

Instrument Supplies
2024-2025
Elementary String Instrumental Music at FRS
Supply and Vendor List 2024

Your decision to provide your child with a quality musical instrument is an investment in your child's future success. Music stores that specialize in the school music business offer many programs that will provide you and your child with a good quality new or used instrument at an affordable price. You will be provided with a list of **recommended instrument makes and models** during the recruitment process from area dealers who service musical instruments.

If you decide to purchase a used instrument (band only), please have it evaluated by a music repair technician before you finalize the purchase. Any area music store will be glad to provide this service. Be especially cautious when making a purchase over the internet!

Students who qualify for the free or reduced lunch program are eligible to have the annual/summer rental fee waived for district-owned instruments. Please contact your child's instrumental music teacher for availability of school owned instruments and contract requirements.

**Experience shows that having a quality instrument provides
the best chance for success and achievement.**

Instrument Repair Information

Should you find that your child's instrument is not working properly or seems to need a repair, please contact your child's teacher immediately. Some repairs can be addressed at school by the teacher. Many will need to be sent to a music repair technician. This cost may be covered by your instrument rental contract. **Costly damages can occur when repairs are attempted at home.**

Music Instruments and Supplies

These shops also do instrument repairs and provide a wide variety of instrument supplies, music books and sheet music.
STRING INSTRUMENTS:

| We Highly Recommend: | Other Stores: |
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| String Instrument Services Incorporated: 52 N. Main St., Fairport, NY 14450 377-9560 https://stringedinstrumentservices.com (VIOLINS, VIOLAS, CELLOS, BASSES) | Sullivan Violins: 3300 Monroe Ave. Rochester, NY 14618 325-7250 http://www.sullivanviolins.com/Rental-Program-Overview.html (VIOLINS, VIOLAS, CELLOS) |
| The String House: 1531 Monroe Avenue. Rochester, NY 14618 442-9272 https://www.thestringhouse.com/rentals.asp (VIOLINS, VIOLAS, CELLOS) | Music and Arts: Pittsford Plaza Shopping Center, 3349 Monroe Ave, Suite 8, 586-2766 www.MusicArts.com (VIOLINS, VIOLAS, CELLOS) |
| Atlas Music: 1764 Empire Blvd. Webster, NY 14580 671-2020 www.atlasmusic.net (VIOLINS, VIOLAS, CELLOS) | |

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Directions: Go to the category for your child’s instrument and mark an “X” for the supplies you will need. Then, take this list to the **music store of your choice from the recommended list on the front of this page.**

Do **NOT** return this form to your music teacher.

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| Violin/Viola | I need (X) |
| Lesson Book: Essential Elements Book 1 Instrument specific (Violin/Viola) | |
| 3 Ring Binder | |
| Rosin | |
| Shoulder Rest (Everest or Kun) | |
| ID Tag for Instrument | |
| Wire Music Stand for home practice | |
| ***Students need to be sized for an instrument at a string store prior to the 24-25 school year*** | |
| Cello/String Bass | I need (x) |
| Lesson Book: Essential Elements Book 1 Instrument Specific (Cello/Double Bass) | |
| 3 Ring Binder | |
| Rosin | |
| Endpin Strap (Xeros brand) | |
| ID Tag for Instrument | |
| Wire Music Stand for home practice | |
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