

Instrumental Music Begins for Grades 5 - 8

Parents & Students,

Instrumental Music Lessons will begin for Grades 5 - 8 starting Tuesday, September 28th, DAY1.

Students will have their lessons during one of their Instructional Center or Advisory Periods weekly, following our 6 DAY Schedule.

Here is a link to the [Instrumental Lesson Schedule for Grades 5 - 8](#)

Our Ensembles **CONCERT BAND & STRING ORCHESTRA** will begin for Grades 5-8 on Tuesday, October 5th at 8:00 am*

**(please check the links below for which day and time your Ensemble will meet).*

In following Social Distancing Guidelines and to ensure the safety of our students, I have divided the Concert Band into 2 groups: 7th & 8th Grade Band and 5th & 6th Grade Band.

In October these Bands will rehearse on separate days. Hopefully in November & December we will be able to combine our rehearsals as we prepare for a concert.

Students participating in our Ensembles will need to complete and return a [BTS Student Activity Participation Fee Form](#) (Before & After School Music) along with the amount indicated to Mr. Lefurge or the Main Office.

Here are links to our Ensembles:

[7th & 8th Grade Band](#) - Tuesdays beginning October 5th at 8:00 am

[STRING ORCHESTRA](#) - Wednesdays beginning October 6th at 8:00 am

[5th & 6th Grade Band](#) - Thursdays beginning October 7th at 8:00 am

[CONCERT BAND](#) *(not meeting as a large ensemble group yet)*

JAZZ BAND *(not meeting as an ensemble group yet)*

In order to maintain a safe environment for playing music instruments indoors we will be following these [Instrumental Music Covid-19 Safety Guidelines](#).

I am looking forward to having our Instrumental Music students playing their musical instruments together with their friends back inside our school.

Let's make it a great year filled with the sounds of music!

If you have any questions or concerns please contact me.

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