

Home Practice Guide for 3/25 to 4/6

Follow these steps to more effective practice at home.

Remember to practice 10 (or more) minutes each day

1. Goal play all of Primus
2. Goal Play all of Old MacBingo
3. Prepare for rehearsal by reading through Fanfare Ode To Joy and work out some of the music on your own

Warm up with long tones using notes in your songs before you practice

Flutes/Bells/Basses- Bb, C, D, Eb, F, G

Trumpet/clarinets/Tenor Sax- C, D, E, F, G, A

Alto Sax - G, A, B, C, D, E

Percussion - 5 stroke rolls, 9 stroke rolls (smooth buzz)

Brass also work on pitch control with lip slurs



For PRIMUS---Chunk it! Learn it in small bites

Continue practice reading before playing.



For OLD MACBINGO

Read Note Names then practice each rehearsal section

Example- Beginning to 7 , 7 to 15 etc. Until you can play the entire song.

District Band Showcase is May 11th at Chino High School