**Gator Band Fees and Purchases**

***Classroom items***: 6th grade -cheap paper towels or kleenex

 7th grade- woodwinds-small bags of jolly ranchers

 8th grade- small bandaids

***Anticipate a Band wide software/music fee of $10 for printed music and music software we will upload to their chromebooks***

***Band Book* :**

***Essential Elements Book 1***

for Flute, Bb Clarinet, Alto Saxophone, French Horn, Bb Trumpet, Trombone, Baritone BBC, Tuba, Electric Bass, Percussion. Book 1 for 6th grade and 1st semester 7th grade. Find it on Amazon unless it comes with your rental from Big Note or O’Malleys.

**8th grade will use Book 2.** This is an optional purchase- we have a class set of these to share**.**

**Music Stand:** for at home practice- **1/2/4 pack music stand** Amazon $10

**Instrument specific needs:**

**Flute-** Flute cleaning kit with swab(Amazon $15)

**Clarinet**- Reeds- Rico 2.5 box of 10 or 25(recommended)(Amazon) 8th grade get size 3!!!

 Libretto clarinet swab kit (Amazon $8)

**Alto Saxophone** Rico 2.5 box of 10 or 25(recommended)(Amazon) 8th grade get size 3!!!

**Oboe** reeds- soft Emerald 601s(Amazon) buy only 2 until we confirm what reeds to get with Samantha

**Trumpet, French horn, Baritone, Tuba**- Music Nomad valve oil and slide grease(Amazon $9)

**Trombone**-Monster trombone slide cream(Amazon $11)

**Percussion(all optional purchases)-**

 **Vic Firth American Classic 5AN drumsticks 1 pr. (Amazon $16)**

 **Cindeer 3 pc malletts(Amazon $21)**

 **Vic Firth Essentials stick bag(Amazon $21)**

**\*\*If you sign out a school instrument(French horn, baritone, tuba) the fee is $25/semester or $50 for year due September 3rd. Write all checks to Mossy Creek Middle School**