Join the Inspiration Mountain Band Program!

There is a chance we will be having another band rental night in the fall during Meet the Teacher Night for anyone who missed the spring rental night at Las Brisas Elementary (5805 W Alameda Rd, Glendale, AZ 85310). 5th and 6th grade students will enroll in band the first week of school. 7th/8th grade band students should already be enrolled, however, students can still join band anytime please reach out to Mrs. Bentley. I do not recommend purchasing online, or purchasing an instrument at a cheap price. The quality isn't as well made and many repair shops will not repair them when they break. Students are not pulled from core classes; 5th grade and 6th grade will miss 2-3 days of their specials a week. 7th/8th will have band class daily during one of their electives. Inspiration Mountain students have the opportunity to grow musically and personally through the study of a musical instrument this year in the 5th -8th grade band programs. A few of the many valuable benefits one can receive from participating in a band are community, teamwork, practical leadership, responsibility, mindful discipline, increased self-esteem, and above all, an enjoyment and lifelong appreciation of music. Any student willing to learn, try new things, and give consistent effort can and will succeed!

Go Inspiration Mountain Band! Count Me In!

Students may select the following instruments below for 5th-6th grade. (7th-8th graders can add oboe, bassoon, bass clarinet, and french horn).

Woodwinds **Brass**

Flute **Clarinet** **Various Saxophones** **Trumpet** **Trombone** **Baritone** **Tuba**









Percussion (own or rent a bell-kit – includes bells with a drum practice pad)



Highly recommend this too



Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions. I am happy to answer them! Email: ida.bentley@dvusd.org