



Lakeview Intermediate School

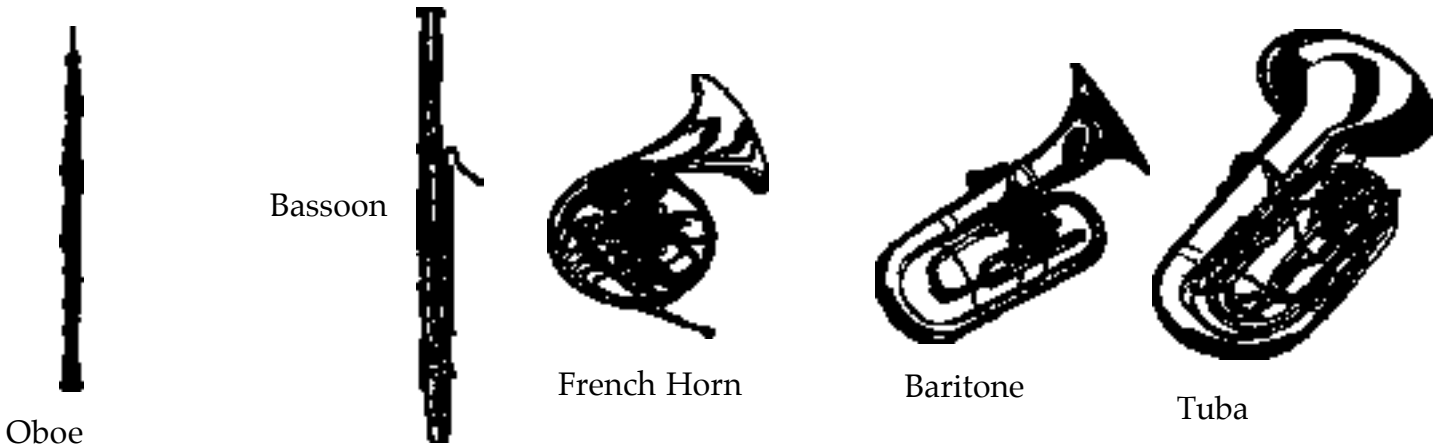
Intermediate (Second Year) Band Program

Welcome to your second exciting year of band. This year will offer more challenges and fun. Again this year you will receive one half-hour group sectional lesson a week. These lessons will be scheduled for 30 minutes sometime between 8:15 AM and 9:45 one day during the week. In addition to the sectional lessons we also have full band lessons once a week. Full band will begin at 7:30 A.M. and will conclude by 8:10. As done last year to assist with car pooling, the bands will be divided by home elementary schools. **Students who live in the Echo Hills, Fishcreek and Woodland areas will have band on Tuesday morning while students who live in the Highland, Riverview or Indian Trail areas will have band on Thursday morning.** A week before a concert, groups will be combined for a few rehearsals. **The morning full bands will begin Tuesday, September 8th or Thursday, September 10th.** Since each band performs the same music, student's may attend either day of band. You are also free to attend both days if you wish.

Today your child registered for Intermediate Band. In about a week he/she will be informed of the lesson time and location. We would like to remind you that for the first lesson your child will need to bring: their instrument, book: Essential Elements (book 1), and a pencil. Once we finish book 1 we will be moving into Essential Elements, Book 2. Sectional lessons begin the week of September 6th. Percussionists should not purchase the Essential Elements Book 2 as they will be using their books from last year.

As part of the second year program we offer the student the choice of trying a "color instrument." Color instruments are generally school-owned instruments that are routinely used in the Kimpton and High School Bands. If your child would like to try a color instrument or has been asked to try a color instrument, please fill out the lower section of this form. Students are also offered the choice of continuing on their original instrument while also learning the color instrument. This allow them to continue to perform in full band on their original instrument while learning the second. The only additional cost associated with playing a color instrument will be the additional book and reeds (for woodwind instruments). In some occasions it may be necessary to rent the color instrument but we will make every attempt to find an instrument for your child to use.

Color Instruments Offered: (not to size)



If you need additional info please feel free to contact Mr. Monroe, Mr. Newman or Mrs. Sandman at 689-5220 or email us from the Stow-Munroe Falls Band Web Page: <http://stowband.org>

--- PLEASE RETURN ONLY IF YOU WISH TO TRY A COLOR INSTRUMENT (listed above) ---

NAME _____ Team 6 ____ .

Phone _____ Current Instrument _____

I am interested in trying the following color instrument _____

Parent's Sig. _____ email _____

If you did not attend Stow Schools last year, please list the school you attended _____