

TO: **All GTCYS Percussionists**  
RE: Percussion Equipment Requirements

EVERY percussionist should be prepared to bring the following list of equipment to each rehearsal and concert. Please bring all of these items to your ensemble's first rehearsal of the semester. Percussion equipment for subsequent rehearsals will be determined by you and your conductor.

- Snare Drum with case and stand
- Snare Drum sticks
- Timpani mallets (1 pair, felt: general purpose)
- Bell/Xylophone mallets (1 pair: plastic)
- A-440 Tuning fork or pitch pipe (Philharmonic and Symphony players should use tuning fork)

Philharmonic and Symphony percussionists should also bring their own:

- Wire brushes
- Timpani mallets (at least 2 pairs, including general purpose and staccato)
- Yarn mallets (1 pair, general purpose)
- Triangle beaters

If you have questions about any of the items on this list, please ask your private teacher, school music director, or email the GTCYS office at [mail@gtcys.org](mailto:mail@gtcys.org).