

# WHITTHORNE MIDDLE SCHOOL BAND

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## **Materials List for Beginning Band Brass Students**

The following is a list of materials that brass students will need in class. There are other brands that are acceptable that are *not* on this list. If you find an instrument brand, size, etc. that is not on this list please call or email us to make sure it is the right quality and type for your child.

### **6th Grade Band Required Materials**

Instrument (with Name Tag on case)

Instrument Accessories (See below)

Purple WMS Band Polo

*Essential Elements 2000 Book 1* (for your instrument)

*5 Minute Music Theory* (for your instrument)

1 inch 3-Ring Binder & 50 Transparent Sheet Protectors

**Bb Trumpet** *Reputable Brands:* Yamaha, Bach, Getzen, Holton, and King

*Mouthpiece:* Bach 5c or equivalent size

*Accessories:* Valve Oil, Slide Grease

*Additional Comments:* Make sure there is a 3rd valve slide ring and all slides and valves move freely.

**\*F Horn**                      **Double Horns are required.** (see school-owned instrument details below)

*Mouthpiece:* Yamaha 30C4 & Holton Farkas MC or equivalent size

*Accessories:* Rotor Oil, Slide Grease

**Trombone**      *Reputable Brands:* Yamaha, Bach, King, Besson, Conn, and Holton

*Mouthpiece:* Bach 6 1/2AL or Yamaha 48 or equivalent size

*Accessories:* Slide Lubricant, Tuning Slide Grease

*Additional Comments:* Make sure all slides move freely, and the main slide effortlessly, any dents in the main slide will greatly affect the performance of the instrument

**\*Euphonium**

*Mouthpiece:* Bach 6 1/2AL or Yamaha 48 or equivalent size

*Accessories:* Valve Oil, Tuning Slide Grease

**\*Tuba**

*Mouthpiece:* Bach 18 or equivalent size

*Accessories:* Valve Oil, Tuning Slide Grease

*\*School-Owned Instruments: Instruments like Horn, Euphonium and Tuba can be very expensive to purchase or rent. Therefore, if your child is chosen to play one of these instruments they will be able to use a school-owned instrument for an annual fee of \$100. Students and Parents will also have to complete the School-Owned Instrument Borrowing Agreement.*