

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, Step-Ups are simply more fun to play!

Pictured: Yamaha
Euphonium YEP642II



Better Sound

Step-Up brass use specialized 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 euphoniums & tubas.

Less Resistance

The larger bore size of Step-Ups allows air to move more freely through the instrument. Players will appreciate how easily air transforms into sound.

More Notes & Easier Leaps

The additional 4th valves activates a secondary set of tubing that transposes the instrument down five half-steps. This has two benefits: it lowers the range of the instrument, and it also creates alternate fingerings. Previously difficult leaps will be played with ease!

Naturally in tune

Optional compensating valves account for slight pitch inaccuracies of the instrument, resulting in a horn that more easily plays in tune. That allows the player can focus on what's important- the music!

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 available; see store for details.

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