

# BEGINNER BRASS BOOKLIST 2024 ONWARDS

Dear Parents,

The items listed below will be required for your child's brass lessons and home practice this year. They are available for purchase online or through traditional music shops such as:

- Crescendo Music (Myaree)
  - Mega Music (Myaree & Wangara)
  - Tempest Music (Manning)
  - Zenith Music (Claremont)
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**TRUMPET STUDENTS:** Trumpet care kit, music stand, lead pencil.

**TROMBONE STUDENTS:** Trombone care kit, music stand, lead pencil, small water spray bottle (only if care kit uses slide cream instead of slide oil).

**BARITONE HORN / EUPHONIUM STUDENTS:** Baritone horn care kit (this is used for the euphonium too), music stand, lead pencil.

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Examples of instrument care kits can be found on the General Information page of my website, or with an online search for "*Superslick Care Kit \_\_\_\_\_*" including your child's instrument name. All kits will include:

- Valve oil for the **trumpet** and **baritone/euphonium**.
- Slide lubricant of some kind for **trombone** (either slide oil or slide cream – both are fine!).
- A range of instrument-specific cleaning brushes.

Most kits also come with a polishing cloth and small container of grease for the tuning slides of the instruments. Students are instructed on the cleaning and lubrication of their instruments over the first month of lessons so please order your child's care kit as soon as possible.

Music stands can be of the cheaper folding variety (\$15-\$20) or heavier-duty and more expensive; either is fine for home use. There are also instrument stands available – referred to as 'trumpet stand' and 'trombone stand' if you browsing online – but these are not required as students are encouraged to dismantle and put away their instrument between practise sessions.

Please feel free to contact me at the email address or via my website below with any queries,

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