

**Dear Parents,**

**August 9, 2018**

**The fourth and fifth grade students will be learning how to play the recorder again this year. The recorder is a woodwind instrument which was developed in the Renaissance Era, and is played by blowing into a mouthpiece.**

**The study of the recorder teaches students how to read music notes, and gives them a chance to play an instrument which greatly helps prepare them for band. The school has a set of recorders for the students to use, but I strongly recommend that the students purchase their own for sanitary and practice reasons. When the students own their own recorder they are also able to practice at home.**

**The students will be able to purchase a recorder and a book from me. The recorder costs \$6.50, and the book costs \$6.50. There is also a CD that goes along with the book that may be purchased for an additional \$14.00. The CD is optional, but as I stated earlier, it is very important for the children to own their own recorder and book. Recorder/Book total = \$13.00, and Recorder/Book/CD total = \$27.00. If your son/daughter already owns a recorder, he/she may just purchase a book. If you choose to purchase a recorder, book, and/or CD, please complete the attached order form and return it to me by Friday, August 31<sup>st</sup>. Refunds are not accepted.**

**Thank You,  
Sincerely,**

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**Mrs. Kathe Isabelle – Music Teacher**

**Order Form**

**I have enclosed \$13.00 for one recorder and one book.**

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**Student's Name**  
**Grade** \_\_\_\_\_ **Homeroom Teacher** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Parent's Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

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**I have enclosed \$27.00 for one CD, one recorder, and one book.**

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**Student's Name**  
**Grade** \_\_\_\_\_ **Homeroom Teacher** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Parent's Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

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**I have enclosed \$6.50 for one recorder.**

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**Student's Name**  
**Grade** \_\_\_\_\_ **Homeroom Teacher** \_\_\_\_\_

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**I have enclosed \$6.50 for one recorder book.**

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**Student's Name**  
**Grade** \_\_\_\_\_ **Homeroom Teacher** \_\_\_\_\_

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**I have enclosed \$14.00 for one CD.**

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**Student's Name**  
**Grade** \_\_\_\_\_ **Homeroom Teacher** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Parent's Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

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**\*\*\*\*\*If payment is by check, Please address it to:  
Julington Creek Elementary School.\*\*\*\*\***