

# Bring It!

Robert E. Foster, Jr.

1 Full Score	4 Bb Trumpet 1
10 Flute/Oboe	4 Bb Trumpet 1
4 Bb Clarinet 1	3 F Horn
4 Bb Clarinet 2	10 Trombone/Baritone B.C./Bassoon
2 Bb Bass Clarinet	2 Baritone T.C.
2 Eb Alto Saxophone 1	4 Tuba
2 Eb Alto Saxophone 2	1 Timpani
2 Bb Tenor Saxophone	3 Percussion 1: Snare Drum, Bass Drum
1 Eb Baritone Saxophone	3 Percussion 2: Crash Cymbals, Wood block, Hi-hat
	1 Bells

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## PROGRAM NOTES

This dynamic work was written to be a perfect programming choice for an exciting concert opener or as a spirited, energetic concert closer. The active, syncopated rhythms are carefully written to be thoroughly engaging for both musicians and audiences. The “attention-grabbing” nature gives it special appeal as a concert or festival selection.

## ABOUT THE COMPOSER

Robert E. Foster, Jr. was born in Gainesville, Florida in 1966. He received his Music Education degree from the University of Kansas while playing varsity football for the Jayhawk football team. He signed a free agent contract with the N.F.L.’s Atlanta Falcons in 1988. Following his football career, he went on to complete his MS degree in Music Education from the University of Illinois. He has also completed additional graduate work at the University of North Texas and the University of Kansas.

Mr. Foster has been a band director and has taught at the University of Maryland, Texas Christian University, Haskell Indian Nations University, and Tennessee Tech University. Additionally, he has taught for many years in the Eudora and DeSoto, Kansas middle schools and high schools. He is a highly successful composer and arranger of band music at all levels, including works for military bands and marching bands.

## Achievement Series Lesson Guide

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**National Standards** addressed through this publication:

- #2 Performing on instruments, alone and with others, a varied repertoire of music.
- #5 Reading and notating music.
- #6 Listening to and analyzing and describing music.
- #9 Understanding the music in relation to history and culture.

### LEARNING OBJECTIVES

*Bring It!* provides an excellent opportunity to introduce two minor keys, concert c minor and concert d minor.

### MUSIC THEORY

**KEY:** Concert c minor and concert d minor. Learn or review the scale which is printed at the top of each player's part.

The image shows two staves of musical notation. The top staff is labeled "Key of C minor" and the bottom staff is labeled "Key of D minor". Both staves are in common time (indicated by a '4'). The Concert C Minor Scale and Arpeggio is shown in the first measure, followed by a repeat sign. The Concert D Minor Scale and Arpeggio is shown in the second measure, also followed by a repeat sign. The notation uses quarter notes and eighth notes, with some notes having stems pointing up and others down. The Concert C Minor staff starts with a B-flat, and the Concert D Minor staff starts with a G.

### TIME SIGNATURE

**4** - The upper number indicates that there are 4 beats to a measure. The lower number indicates that a quarter note receives one beat.

### DYNAMIC MARKINGS

***mf***(mezzo forte) – moderately loud

***f***(forte) – loud

***ff***(fortissimo) – very loud

crescendo (————) – gradually get louder

***fp***(forte piano) – start the note loud, and instantly get soft

### STYLE INDICATORS

accent (>) – emphasis on a note or chord. Accented notes are separated.

tenuto ( - ) – play note for its full length

marcato ( ^ ) – a very short, heavy accent

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**Allegro ♩ = 132**

Flute / Oboe      f      a2

B♭ Clarinet 1 2      f

B♭ Bass Clarinet      f      a2

E♭ Alto Saxophone 1 2      f      a2

B♭ Tenor Saxophone      f

E♭ Baritone Saxophone      f      a2

B♭ Trumpet 1 2      f      a2

F Horn      f

Trombone / Baritone / Bassoon      f

Tuba      f

**Allegro ♩ = 132**  
G, A, C  
Timpani      f

Percussion 1  
Snare Drum, Bass Drum      f

Percussion 2  
Crash Cymbals, Woodblock, Hi-hat      f

Bells      f

2            3            4            5

Bring It!

