



AUSTIN BALSER

Miss Shannon's Music Studio welcomes student teacher Austin Balsler. Austin has been working with young children under the guidance of Miss Shannon since June of 2021 and plans to continue this trend throughout his life.

- Currently, Austin is a student at Batesville High School. In the future Austin would like to attend college majoring in Instrumental Music Education and begin a career as a high school band director.
- Austin has received several gold ratings at festivals such as:ISMMA and BAAC Young Artist Showcase. He plans to continue competing at state and hopefully even national levels throughout the remainder of high school.
- At Miss Shannon's Studio, Austin has shadowed many group classes and has helped Miss Shannon with several musicals including Frozen, The Little Mermaid, Moana, and The Lion King.
- Austin is primarily a percussionist but has also had and is currently training in piano, flute, clarinet, and guitar.
- Austin has performed with several groups both in Batesville and across Southeast Indiana. Some of these groups include the Batesville High School Marching and Pep Band, The Batesville Jazz Band, The Batesville Concert Band, The Batesville Gyl Ensemble, The Batesville Steel Band, and Batesville Singers. Austin has also performed in musicals and plays such as Annie, The Sound of Music, and A Whole Latte Love.

In his free time Austin enjoys spending time with family and friends, being outside, and swimming. Austin loves working with and teaching kids!