



BEGINNING BAND

Student Name _____

Parent Name _____

Circle One: I plan to attend the rental meeting on Tuesday, August 31, 2010.

YES NO

Your child will be tested during the first few days of class to discover which instrument is best suited for them. After this is decided, you and your child will have the opportunity to attend the Saied Music Company rental meeting. This meeting will take place on Tuesday, August 31st in the band room from 5:00 until 7:00 pm. Saied Music Company will explain the rental procedure and will have the method books available for purchase as well.

If you choose not to rent and would like to purchase a new instrument, you can talk with Saied Music about that also. You are **not** required to purchase an instrument from them, but purchasing an instrument from a music company and **NOT pawn shops, large retail stores, or internet sights** is strongly encouraged. If you already have an instrument, bring it in and let me look at it to make sure that it is in good working order. Again, please purchase or rent an instrument from a music company rather than from a store that does not specialize in musical instruments.

I look forward to a great year of beginning band. Music has brought many years of excitement and joy in my life, and I hope it will do the same for your child.

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