

# THE STEP-UP DIFFERENCE

*For students that wish to take their playing to the next level, Step-Up instruments offer refined sound, intonation, feel, and flexibility. But more importantly, they're simply more fun to play!*

Pictured: Yamaha Professional Horn  
YHR-671

## **Better Sound**

Step-Up horns use specialized brass alloys that improve the tonal core of the instrument. Yellow Brass and Gold Brass are the most common mixes featured in intermediate and professional level horns.

## **Improved Projection**

Changes such as one-piece bell construction and thinner bell flares drastically increase the projection of Step-Up horns.

## **Hit the High Notes**

The additional thumb trigger activates a secondary set of tubing that transposes the instrument up to the key of Bb. Players will find it much more comfortable to play the high notes found in advancing literature.

## **Geyer or Kruspe? Your choice!**

Step-Up horns are available in two styles: Geyer and Kruspe. Geyer horns play with less resistance, while Kruspe horns are known for their dark tone. One isn't better than the other- it's all about the player's preference!

Our **Bravo! Rent-to-Own** program makes it easy to upgrade with low monthly payments and optional **Maintenance & Replacement** protection for peace of mind. Up to eighteen (18) months of equity may roll over from a current beginner rental. More financing options are also available; see store for details.

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