

## **Beginner - Cedar Valley Middle School Band - Day 1**

**When do I bring my instrument to school? Thursday!**

### **Beginner Supply List – 2017-2018**

- 1. Instrument Specific Supplies (on the website)**
- 2. Tuner/Metronome (please label with your name)**
- 3. Contact Microphone/Pickup/Adapter**
- 4. BLACK with clear cover 2 inch, 3-ring binder (with name on it)**
- 5. 5 Dividers with labels – INFO – DAILY – SCALES – LESSONS - MUSIC**
- 6. Mechanical Pencils (minimum of 6) in a pencil pouch**
- 7. Name Tag on instrument case outside and inside/name on all sticks-mallets**
- 8. 1 Box of Facial Tissue (Optional)**

### **Beginner Band Dates**

**September 1, 2017 – Fall Fundraiser Kick-off**

**November 13, 2017 – Band Photo Day (wear your band shirt!)**

**November 27, 2017 – 3:35 PM to 4:40 PM; Beginning Band Rehearsal in Cafeteria (Mandatory)**

**November 28, 2017 – 6:45 PM to 8:00 PM; Fall Band Concert (Mandatory)**

**May 5, 2017 – All Day; Schlitterbahn Trip (optional)**

**May 17, 2017 – 3:35 PM to 4:40 PM Beginning Band Rehearsal in Cafeteria (Mandatory)**

**May 21, 2017 – 6:45 PM to 8:00 PM Spring Band Concert (Mandatory)**

### **Private Lesson Sign Up**

**You should be getting an email with the following link: [goo.gl/jFDpfd](http://goo.gl/jFDpfd)**

**This is how you will sign up for Private Lessons! Private lessons are highly recommended for you to become the AMAZING musician you want to be. You will meet one-on-one with a professional on your instrument. These lessons will happen once a week at the school. They can happen either before school, during class, during advisory or after school.**

**Scheduling is on a first come, first serve basis so don't delay in signing up if you want a "prime-time" slot. Also, lesson enrollment is year round. You can always sign up for private lessons.**

**There are scholarships available! We do our best to make sure every student can take private lessons.**



CeVMS Band  
Student/Parent Information Sheet

**DUE TO BAND DIRECTOR'S INBOX BY FRIDAY, AUGUST 25<sup>th</sup>.**

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Student Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Student City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Student Email Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Student Instrument Brand/Model \_\_\_\_\_  
Student Instrument Serial Number \_\_\_\_\_

Adult 1 Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Relation to Student \_\_\_\_\_  
Address if different \_\_\_\_\_  
Phones (Home) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Cell) \_\_\_\_\_  
Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Adult 2 Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Relation to Student \_\_\_\_\_  
Address if different \_\_\_\_\_  
Phones (Home) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Cell) \_\_\_\_\_  
Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

TX Driver's License # \_\_\_\_\_ (used only for checks missing #)

\*\* Parents – please understand that email communication is our most common way of updating you about events of the band. If you have an email address, **please** provide it. If you do not have access, you will need to routinely ask your child about band updates.

CeVMS Band  
Parent Support Group

The Cedar Valley Band program is one of the most active in RRISD. Because of this we'll commonly be emailing parents for help running events or seeking chaperones for events. In an effort to streamline our communication, we have a Parent Support Group that will only receive emails when we are in need of parent assistance. Please check the box below if you are interested in being part of the Parent Support Group.

Yes! I would like to be included in the Parent Support Group so that I can be included on emails where the band needs assistance.

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Trip Commitment List

Beginner Bands 2017-2018

In order to ensure that we reserve the correct number of spots/busses per trip, you need to list below the trips that you will be attending this year.

MONEY IS NOT due at this time. We are simply using these numbers to help plan.

FUNDRAISING will be available to counter the costs of these trips. 25% of your sales will be deposited into your trip account to use for these balances.

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

BAND: \_\_\_\_\_

Please check which trips you will attend this year:

(cost is subject to change based on number of students attending)

Schlitterbahn, New Braunfels, TX:

Saturday, May 5<sup>th</sup> – Projected Cost: 80 dollars

**This form is due by August 25, 2017.**

# CeVMS Band 1<sup>st</sup> Day Form

**Cedar Valley MS Handbook 2017 is on band website**

**cevmsband.org**

**Students and Parents acknowledge and accept the responsibilities of being in the band program when placing their initials and signature on this form.**

**PLEASE READ CAREFULLY!**

We acknowledge and accept the responsibilities as summarized below:  
(available for viewing at cevmsband.org)

**(Students and Parents, please initial each line)**

1. We understand the grading policy and the importance of maintaining passing grades in all classes. \_\_\_\_\_
2. We understand the expectations of the class and the importance of professionalism in the band program. \_\_\_\_\_
3. We have reviewed the schedule and requirements for events after school. \_\_\_\_\_
3. We are aware of the financial obligations for contests, competitions, and trips. \_\_\_\_\_
4. We agree to the attendance policy for required events; concerts and sectionals. \_\_\_\_\_
5. We understand that there will be daily practice assignments and that there is a responsibility to complete a weekly practice report - signed by a parent and turned in by the student each week. \_\_\_\_\_
6. We understand that if the student decides to quit the band program that there is no refund for money paid to the school and that any instrument rental must be returned by us to the school or music store. \_\_\_\_\_
8. We understand that the directors may photograph/video at performances, social events, and rehearsals for student enrichment purposes and to build pride in its organization. \_\_\_\_\_

We have received, reviewed, and understand the policies and guidelines in the Cedar Valley Middle School Band Handbook.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Name (please print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Name (please print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Signature