



# PERCUSSION



## STUDENT VOICE

In percussion, students have opportunities to choose instruments and actively contribute to selecting music. Each member plays a crucial role by providing input, suggesting improvements, and taking on leadership responsibilities. Proficiency growth allows students to lead rehearsals and gradually take on more leadership roles.



## HS CONNECT

Percussion is a course that starts in middle school but can continue all throughout high school. The musicianship skills that students learn now transfer and are a pre-requisite for high school music courses.



## PARTICIPATION EXPECTATIONS

- Students are expected to bring their supplies to class every day and actively engage with class.
- Students must work hard to learn a variety of percussion instruments.
- Students must attend and perform at all concerts and events.

## COURSE DESCRIPTION

Percussion is **Semester** class that can be taken twice to create a yearlong experience. The class starts by going over instruments and proper care of them. Students will learn multiple percussive instruments. They then begin working on music for a performance. The older students get, the more unique performance opportunities become available such as parades, field trips, and festivals.

## WHY CHOOSE PERCUSSION?

Percussion is a fun, unique class where students get to hit things with sticks to make music.

## Learn How To...

- Play multiple instruments.
- Read and understand Music.
- Work as a team to create something bigger than one person.
- Reach a higher level of accountability for self and equipment.

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