

## **LISD District Owned Instrument Information**

For cello and bass players who do not want to transport their owned/rented instrument to and from school everyday, you may be allowed to use the LISD owned instruments that are stored in the orchestra classroom.

Attached is the LISD contract that goes over the annual fee and information. Please print the contract out and have your student sign it along with your signature and return to the orchestra hall. Please make your check out to Shadow Ridge MS. The check and contracts are due by Friday, September 8th.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me at [bunteb@lisd.net](mailto:bunteb@lisd.net), or call me during school hours at 469-713-5984.

Sincerely,

Benjamin Bunte

Orchestra Director

Shadow Ridge Middle School

## **LISD SCHOOL DISTRICT OWNED INSTRUMENT CONTRACT**

LISD provides school district owned instruments for low strings (cello/bass) for use in class. The current maintenance fees are \$100 per year for low strings. The rates for reduced lunch would be \$40 for instrumentalists, and free lunch will be \$20 for instrumentalists. If necessary these fees may be paid over time.

The maintenance fees are used to offset expenses for normal end-of-year maintenance. Examples for strings include re-stringing, bow maintenance, and re-gluing, and bridge adjustments. Most of these standard maintenance repairs usually run more than \$100 per instrument.

The expectation of the district is that these instruments are to be returned in the condition they were issued minus normal maintenance. Drops, breaks, dings, creases, cracks, must be repaired at the student's expense prior to check-in. Our directors will be responsible for instruction on preventative maintenance each year.

### **Student Endorsement**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, will use an instrument belonging to LISD.

I hereby agree to provide the very best care of the instrument while in my possession. I understand that I/my family are to assume financial responsibility of repairing or replacing the instrument (s) should it become damaged, lost, or stolen.

Please document any scratches, dents, or other flaws on the instrument or the instrument case on the back of this form.

**Student Signature**\_\_\_\_\_ **Date**\_\_\_\_\_

### **Parent Endorsement**

I acknowledge my responsibility in the care of the LISD-owned instrument issued to my child. I will assume responsibility for repairing the instrument (s) by an authorized LISD vendor for any damages.

**Parent Signature**\_\_\_\_\_ **Date**\_\_\_\_\_