## Western Ave. 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Orchestra Rehearsals

5<sup>th</sup> grade orchestra rehearsals will be held on Monday mornings at 7:10 AM on the cafeteria side of the Gym. This is the same day of the week as the Western Ave. orchestra lessons.

In our orchestra rehearsals we will focus on how to play as an orchestra, learn challenging music, prepare for our concerts, and most importantly have fun!

## **STUDENT EXPECTATIONS**

- Attend every rehearsal. It is important to be on time! Arrive at 7:05 and enter through DOOR #7.
- Come to rehearsals prepared with your instrument and music.
- Work hard, both in rehearsals and at home, to learn your music for the concerts.

## PARENT EXPECTATIONS

- Plan for child drop off every Monday that there is school at 7:05 – DOOR #7.
- Schedule appointments (dentist, doctor, etc.) on nonrehearsal days. If your child needs to miss a rehearsal, please e-mail me to notify me of the absence.
- Continue to support your child at home by encouraging them to play at home.

## **IMPORTANT ORCHESTRA DATES**

First Orchestra Rehearsal: Monday, November 1st at 7:10 AM.



Last Orchestra Rehearsal: Monday, May 2nd at 7:10 AM.

**\*\*Concerts:** Performances are an integral part to the 5<sup>th</sup> grade orchestra curriculum. We are planning to have performances but as of right now we are not sure how these performances will look. More information: date, location, time, and possible concert format will be provided when we know more. As always, thank you for your continued patience!