

*Graves County Middle School Band*  
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## Instrument Maintenance

A musical instrument represents a substantial investment. In order to provide appropriate maintenance the following supplies are necessary. This information may also be found on the first page of the GCMS Band Guide.

Flutes – Cleaning rag or swab, tuning rod.

Oboes & Bassoons – 2 good reeds at all times (rotated daily they will last longer and save money), small container to soak reed, cleaning swab (used after each playing period), cork grease.

Clarinets & Saxophones – 4 good reeds at all times (rotated daily they will last longer and save money), metal or plastic reed clip that holds 4 reeds, cleaning swab (used after each playing period), mouthpiece cover, cork grease. Wooden clarinet only – bore oil and extra swab

Brass – Bach mouthpiece preferred, valve oil, slide grease, mouthpiece brush, cleaning snake, soft cleaning rag.

Percussion – Practice pad and drum sticks.

Mr. Light has the following supplies available for purchase.

Reed Guards - \$4.50  
Valve Oil - \$5.95  
Trombone Snakes - \$9.75  
Trumpet Snakes - \$9.25  
Slide Grease - \$2.95  
Woodwind Mouthpiece Brush - \$3.25  
Clarinet Swabs - \$8.95  
Bassoon Swab - \$10.95  
Alto Sax Swab - \$13.50  
Flute Pad Saver - \$12.50  
Flute Cleaning Rod - \$4.95  
Brass Mouthpiece Brush - \$3.25  
Valve Brush - \$3.25  
Cork Grease - \$2.25  
Clarinet Reeds - \$2.00 ea  
Saxophone Reeds - \$2.50 ea  
Bassoon Reeds - \$13.95 ea