

# HMS ORCHESTRA

## SUPPLIES LIST 2020-2021

1. Properly working instrument
2. Electronic tuner w/clip (Snark, Intelli-touch, Korg, etc.) OR tuning app (Tonal Energy, gStrings, Chroma, etc.)
3. Method book for your instrument:
  - 6th Grade- *Essential Elements 2000 Bk. 1*
  - 7th Grade- *Essential Elements 2000 Bk. 2*
  - 8th Grade- *Essential Technique 2000 Bk. 3*
4. Scale book for your instrument: *Essentials for Strings*
5. #2 Pencils



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In addition, students must also have the following supplies for their specific instrument:

### VIOLIN

Rosin  
Soft cleaning cloth  
Shoulder rest (Professional style: Kun, Everest, etc.)

### VIOLA

Rosin  
Soft cleaning cloth  
Shoulder rest (Professional style: Kun, Everest, etc.)

### CELLO

Rosin  
Soft cleaning cloth  
Rubber rock stop

### BASS

Bass Rosin (Pops Brand in red container)  
Soft cleaning cloth  
Rubber rock stop

**NOTE:** Be sure to label all your belongings (rock stops, shoulder rests, rosin, tuner, etc.) with your name or initials. Fingernail polish, “White-out pens”, or metallic Sharpie pens may be used to mark on items such as rock stops, shoulder rests, and tuners. **Please do not label or mark directly on your instrument or bow, however**

### OPTIONAL SUPPLIES

1. Wire music stand (great for practicing at home)
2. Extra strings (in case of broken string emergencies)
3. Metronome: electronic or app (helps the student keep a steady beat when practicing)

