

# Forbes Middle School Orchestra (FMSO)

## Required Supply List 2019- 2020

REQUIRED SUPPLIES	Teacher Notes and Recommendations
<p>___ Instrument and Case</p> <p>Size: _____</p> <p>___ Bow</p> <p>___ Shoulder Rest (for Violin and Viola only)</p> <p>___ Rock Stop/Endpin Strap (for Cello and Bass only)</p>	<p>Students <b>MUST</b> have the correct size instrument for proper posture and health while playing in class. Please confirm with Ms. Mills ASAP if your student needs to be sized for an instrument.</p> <p><b>RENTING</b> an instrument is highly recommended as students will grow over the next year and will eventually need a different size.</p> <p><b>Recommended Shoulder Rests Violin/Viola Students:</b> KUN or EVEREST Shoulder Rest Shoulder Rests come in a variety of sizes and should be considered an investment. Not all shoulder rests are built for longevity. The brands recommended have had the best luck in staying on the instrument and not falling off unplanned.</p>
<p>___ Metronome/Tuner Combo with Clip Accessory <b>KORG TM-60BK Metronome/Tuner</b></p> <p><b>OR separate items:</b></p> <p>___ Tuner and Clip Accessory</p> <p>___ Metronome (mobile application is acceptable)</p>	<p>The Metronome can be purchased separately or it can be combined with the Tuner (example: <b>KORG TM-60BK Metronome/tuner with clip - older models are acceptable</b>). This can be found at most music stores and online from Amazon.</p> <p>Separate Tuner recommendations: <b>Korg Pitchclips</b> and <b>Snark Tuners</b> can be purchased at most music stores and come in a variety of colors. Tuners can be combined with a metronome, but <b>MUST have the attachment clip</b>. Mobile Applications for Tuners are NOT acceptable.</p>
<p>___ Rosin</p> <p>___ Cleaning Cloth</p> <p>___ Spare Strings</p> <p>___ Portable Wire Music Stand</p> <p>___ Nail Clippers</p> <p>___ Pencils and erasers</p> <p>___ Notebook paper</p>	<p>Supplies can be found at most music retail store or online at <a href="http://www.SharMusic.Com">www.SharMusic.Com</a></p> <p><b>Recommended Strings:</b> Dominant or D’Addario Brands.</p> <p>Music Stands come in a variety of colors and help support correct posture for a healthy musician. Music Stands are used during home practice and for some concerts.</p> <p><b>Finger Nails MUST be kept short for proper posture and playing positions. This is included in the participation grade.</b></p> <p><b><u>A minimum of 2 pencils</u></b> must be kept in each student’s binder at all times. Mechanical is ok. PENS ARE NOT ALLOWED.</p>
<p>Optional supplies for class use:</p> <p>___ Erasable Colored Pencils</p>	<p><b>**The Following Supplies are included in the cost of the 2019-2020 FMSO Activity Fee and provided by Ms. Mills: 1 inch Black Binder, 5-set Dividers, and Pencil Pouch</b></p>

Questions? Please contact Ms. Mills (512) 943-5000x7793 millsk1@georgetownisd.org

**Please have all supplies by Friday August 30, 2019.**

BEGINNER INSTRUMENTS are to remain in the orchestra room at school until Friday September 6, 2019. This is an exciting day, so please make arrangements to have your student’s instrument picked up on this day.