

Saxophone Supply List

You will need to rent or purchase one of the instruments below from a music store. Please do not substitute a different instrument without first contacting Mrs. Becker or Mr. Urban. Beware of cheap imitation instruments. Many of these play very poorly and are difficult to maintain. The Instruments approved for use in the Hudson Band have been carefully chosen based on the best value of cost versus quality.

Please choose from one of these models:

Option 1: Yamaha YAS 480 (intermediate)

Option 2: Yamaha Custom 875 EX (forever)

Option 3: Yamaha YAS 26 (introductory)



Essential Elements
Book 1 for Alto Saxophone



Music stand for home practice



Silk Saxophone Swab



Polish cloth for Saxophone



Selmer C* Mouthpiece (Do not use stock mouthpiece)



1 Blue Box of Vandoren #3 reeds



Rovner Ligature



Tube of Cork Grease



Reed Guard for 4 or more Reeds



Tuner/Metronome Combo (Recommended model: Korg TM-60)

These supplies will be used daily and can be purchased from any local music store.

Please make sure to secure all supplies before the first day of school.

Please check our website for the most up-to-date information and for answers to many questions www.hudsonband.org

Any questions - contact Mrs. Heather Becker - hdbecker@garlandisd.net

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