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Dear Parent/Carer,

# Brass Instrumental Lessons at Ladybridge CP

## Your child has expressed an interest in learning to play a brass instrument

- Brass instruments are incredibly fun to play and are suitable for children in Year 3 and above.
- With a bit of regular practice at home, students can make fast progress and will be playing simple tunes within a couple of weeks!
- Lessons take place once a week on Tuesdays during school time.
- Pupils can be signed up for a shared lesson or an individual lesson.
- Lessons last for 20 minutes and cost approximately £4.80 per week for shared lessons and £9.70 per week for individual lessons. Further pricing details can be found on our website <a href="https://www.boltonmusicservice.com">www.boltonmusicservice.com</a>.
- Some families may be eligible for financial assistance. Please contact the Music Service for more details.
- There are many different shapes and sizes of brass instruments available. A Bolton Music Service Brass teacher will be there to help your child decide which instrument is most suitable for them.

#### How to register for lessons

- Please go to <u>www.boltonmusicservice.com/parents-and-pupils</u> and click the on the 'Book Your Music Lessons Online' link.
- You can also contact the Music Service directly on 01204 333533.

Chief Executive Tony Oakman

### **Obtaining a brass Instrument**

Brass instruments can be bought from most musical instrument retailers but the easiest and most cost-effective way of acquiring one is through Bolton Music Service's hire scheme. Further information on this can also be found on the website or by ringing the Music Service office on 01204 333533.

Many schools have their own instruments that can be loaned out to pupils.

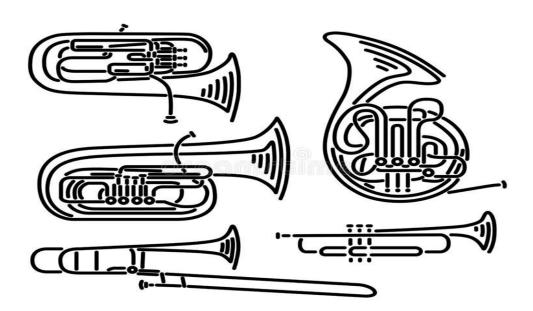
N.B. At Ladybridge CP there are several school instruments available which can be loaned to new pupils <u>free of charge</u>. These instruments will be allocated on a first come first served basis.

If you have any further questions regarding lessons or brass instrument availability, please leave me a message at the school office and I will contact you as soon as possible.

Yours Sincerely,

Simon Dunkley

(Bolton Music Service Brass teacher)



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