



East Cary Middle School Bands

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Dear 6th Grade Parents,

It is my pleasure to teach you son/daughter here at East Cary. I wanted to be sure that you are aware of our website and give you as much information to help guide you when purchasing/renting your students instrument.

Our Website is www.eastcaryband.com , here you will find answers to most of your questions and a list of needed supplies for band this year. This first week of school your son/daughter *does not* need to bring their instrument to school. We will be introducing students to instruments and helping them choose an instrument. Your son/daughter will *need to have an instrument by Monday, July 18 (tracks 1,2 &3) & Monday, August 8, (track 4).*

Some music vendors in the area include but not limited to;

BigNote Music- online instrument order at www.rentmyinstrument.com (put **ECMS** in School Code area)

Marsh Woodwinds (Raleigh, NC ; 919-839-1154 www.marshwoodwinds.com)

Music & Arts (Crossroads, Cary, NC) www.musicandarts.com

Music Go Round (Crossroads, Cary, NC 851-2252 www.musicgoround.com)

Quarter Note Music (Apex, NC 919-387-3939 www.quarternote-music.com)

Wake County Public School System owns a few instruments for those students that financially cannot afford an instrument. We also have the larger instruments such as tuba and baritones that you can loan rather than purchase. If you need assistance or have any questions please feel free to contact me at cbranam@wcpss.net or my office phone (919)466-4390. I look forward to working with your student and sharing the gift of music!

Sincerely,

Chris Branam