NATHAN HARGROVE

MUSIC TEACHER

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SKILLS

- Music Theory
- Band Instruction
- General Music
- Sight-Reading
- Orff Instruments
- Finale
- Classroom Management
- Data Analysis
- Lesson Planning
- Organizational Skills

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Music Education

05/2020

Indiana University Bloomington

Bloomington, IN

Instrumental and General Music

CERTIFICATES

Indiana Practitioner License, Instrumental and General Music P-12

06/2020

Indiana Department of Education

SUMMARY

Music teacher with 6 years teaching band and general music in grades K to 8, directing 3 bands with 140 students. Strong in music theory, sight-reading and band instruction, organizes concerts and festivals, and uses data analysis of playing tests to plan rehearsals and keep every student moving forward.

EXPERIENCE

Music Teacher

08/2022 - Present

Fall Creek Middle School — Indianapolis, IN

Public middle school with 900 students in grades 6 to 8.

- Direct **3** concert bands of 140 students and teach 2 sections of general music each semester.
- Earned Gold ratings at the state band contest 3 years in a row with the 8th grade band.
- Teach music theory and sight-reading in every rehearsal, with weekly playing tests tracked in a gradebook.
- Grew band enrollment from 95 to 140 students in 3 years through 5th grade instrument demos and family nights.

Elementary Music Teacher

08/2020 - 06/2022

Eagle Valley Elementary School — Zionsville, IN

Public K-5 school with 650 students.

- Taught general music to 650 students in grades K to 5 using singing, movement and Orff instruments.
- Produced 4 grade-level concerts a year, writing arrangements in Finale for voices and classroom instruments.
- Started an after-school choir of 45 students that performed at 6 community events a year.
- Planned lessons around Indiana music standards and recorded skill checks for every class each quarter.