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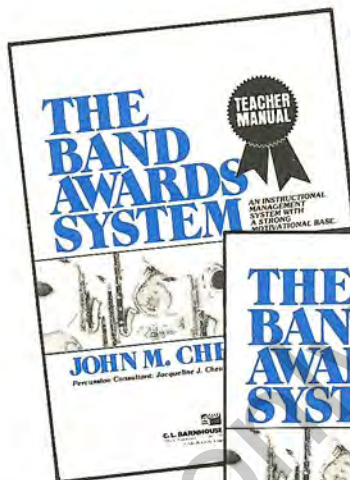
## ELEMENTARY - MIDDLE SCHOOL BAND INSTRUCTIONAL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

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# THE BAND AWARDS SYSTEM

**An Instructional Management System  
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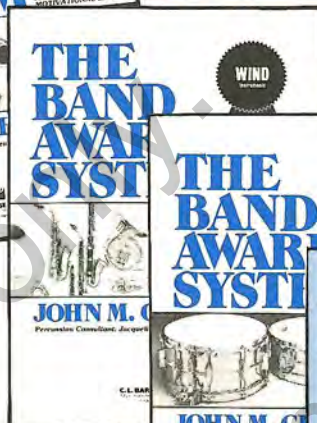


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The Band Awards System is an important new publication designed to help Elementary and Middle School band directors develop a comprehensive and systematic approach to music education for young musicians. Using exercises from your current band method book, the Band Awards System provides a framework upon which you can build a successful band program. Through written instruction not available in most method books and a motivational system geared towards keeping students interested and involved, the B.A.S. is the ideal way to gain consistency of skill presentation and sequencing from student to student and from year to year.

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The B.A.S. is designed so that you may choose musical exercises from any of the several excellent band method books on the market, provided they are relevant to the instructional objective of the lesson. This allows you to use the best of all available resources. The advantage of the B.A.S. is that you are able to organize these individual exercises into a well defined instructional management system!

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### THE BAND AWARDS SYSTEM TIME LINE

Student progress through the B.A.S. will be determined by a number of factors including; frequency of lessons, number of students, student motivation and in a large part by the performance standards that you enforce. This time line represents the expected rate of progress based on laboratory studies taking place in several school systems and makes the assumption that your beginners are in fifth grade.









## About the Author

John M. Cheary, Jr. resides in Monett, Missouri where he has been Director of Bands since 1972. During his tenure in Monett, the middle school concert bands and the high school marching, concert and jazz bands have all won numerous regional awards. Since 1980, the year the Band Awards System was first developed, the Monett Middle School Concert Band has received 24 first division ratings in state contests. In 1986 John Cheary was named "Educator of the Year" for outstanding contributions to education by the Southwest District of the Missouri State Teachers Association. He has guest conducted, adjudicated and taught seminars on the university level and has been a guest clinician extensively throughout the midwest.

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## WANT TO KNOW MORE?

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