

**Piedmont 6th Grade Band
Recommended Instrument List**

Recommended Music Stores:

Edmond Music, 33rd & Broadway in Edmond

Larsen Music, NW 63rd & NW Expressway, OKC

THE FOLLOWING BRANDS ARE A LISTING OF MOST ACCEPTABLE BRANDS FOR OUR PROGRAM; *PLEASE CONTACT A DIRECTOR WITH QUESTIONS ABOUT BRANDS NOT LISTED*. Many times, buying a quality used instrument can be a better choice than buying a new instrument of questionable quality.

Flute:

- Yamaha, Jupiter, Eastman, Pearl

Clarinet

- Yamaha, Buffet, Jupiter, Leblanc
- Acceptable colors: black, wood finish (dark brown, not usually seen)
- VanDoren 5RV Mouthpiece, Rovner Ligature

Alto Sax

- Yamaha, Jupiter, Cannonball, Selmer
- If buying Jupiter, DO NOT accept the stock Jupiter mouthpiece!!!!
- Selmer C Star Mouthpiece, Rovner Ligature

Trumpet

- Yamaha, Jupiter, Getzen, King, Eastman, Blessing, Bach
- Prefer trumpet rather than cornet
- Finish should be lacquered brass or silver plate
- Bach 3C Mouthpiece (not 7C)

Trombone

- Bach, Getzen, Yamaha, King, Conn
- Finish should be lacquered brass or silver
- 6 ½ AL Mouthpiece (not 12C)

French Horn/Tuba

- Instrument Supplied by school, \$50 yearly fee, Mouthpiece must be supplied by student
 - o French Horn: Holton Farkas MDC Mouthpiece
 - o Tuba: Conn Helleburg Mouthpiece

Percussion

- All necessary materials will be furnished by band program; materials fee will be assessed.