

Lake Highlands JH Band

Percussion Materials and Supplies Objective Sheet

1. Black Notebook

A 1" or 1.5" hardbound notebook is the best, any bigger and the rings wear out. Make sure your name is clearly labeled on the spine. Even if you have one from last year, after a year of wear and tear it is probably best to go ahead and purchase a fresh, clean binder.

2. Seven Dividers

So much music and information is given to the students that a notebook with seven dividers is the best way to organize it all. Every piece of paper will be filed under a divider. The dividers should be labeled:

1. Information/Handouts
2. Warm Up
3. Scales
4. Rhythm and Theory
5. Current Music
6. Past Music
7. Objective Sheets/Practice Reports

3. Pencil and Pencil Pouch

We will use a pencil everyday and having a pencil pouch will keep you organized.

4. Wire Music Stand

To practice correctly at home.

5. Flip Folder with all music neatly inside.

6. Required Sticks and Mallets (on reverse side)

These mallets are the same mallets required at Lake Highlands High School. The investment will last a long time if students keep track of and take care of their sticks. LHJH Band no longer provides sticks and mallets for students to use.

7. Metronome and Tuner

The two main ingredients in music is pitch (the notes) and rhythm. Every band uses a metronome in class everyday. It is only fitting that students practice with one at home as well. The easiest way to tell whether a musician sounds good (or bad) is whether they are in tune (or not). Like the metronome, each band uses a tuner every day. It is only fitting that students practice with one at home. The recommended tuner/metronome is the Korg TM-40 Metro Tuner.



8. Name and Instrument on Band Binder.

Due Friday, September 3

Bag

- _____ Choose one of the following:
- Pro-Mark JSB6
 - Lone Star Jumbo Deluxe Stick Bag
 - Zildjian Super Drumstick Bag
 - Any equivalent sized bag from Vic Firth, LP, Ludwig or Yamaha

Snare Drum Sticks

- _____ Choose one of the following:
- Pro-Mark Light Orchestral
 - Vic Firth or Pro-Mark SD2

(You should retain your pair of SD1 sticks from 6th or 7th grade. The lighter sticks listed above will be used for concert band playing and all-district tryouts. These are NOT for drum set use.)

Snare Drum/Practice Stick

- _____ Innovative Percussion AS-MM (Mike McIntosh model)

(This stick will be used for drumline music, practicing and in lessons.)

Timpani Mallet

- _____ Choose one of the following:
- Pro-Mark JH3
 - Vic Firth T3

Xylophone/Bell Mallet

- _____ Innovative Percussion 902 (red plastic)

Yarn Mallets

- _____ Choose two of the same pair, you will need 4 identical mallets:
- LS by Balter: LS-223 Shadow Series, Medium (black with blue trim)
 - Innovative Percussion 1002
 - Pro-Mark DFP730
 - Innovative Percussion 240 or 300