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Tackling the Cor Issues of Beginner Horn

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Cor Issue #1: Equipment

- Double Horns, Single Horns, and Other _____
- Mouthpieces _____
- Handy Beginning Band Accessories _____
- Inventory, ranking and numbering _____

Cor Issue #2: Selection

- Physical Attributes _____
- Musical Attributes _____
- Other Considerations _____
- Screening Processes _____
- Recruiting Processes _____

Cor Issue #3: Space

- Classroom Environment _____
- Physical Space _____
- Supplies (Binder, equipment) _____
- Method Books _____
- Applications & Technology _____

Cor Issue #4: Handling

- Opening the Case _____
- Carrying the Horn _____
- Hand Placement _____
- On or Off the Leg _____
- Posture _____
- Hand Position & Angle _____

Cor Issue #5: Embouchure

- Mouthpiece _____
- Audiation _____
- Air _____
- Sound Creation _____
- First Sounds _____
- Exercises _____

Cor Issue #6: Pacing & Progress

- Breakdown of Weekly/Yearly Goals _____
- Scales _____
- Repertoire for the Beginning Year _____
- Evaluations _____
- Organization _____
- Motivation _____

Cor Issue #7: Awareness

- Teacher Observation First - Training YOUR Ears/Eyes
- Student Observation Second - Training THEIR Ears/Eyes
 - Posture, Horn Angle, Hand Position, Mouthpiece Placement
 - Intonation _____
 - Intervals _____
 - Articulation _____
 - Style _____
 - Dynamics _____

Cor Issue #8: Range & Volume

- Beginning Band GOALS vs. Advanced Band GOALS
 - RANGE: _____
 - VOLUME: _____
 - SPEED of ARTICULATION: _____
 - STYLES: _____
 - VOLUME SHADES: _____

Cor Issue #9: Inspiration

- Live performances _____
- Recordings _____
- YouTube Videos/Channels _____
- Aides & High School Students _____
- YOU, or your staff, modeling _____
ANY instrument at a high level.

Cor Issue #10: Troubleshooting

- What to do when you just don't know what to do.
 - Resources!
 - Go back to the COR ISSUE using this guide.
 - Call a MENTOR - Don't have one? Email us!
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