

Alternate Assignment for West Mifflin Area High School Band
DUE WITHIN ONE WEEK OF MISSED PERFORMANCE

You will turn in a one-page, HAND written paper about your instrument.

Information required in the paper should include:

What material is it made of? What is the name of some early versions of your instrument?

Who are some famous people (living or dead) who play your instrument?

What is a famous song or piece of music that features your instrument?

Be sure to cite your sources on the back of your paper. Internet sources ARE acceptable.

Here's a rubric for your grade.

	Best	Acceptable	Fair
Facts	All the requested facts are included, and sources are cited. Additional facts are also included.	Some of the requested facts are included, and some sources are cited. No other additional facts are included.	One or two of the requested facts are included, with no sources cited. No other additional facts are included.
Writing	Facts are written in complete sentences, and paragraphs are well-constructed.	Facts are written with some sentence fragments. Paragraphs are not clear.	Facts are one- or two-word answers, with no clear paragraphs.
Presentation	Paper is laid out clearly with clear handwriting, and with few errors. Thoughts are clear and relevant to the requested information.	Paper is laid out clearly, but with some typographical errors..	Paper is laid out with little thought toward a clear presentation..