

# Oak Harbor High School Band Supply List

## Grades 9 through 12

### For All Band Classes



#### **Required**

- Book: "Foundations for Superior Performance" by King and Williams for your instrument(s)
- Pencil
- Reed players: either a plastic reed or 4 working reeds that you rotate each week.
- Percussionists: have at least one pair of your own drumsticks.
- See next page for class/instrument specific required items.

#### **Concert Clothes:**

##### **Concert & Symphonic Band:**

All Black. Formal if possible.  
No logos, no white on shoes.

##### **Marching Uniform:**

All Black Shirt, no logo. Black socks & all-black marching shoes. Cozy pants or shorts

##### **Wind Ensemble:**

All Black Formal, white shirt. Dresses ok.  
Formal black footwear.  
Black Bow-tie required with collared shirts.

##### **Jazz Band:**

All Black Formal, black shirt. Dresses ok.  
Formal black footwear.  
Bow-tie required with collared shirts.

#### **Recommended**

- Earplugs
- Binder with page protectors (for outdoor performances)
- Alternate instrument for outdoor playing
  - If you get a Step-Up instrument, keep the old instrument for outdoor playing
- Music stand for home
- Instrument stand
- Tuner. Tuning apps are not recommended because of the districts no-personal device policy.
- Cleaning gear, greases and/or oils
- Brass Mutes (See class specific list on next page)
- See next page for class/instrument specific recommended items.
- Water Bottle

**Please contact me if you want specific item/brand recommendations or online links to purchase any of these items. Remember you often get what you pay for. A cheap item now may need to be replaced 2 or 3 times before a slightly more expensive brand.**

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#### **Flute**

- Cleaning Rod/Cloth

#### **Clarinet**

- Reed case with humidity control (keeps reeds stable)
- Reed supply (at least 4-5 good reeds at all times, proper strength)
- Mouthpiece cap and ligature (not just the stock one, something secure)
- Cork grease
- Swab/cleaning cloth

#### **Oboe/Bassoon**

- Multiple quality reeds (3-4 working at all times)
- Reed case with humidity control (keeps reeds stable)
- Cork grease
- Swab/cleaning cloth

#### **Saxophone (All)**

- Neck Straps (comfortable, adjustable, in good condition)
- Reed case with humidity control (keeps reeds stable)
- Reed supply (at least 4-5 good reeds at all times, proper strength)
- Mouthpiece cap and ligature (not just the stock one, something secure)
- Cork grease
- Swab/cleaning cloth

#### **Trumpet**

- Valve Oil
- Tuning Slide Grease
- Mutes
  - Jazz (Straight, Cup, Harmon, Plunger)
  - Concert/Symphonic/Wind Ensemble (Straight)

#### **French Horn**

- Rotor Oil
- Tuning Slide Grease

#### **Trombone**

- Slide Cream/Oil + Small water spray bottle
- Tuning Slide Grease
- Mutes
  - Jazz (Straight, Cup, Plunger)
  - Concert/Symphonic/Wind Ensemble (Straight)

#### **Euphonium/Tuba**

- Valve oil/rotor oil (depending on horn)
- Tuning Slide Grease

#### **Percussion**

- Practice Pad (for home practice)
- 1 set of personal snare sticks

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**Local Music Stores - for your equipment needs**

*Oak Harbor:* **Click Music**  
1330 SW Barlow St  
Between Dairy Queen & Napa Auto

*Burlington:* **Hugo Helmer Music**  
1025 S Goldenrod RD  
behind McDonalds

*Langley:* **Blue Sound Music**  
101 1st St

*Bellingham:* **Bellingham Wind Works**  
2405 Meridian St