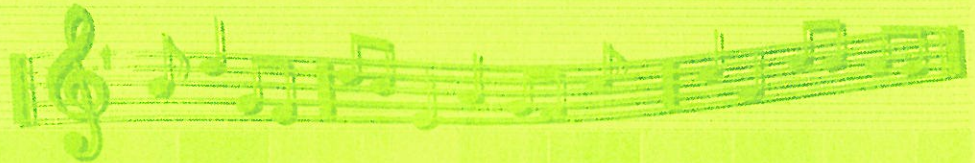


# Catholic School Band St. Ignatius

**Mondays at 2:45PM**



**St. Ignatius School Band starts Monday, September 14th, at 2:45PM in the art room.**

All you will need is an instrument and a desire to learn! No instrument is needed for the first class-- we will provide you with information on how and where you can obtain an instrument, which you may rent, borrow or buy.



All band students are also welcome to attend Saturday Music Conservatory!

**All levels are welcome. Come join us!**



## WHICH SCHOOL BAND INSTRUMENT DO YOU WANT TO PLAY?



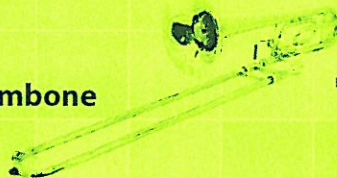
**drum**



**trumpet**



**trombone**



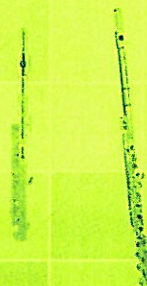
**clarinet**



**guitar\***



**piccolo**



**flute**

*Adapted from the Twelve Benefits of Music Education by Carolyn Phillips.*

## WHY LEARN TO PLAY MUSIC? The Benefits of Music Education

- Musical training physically develops the part of the brain known to be involved with processing language.
- Music education enhances a person's ability to visualize the world accurately and form mental images.
  - Students who study music are more successful on standardized tests such as the SAT.
  - Studying art and music teaches students empathy.
    - Students of music learn craftsmanship.
  - Students learn the value of sustained effort to achieve excellence and the concrete rewards of hard work.
  - Music study enhances teamwork skills and discipline.
- Music study focuses on "doing" as opposed to observing.
  - Music education provides children with a means of self-expression and teaches them a universal language.
- Music performance teaches young people to conquer fear and to take risks.

If you need help selecting an instrument, please contact:  
**Director Dan Funner** at [csbandfun@gmail.com](mailto:csbandfun@gmail.com) (916)201-6674

\*Guitar is offered only at our Saturday Conservatory. Students desiring guitar lessons must also select one of the other instruments to play during weekly band practices.