



Tuba



Recommended brands and model number

DO NOT PURCHASE ONLINE OR USED INSTRUMENTS WITHOUT SPEAKING TO A BAND DIRECTOR FIRST!

Provide by Lamar Band

Required

- ❑ **Mouthpiece:** Conn Helleberg Medium Deep Cup Mouthpiece (127B) with mouthpiece pouch.
- ❑ **Accessories:** B.E.R.P., Al Cass valve oil, slide grease, polishing cloth, mouthpiece brush, cleaning snake, luggage tag for instrument case, and a folding music stand (some call this a “wire” stand).
- ❑ **Metronome/Tuner:** Korg TM-60 or anything comparable to it with mic attachment.
- ❑ **Book:** Standard of Excellence Book 1 for BBb Tuba
- ❑ **Classroom supplies:** Mechanical pencil, three-ring binder (1-inch, your favorite color), ruled notebook paper.

General Information

Tubas are rather expensive; the school will provide you with an instrument.

In fact, Lamar is able to provide each student with TWO tubas, one for school and one for home use. Please be sure to complete the AISD instrument check out form and return it to the Lamar Band. In addition, it is highly recommended that you obtain insurance to cover the school-owned instrument (see reverse). Parents of tuba players are strongly encouraged to obtain private lessons for their children. Please email us for more information!

Please address any concerns acquiring the necessary supplies to Luis Corpus at luis.corpus@austinisd.org or Chris Murphy at christopher.d.murphy@austinisd.org
For more information please visit:
www.scottieband.org

INSURANCE: Because instruments are costly to replace, we recommend purchasing insurance to all our students and parents. We strongly encourage insurance for school-owned instruments. Here's a suggestion:
<https://www.nationwide.com/musical-instrument-insurance.jsp>

Students will **not** be denied participation in the band program due to financial difficulties. Every student has the privilege to fully participate in our program, regardless of financial situations.

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