## What makes the Walther Grade School Band Program unique?

Your child will receive a weekly private 15-minute lesson or 25-minute small group lesson **at school during the school day.** No running around to lessons after school or on the weekends. We come to your child's school and work with his or her classroom teacher to find the best time for lessons during the school day.

Students receive instruction from professionally trained musicians with advanced degrees.

He or she will form friendships with children from 14 other area schools during rehearsals, 2 concerts per year, and a biennial festival.

Best of all, your child will be able to participate in **Monday Night Band** at Walther Academy: a fun, relaxed, energetic evening of playing as a group with new friends of all ages.

## How do you start?

- $\Rightarrow$  Sign your child up for our 4-week beginner class. There's no obligation to continue after the 4 weeks.
- ⇒ During that time, your child will try out every band instrument to find the best fit. Choices include flute, oboe, clarinet, saxophone, percussion, trumpet, trombone, French horn and baritone/tuba.
- ⇒ Your child will be loaned an instrument to play for the first year—FREE OF CHARGE (see details on reverse).
- $\Rightarrow$  Come to the Beginner Family Orientation (9/19 or 9/20) to meet the teachers and ask questions.

## Students in grades 4 through 8 are invited to JOIN THE BAND!



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