



## Attention Parents of Upcoming BAND Students!!!

Band Instrument Placements will take place afterschool on May 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>, 2017. Students will need to come to the band room in the Fine Arts Building **with a parent/guardian** between 3:40-6:00pm on the assigned night (*this is a drop in*) or schedule an appointment to meet with Ms. Marshall at another time. When you arrive you will put your name on a list and we will see people **in order the order that they sign in.**

**\*Wednesday May 2<sup>nd</sup> 3:40-6:30pm \* Panthers, \*Cosmic Cats,  
\*Thursday May 4<sup>th</sup> 3:40-6:30pm \*Pumas, \*Tigers, \*Leopards**

*This class is designed to teach **everything** about playing an instrument including: how to read music, assemble the instrument, make the proper sounds, and instrument care and maintenance. Students **do not** need any prior music knowledge or experience. If your child is already playing an instrument, please tell us the night of the auditions. This is the only year in Auburn City Schools when students can learn a band instrument from the very beginning!*

Please email or call for more information:

334-887-7929

Email: [dfmarshall@auburnschools.org](mailto:dfmarshall@auburnschools.org)

**Instrument selections** are based on the student's ability to produce a sound on the instrument and on their choice. We try to help the students choose an instrument that they are physically best suited for and an instrument that will fit into the instrumentation of the group. This will ensure their success in band.

### **Band Instruments include:**

Flute

Oboe (a couple are available for rental through the school on a first come first serve basis)

Bassoon (a couple are available for rental through the school on a first come first serve basis)

Clarinet

Saxophone

French Horn (school owned, students may rent one through the school for a 1time fee of \$75)

Trumpet

Trombone

Baritone (school owned, students may rent one through the school for a 1 time fee of \$75)

Tuba (school owned, students may be rented one through the school and have one to leave at home due to the size)

Percussion (students must purchase/rent a Xylophone Kit)

**Most instruments must be purchased or rented through a music store.  
Ms. Marshall will have information about music stores that service  
DMS.**

*I am looking forward to meeting you and your child!*