

# Trumpet/Cornet

## Lesson 1

### Reminders:

1. Sit up tall, feet flat on the floor, front edge of the chair.
2. Place mouthpiece in the center of your lips.
3. Don't roll lips in or push the mouthpiece against your lips!
4. Practice in front of a mirror, buzzing the mouthpiece only.  
Try to hold the tone for 4 steady counts. Cheeks in!
5. Breathe deeply through your mouth.
6. Practice 10-15 minutes, 2 times each day to start.
7. Hold trumpet parallel to the floor, thumb between first 2 valves, fingers curved, pinky on TOP of the finger ring.
8. Class is every RED day. Bring your instrument, binder and pencil with you each time.
9. Remember, never let other people play your instrument! It is not a toy; take good care of it. :-)

