

BUCKEYE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL BANDS

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FAQ page

When does instruction start?	Thurs., Sept 8 with green day
What is the cost of instruction?	There is no charge for classes.
Who can start instrument classes?	Any 5 th –6 th grader may choose to enroll in an instrument class. Classes are provided for the entire school year in 5 th and 6 th grades.
When do classes meet?	Once every 6 school days during the intervention/ enrichment block during the school day. It is strongly recommended that band be considered a year-long commitment.
What about the instrument?	Parents are responsible for securing the instrument. There are several options for obtaining an instrument. Please review the material on the reverse side.
Where can I get an instrument?	Any music store who rents quality instruments is recommended. Our school system has been working with Pellegrino Music Center, and they visit our schools on a weekly basis. Other local companies include Royalton Music Center, Woodsy's and Rettig Music.
What is the approximate cost?	Fees vary depending upon the length of the rental and the type/brand of instrument. Most programs are essentially rent-to-own.
When should private lessons begin?	Private lessons are suggested as soon as it becomes clear that a student enjoys his/her instrument and wants to make as much progress as possible.
Where can I get more info?	www.buckeyeband.weebly.com
Who can I ask additional questions?	Feel free to call or email Mrs. Dena Timura, Director of Bands, grades 5-6 at 330-722-8257 ext. 4209 or dtimura@buckeyeschools.org