11

Fl. /  
Ob.

Cl. 1  
Cl. 2

B. Cl.

A. Sx. 1

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

Tpt. 1

F Hn.

Tbn. /  
Bar. /  
Bsns.

Tba.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Bells

a2                  a2

*f*

a2

*f*

*mf*

*f*

*mf*

*mf*

*f*

*mf*

*f*

*mf*

*mf*

*mf*

*f*

*mf*

Woodblock

*mf*

*f*

*mf*

11

6                  7                  8                  9                  10                  11

2

Bring It!

Fl. / Ob.

Cl. 1      a2      (sim.)

B. Cl.

A. Sx. 1

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

Tpt. 1

F Hn.

Tbn. / Bar. / Bsns.

Tba.

Tim.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Bells

## Bring It!

19

Fl. / Ob.

Cl. 1  
Cl. 2

B. Cl.

A. Sx. 1

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

Tpt. 1

F Hn.

Tbn. /  
Bar. /  
Bssn.

Tba.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Bells

18      19 *mf*      20      21      22      23

Bring It!

27

Fl. / Ob.

Cl. 1  
Cl. 2

B. Cl.

A. Sx. 1

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

Tpt. 1

F Hn.

Tbn. /  
Bar. /  
Bssn.

Tba.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Bells

**27**

**f**

**Change to A and D**

**f**

**(C.C.)**

**W.B. to Hi-hat**

**Hi-hat**

**f**

Bring It!

Fl. / Ob.

Cl. 1  
Cl. 2 a2

B. Cl.

A. Sx. 1

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

Tpt. 1 a2

F Hn.

Tbn. / Bar. /  
Bsns.

Tba.

Tim.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2  $\infty$

Bells

## Bring It!

37

Fl. / Ob. - *mf*

Cl. 1 2 a2 (sim.)

B. Cl. *mp*

A. Sx. 1 a2

T. Sx. *mp* *mf*

B. Sx. *mp*

Tpt. 1 a2 (sim.)

F Hn. *mf*

Tbn. / Bar. / Bsns. *mp*

Tba. *mp*

Tim. 37

Perc. 1 *mf* (C.C.) *mf*

Hi-hat to W.B.

Perc. 2 (W.B.) *mf*

Bells

Bring It! **45**

Fl. / Ob.

Cl. 1  
Cl. 2

B. Cl.

A. Sx. 1

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

Tpt. 1

F Hn.

Tbn. /  
Bar. /  
Bssn.

Tba.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Bells

42      43      44      45      46      47

Bring It!

A musical score for orchestra and percussion. The score consists of ten staves, each with a different instrument. The instruments are: Flute/Oboe, Clarinet 1, Bassoon/Clarinet 2, Bassoon/C. Clarinet, Alto Saxophone 1, Tenor Saxophone, Bass Saxophone, Trumpet 1, French Horn, Trombone/Bass Trombone, Bassoon/Tenor Trombone, Tuba, Timpani, Percussion 1, Percussion 2, and Bells. The score is set in common time, with measures numbered 48 through 52 at the bottom. The title "Bring It!" is centered above the first measure. The music features various rhythmic patterns, including eighth-note chords and sixteenth-note figures, with dynamic markings like forte and piano.

Fl. /  
Ob.

Cl. 1  
Cl. 2

B. Cl.

A. Sx. 1

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

Tpt. 1

F Hn.

Tbn. /  
Bar. /  
Bssn.

Tba.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Bells

Bring It!

**53**

Fl. / Ob. *f* *fp* *f* *ff*

Cl. 1 2 *a2 f fp f a2 (sim.) ff*

B. Cl. *f ff*

A. Sx. 1 *f fp f ff*

T. Sx. *f ff*

B. Sx. *f f ff*

Tpt. 1 *f fp f ff*

F Hn. *f fp f ff*

Tbn. / Bar. / Bsns. *f ff*

Tba. *f ff*

**53** Dampen

Timp. *f*

Perc. 1 *f ff*

Perc. 2 *ff*

Bells *f ff* Dampen

53

54

55

56

57

58

10