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Trumpet

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Why take private trumpet lessons?

The comprehensive benefits of studying a musical instrument are widely documented. Improvement in the following areas are just a few of the many positive benefits gained through studying a musical instrument.

- **Academics**
- **Work ethic**
- **Discipline**
- **Social skills**
- **Public performance and speaking**
- **Overall confidence and self-esteem**

When students study their instrument with an experienced private instructor, they improve at an accelerated rate, making the entire experience much more fun. This accelerated improvement allows students to excel in band, giving them a sense confidence and achievement. The benefits of having your child working and socializing with children in band that share these same character traits are immeasurable. It's a "good crowd" of friends.

Why take lessons in the summer?

The summer is a great time to take lessons! Without the pressures of tests, homework, busier schedules, etc... students can improve over the break without infringing on their much-needed downtime. This is also a great time to catch up or forge ahead while others leave their instruments in the case over the summer, only to fall behind, which can have detrimental effects.

Why take trumpet lessons with Todd Butler?

In addition to being an accomplished professional trumpet player and Yamaha endorsed artist, I have been an educator for almost 25 years. In that time I have helped hundreds of students find fun and enjoyment in music while drastically improving their skills and learning about music of all different styles. I am proud to say that my students have excelled in their school bands, county and state bands, solo & ensemble festivals, college auditions and have earned many college scholarships and other accolades. Please don't just take my word for it, feel free to ask me for band director or student references. For more information about me, including audio samples, please visit my website at **www.ToddButler.NET**.

The investment in music lessons is a long term investment in your child's future because the benefits reach far beyond music and band. I am saying this not only as an educator, but as a father of two little girls.

Please contact me if you would like more information or to schedule a free trial lesson.

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