

SAXOPHONE



# HICKMAN COUNTY MIDDLE SCHOOL

## 6<sup>TH</sup> GRADE BAND SIGN UP - 2022-2023 SCHOOL YEAR

TRUMPET



During the 5<sup>th</sup> grade orientation at Hickman County Middle School, students will have the opportunity to see the HCMS Band and hear instruments used in band class. All students entering 6<sup>th</sup> grade at Hickman County Middle School can join the band class for the upcoming school year by completing and sending this form to the band director, Mr. Ed Medford. Visit [www.hickmanbandtn.org](http://www.hickmanbandtn.org) for special videos about beginning band, and learn other information about the program, and visit the Hickman County High School Band group page on Facebook.

### HOW MUCH DOES IT COST TO BE IN BAND? HOW MUCH TIME DOES IT TAKE?

There is no membership fee to be in the 6<sup>th</sup> grade beginning band. All band classes are held during the school day at Hickman County Middle School.

### HOW WILL THEY DECIDE WHAT INSTRUMENT TO PLAY?

The first few weeks of school the students learn to read music and are introduced to the different band instruments. Then a decision can be made about which instrument is right for each student. This decision is based upon interest, musical background, and which instrument is a natural fit for each student.

### HOW DO THEY GET AN INSTRUMENT?

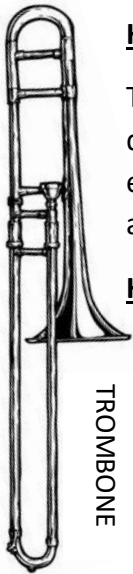
Once the instrument has been selected, we will need to consider a few different options:

- borrowing an instrument from a friend or relative (*always a good option*);
- using a school owned instrument (*we have several school instruments*);
- renting an instrument from a music store (*usually a newer instrument*);
- or purchasing an instrument (*for students that would like to own a new instrument*).

BARITONE



TROMBONE



If band sounds like a good option for your child, please email a scan/picture of this completed form to [ed.medford@hickmank12.org](mailto:ed.medford@hickmank12.org) to add them to the 2022-23 class roster, or mail to:

Ed Medford, HCHS Band  
1645 Bulldog Blvd.  
Centerville, TN 37033

FLUTE



Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Phone Number: ( \_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Parent email address: \_\_\_\_\_

What instrument would you like to play? Mark your first choice #1 and second choice #2:

Flute     Clarinet     Saxophone     Trumpet     Baritone     Trombone

CLARINET

