Hempstead Middle and High School Band
Supply List

The following supplies are required for all band students:

All Instruments

- ☐ Binder or notebook
- ☐ Pencil with eraser
- ☐ Flip folder *(grades 7-12 only)*
- ☐ Lyre *(grades 7-12 only)*

Flutes

- ☐ Tuning rod *(should come with your instrument)*
- ☐ Cleaning cloth

Clarinets & Saxophones

- ☐ 4 playable reeds *(at all times)*
- ☐ Cork grease
- ☐ Reed guard *(holds 4)*
- ☐ Cleaning swab

Oboes & Bassoons

- ☐ Reed case
- ☐ Cork grease
- ☐ 2 playable reeds *(at all times*)
- ☐ Cleaning swab

All Brass Instruments

- ☐ Valve oil
- ☐ Slide O Mix™ *(trombone only)*
- ☐ Slide grease
- ☐ Mouthpiece *(trumpet, French horn, trombone, baritone, tuba)*

Percussion

- ☐ Snare drum sticks *(marching and concert)*
- ☐ Stick bag
- ☐ Keyboard mallets
- ☐ Drum key
- ☐ Percussion bell kit *(beginners only)*

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Beginner Band Book:

All woodwind and brass instruments

- ☐ Sound Innovations for Concert Band, Book 1 *(correct version for your instrument)*

Percussion

- ☐ A Fresh Approach for the Beginning Percussion Class, Book 1 by Mark Wessels

The school will provide French horns, baritones, and tubas. All other instruments and all supplies should be provided by the parents. Please talk with Mr. Walker if you need assistance with any of these items. All students that use school-owned instruments must have their own mouthpiece.

How to dress for performances:

All band students will perform all concerts in
Concert Black attire.
(Black formal pants/skirt and collared shirt or dress)

Please make sure that your child has these items before the first concert.

All clothing must be in dress code.