Elementary Instrumental Music Program
Oakland Unified School District

Dear Parents and Guardians:

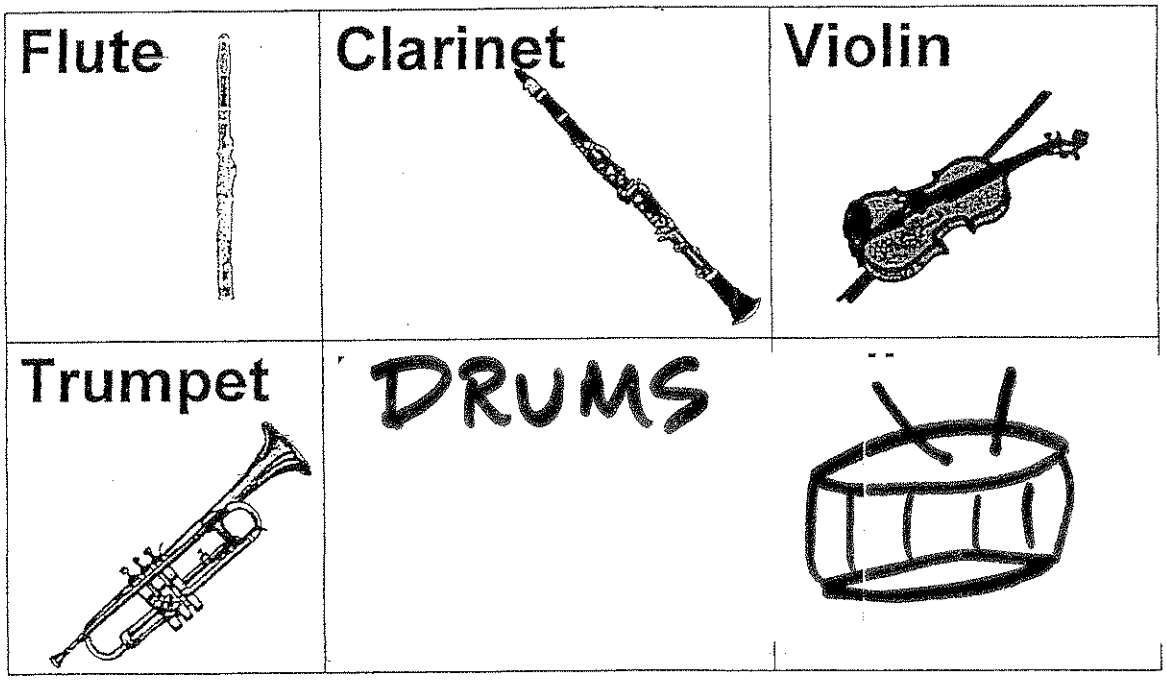
The Oakland Unified School District is offering instrumental music (with the exception of piano and guitar) to upper grade students as part of the regular curriculum at your child's school. Students will receive two 30 minute classes each week during regular school hours. Instruction is given without charge.

A demonstration of the program has been presented. Students may make three choices in order of interest from the boxes on this sheet. Placement in the various classes will depend on the availability of instruments as well as the number of students in a class.

Your child will have a better chance for his/her first choice if you can supply an instrument. You may wish to investigate rental plans offered by local music stores. However, some school-owned instruments are available.

Learning to successfully play an instrument is dependent upon effort and responsibility. Adequate home practice, punctuality to class, regular attendance and careful instrument maintenance are of prime importance.

If you wish for your child to take advantage of this opportunity, please discuss the instrument choices and indicate them in order of preference.



Please complete this form and return to your child's teacher

1st Choice: _____ 2nd Choice: _____ 3rd Choice: _____

My child already plays an instrument: ☐ Yes ☐ No; The instrument is: _____ Length of time played: _____

We have an instrument our child can use: ☐ Yes ☐ No We will rent an instrument from a Music Store: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Child's Name: _____ School: _____
(first) (last)

Grade: _____ Room No: _____ Classroom Teacher: _____

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Parent Signature Phone (home) Phone (work)