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128 INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC

In connection with its provision of a high quality educational program, the Board desires to provide all students with instruction in instrumental music.

Instrumental music shall mean that part of the curriculum in which students receive instruction in the playing of a musical instrument.

To this end, the Lower Merion School District shall provide instruction in instrumental music beginning in the fourth grade and ending in the eighth grade for students who desire to participate. At the high school level, instrumental music is offered as an elective course.

The school district shall provide select musical instruments that are not easily transported by school bus for in-school student use.

The Superintendent or a designee shall plan and administer a program of instruction in instrumental music beginning in the fourth grade for pupils who desire to participate.