

# **Riverheads Middle School**

## **Recommended Instrument Supplies**

*The supplies listed below are basic recommendations.*

To purchase supplies:

- Call or email [Shen-Valley Band](#) at (540) 434-8546 & they will deliver to the school every week during the school year.

[Shen-Valley Band Order Form and Price Link](#)

- You may also contact [Music and Arts](#).

### **WOODWINDS**

#### **Reed Instruments:**

- ✓ Please keep at least 2 good working reeds at all times
  - o Beginners should start out on Rico or Vandoren size 2 reeds. I highly recommend Vandorens.
  - o Advanced players may gradually increase to 2.5, then 3.

- ✓ Cork grease

- ✓ Cleaning swab (pull through)

#### **Flutes:**

- ✓ Tuning/cleaning rod
- ✓ Silver polishing cloth

#### **Oboes:**

- ✓ 2 Fiber cane reeds (soft for beginners : medium for more advanced players)

### **BRASS**

#### **Trumpets, French Horns, Baritones, Tubas:**

- ✓ Al Cass Valve Oil
- ✓ Mouthpiece brush
- ✓ Instrument snake
- ✓ Tuning Slide Grease

#### **Trombones:**

- ✓ Slide oil or slide cream

### **PERCUSSION**

- ✓ Vic Firth Intermediate Education Pack (SD1, M3, M6 and T3 sticks included)

