

Classes are scheduled to begin the week of September 25th, 2017

Local Music Stores

Please DO NOT purchase instruments from eBay or other websites without consulting Mrs. Curry. If you see the words "teacher approved" in an online ad for an instrument it is very likely that the instrument is not of the quality needed for lessons at school.

Music and Arts Center

Chatham Station
9210 Baltimore National Pike, Ellicott City, MD 21042
(410) 461-1844

Cherrytree Center
11200 Scaggsville Road, Unit 111, Laurel, MD 20723
(240) 568-0600

Mike's Music

4872 Montgomery Road, Ellicott City, MD 21043
(410) 465-0700

Baltimore Brass Company (will do brass repairs on site)

99 Mellor Avenue, Catonsville, MD 21228
(410) 744-1723

Bill's Music

743 Frederick Road, Baltimore, MD 21228
(410) 788-8900

Chuck Levin's Washington Music Center

11151 Veirs Mill Road, Wheaton, MD 20902
(301) 946-8808

Steve Weiss Music

This is NOT a local store, but it is HIGHLY RECOMMENDED for percussion supplies. They ship extremely fast and carry a much better selection of percussion supplies than other stores.

Preferred instrument Brands

Flute – Yamaha, (preferred) Armstrong, Gemeinhardt

Clarinet – Yamaha (preferred), Vito, Selmer, Buffet, Jupiter

Alto Saxophone – Yamaha, Jupiter, Selmer

Trumpet – Yamaha, Selmer, Bach

Trombone – Bach, Conn, King

Euphonium – Yamaha, Besson, Bach

Percussion - Bell kit with practice pad and instrument case by Pearl of Ludwig (please do not purchase a snare drum for lessons or bring one to school) make sure the letter names are not written on the bell keys.

Please contact Mrs. Curry if you have any questions about instrument brands. The very inexpensive instruments found online can and will probably end up costing you far more in the long run for repairs. (Most music stores do not carry parts for those cheaper brands). Your child could be without an instrument when it breaks and will most likely fall behind in class, experiencing great frustration trying to play on an instrument of inferior quality.