5) strength 3 reeds at all times. As the students get more advanced, a harder reed may be required.. **I recommend Vandoren**. You are expected to rotate reeds to break them in and they will last longer this way.
2. Cleaning kit that includes everything you need to maintain the clarinet.
3. Recommended mouthpieces: B45, Vandoren M13, or M30 mouthpiece and Vandoren Leather ligature.

Trumpet:

1. Tuning slide grease
2. Soft cleaning cloth/Mouthpiece and snake cleaning brushes/Valve oil.
3. An old rag for emptying your water key!

Trombone:

1. 6.5 A.L mouthpiece (Bach, Blessing)- small shank
2. Slide-O-Mix slide lubricant
3. Tuning slide grease/2 cleaning cloths/ Cleaning rod/ Mouthpiece & snake cleaning brushes
4. An old rag for emptying your water key!

Percussion:

1. Beginning Band Percussion Kit (Needs to Include Bell Kit, and Snare drum).
 - a. Music and Arts or at one of the online sources listed.
2. Evans RealFeel 2-Sided Speed and Workout Drum Pad Gray 12 in. \$28.99 (Guitar Center)
3. 1 pr. of Concert Snare Sticks-Vic Firth American Custom SD1 General \$9.99 (Music and Arts)
4. 1 pr. of Mallets for Bells- IP 902 – Red Innovative Percussion Medium Xylo Mallets \$30.99 (Music and Arts)
5. 1 Vic Firth Standard Stick Bag \$21.99 (Music and Arts)