

**Private Lesson Program Contract
2016-2017
Urbandale Middle School Bands**

The Urbandale Middle School will again offer a private band lesson program for the 2016-2017 school year. Enrollment is optional. Private instruction occurs during the school day at the cost of \$15.00 per weekly twenty (20) minute lesson. In the past, several of our students have found this to be a convenient alternative to studying privately off-campus and outside of school time.

Private teachers will be Shanda Fordyce (clarinet and saxophone), Steve Day (trumpet), Dan Peichl (French horn), Fred Lange (low brass), and Dan Krumm (percussion). We would be glad to suggest private instructors for lessons outside of school time, if you are interested.

Parents should assist students in remembering the day of their lesson and encourage them to practice and to demonstrate their progress. Students' success on a musical instrument is determined by their practice.

Students enrolled for private lessons will be expected to report for lessons regularly. If a class conflict arises, students will be expected to communicate with the private teacher. If no effort is made by the student to inform the teacher of a conflict, the lesson fee will not be refunded. Fees for excused lesson absences will be credited to the next month.

Payment will be accepted by Urbandale Community Education. **Please do not send money at this time.** Invoices with on-line payment instructions will be emailed to you prior to each payment deadline.

Students who choose to participate in this private lesson program are excused from regular school lessons.

If you would like to continue with or join the private lesson program, please return the acknowledgment form to Mrs. Monson or Mrs. Schultz at the middle school by Wednesday, August 24th. A lesson schedule will be posted by August 28th. Lessons will begin the week of August 29th.

Please return this private lesson registration form to Mrs. Monson or Mrs. Schultz at the middle school by Wednesday, August 24th.

Yes! Sign me up! (This acknowledges that we have read this information and understand the policies and procedures of the private lesson program.)

Student Signature_____

Parent Signature_____ Date _____