

Trumpet Warm-Ups

You should know the names of all notes that can be played with any valve combination. Open up for the low notes so the pitch is not sharp. Use more air for the high notes.

You can play the notes one at a time, with a rest in between.

You can also play these as lip slurs.

Play the notes ascending and descending, just like we do with scales.

Band 2 and 3 trumpets will learn to get up to the high G during the semester.

no valves C - G - C - E - G

Valve 2 B - F[#] - B - D[#] - F[#] (D[#] is the same note as E_b)

Valve 1 B^b - F - B^b - D - F

Valves 1-2 A - E - A - C[#] - E

Valves 2-3 A^b - E^b - A^b - (C) - (E^b) (this is an alternate fingering for C and E_b)

Valves 1-3 G - D - (G) - (B) - (D) (this is an alternate fingering for G, B, and D)

Valves 1-2-3 F[#] - C[#] - (F[#]) - (A[#]) - (C[#])

(this is an alternate fingering for F[#] , A[#], and C[#])