

Cockrill Middle School Band

COVID-19/Virtual Learning Additional Supplies

Due to COVID-19 health concerns, while also wanting to maintain a virtual environment in which all students can achieve at the best of their ability despite the strange circumstances. The materials listed below are being added to either 1) Provide a safer instructional environment for Face to Face students or 2) Set up best practice ideal virtual classroom environments.

All students

- **USB Microphone** *that meets the following criteria:*
 - 1) Cardioid *OR* Omni-directional is acceptable. Cardioid is preferred for instrumental playing, but tends to be a little more expensive.
 - 2) USB Connectivity (MISD Student Macbooks only have USB-C connectivity, if your mic does not have USB C you will need to also obtain a converter).
 - 3) Adjustable/able to be able to be set up a distance from device (long USB cord or wireless)

We are NOT recommending a specific model or brand microphone. See the links below for acceptable types found on Amazon at different price points. You are not restricted to these specific models as long as the 3 above criteria are met.

Option 1	Option 2	Option 3
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- **Your Foldable Music Stand from 6th Grade** (this was a required supply for all band students in 6th grade, make sure that you STILL have it!)

Brass Only Students (Trumpet, French Horn, Trombone, Euphonium, Tuba)

- A washable Hand Towel.

Students will use this to collect water from the instrument, and be responsible for washing it on a regular basis.