

ASSEMBLE YOUR CLARINET

- Wet Reed (in mouth or drinking fountain)
- Grease Corks
- Assemble barrel & mouthpiece
- Lower joint in RIGHT hand. Thumb between the big keys.
- Bell in LEFT hand. Push & twist onto lower joint.
- Upper joint in LEFT hand. Fingers pressing gently on rings. Thumb pointing to top
- Keys to the sky. Gently push & twist (slightly).
- Line up the posts on the upper & lower joint. KEEP FINGERS ON KEYS
- One hand on TOP of upper joint
- Barrel/mouthpiece in other hand. Push & twist.
- Line up back of mouthpiece (where reed goes) with the REGISTER KEY.
- Reed on mouthpiece (if not already there).