

ASA STRING DEPARTMENT SUPPLY LIST

Materials needed for 5th & 6th Grade Strings:

- **Instrument & bow** (student should be measured for correct size of instrument at the string instrument rental shop – we will also measure in the first week of school)
- Violins & Violas: shoulder rest (Kun, Wolf, or Poly-pad); Cellos & Basses: Endpin Anchor (Xeros Endpin strap -cellos only, rock-stop, or 'the Black Hole').
- The **arts binder** described in the school supply list.
- METHOD BOOK for Intro Class only: Essential Elements 2000, book 1
- 2-3 **Pencils** with eraser (NO PENS may touch the music!)
- A permanent **luggage tag** attached to the *outside* of your case with **your name** and phone number neatly written on the tag.
- A cake of **rosin** (not chipped or broken) [no 'Pops' for bassists]
- A small soft **cloth** for daily cleaning
- **Metronome**
- **Mute**
- All instruments except bass must have an **extra Set of Strings**: The strings should be kept with the instrument at all times.

Vendor List

During the school year you may need to visit any of the following businesses that deal in music and special needs for string players. Please keep this list handy for future reference.

NAME	location	PHONE	Rentals	Repairs	Supplies	Music
Allegro Music	Phoenix	602-795-4516	X	X	X	X
Andrew's Fine Violins	Mesa	480-363-0270	X	X	X	
Central Music	Phoenix	602-274-6307	X	X	X	X
Ifshin Violins	California*	800-522-1099	X	X	X	
Kimber poly-pad	kimbermichael@qwest.net				Shoulder rests	
Mike D'Avanzo	Ahwatukee	480-759-2549		Bow repairs		
Milano's	Mesa	480-834-6581	X	X	X	X
Robertson's	New Mexico*	800-284-6546	X	X		
SHAR	Michigan*	800-248-7427	X	X	X	X
Southwest Strings	Tucson*	800-528-3430	X	X	X	X
String Emporium (bass and cello only)	Chandler	480-940-1595	X	X	X	X
The Music Store	Mesa	480-831-9691	X	X	X	X
The String Shop of AZ	Tempe	480-829-8595	X	X	X	
Valley of The Sun Violins	Tempe	480-429-1161	X	X	X	
Vito Vissicaro	Tempe	480-967-5228		Bow repairs		

* Mail Order