# Recommended Materials for Trumpet Study

(Materials are listed in alphabetical order, and therefore no ranking is intended.)

## Embouchure

1. **Caruso, C.** *Musical Calisthenics for Brass*  
   Columbia  
2. **Gordon, C.** *Physical Approach to Elementary Brass Playing*  
   Fischer  
3. **Irons, E.D.** *Twenty-Seven Groups of Exercises*  
   Southern  
4. **Lin, Bai** *Lip Flexibilities*  
   Balquhidder  
5. **Little, L.** *Embouchure Builder*  
   Pro Art  
6. **Schlossberg, M.** *Daily Drills and Technical Studies*  
   Baron

## Technique

1. **Arban, J.B.** *Complete Conservatory Method*  
   Fischer  
2. **Clarke, H.L.** *Technical Studies for the Cornet*  
   Fischer  
3. **Bogard, R.** *Daily Warm-Ups and Skill Studies*  
   Gore  
4. **Haynie, J.J.** *How to Play High Notes and Low Notes*  
   Colin  
5. **Mase, R.** *Technical Studies (Compilation)*  
   NA  
6. **Nagel, R.** *Speed Studies*  
   Mentor

## Interpretation

1. **Arban, J.B.** *Complete Conservatory Method*  
   Fischer  
2. **Balasanian, S.A.** *18 Intermediate Studies for Trumpet*  
   MCA  
3. **Berdiev, V.** *17 Studies for Trumpet*  
   R. King  
4. **Bousquet, N.** *Thirty-Six Celebrated Studies for Cornet*  
   Fischer  
5. **Brandt, W.** *34 Studies for Trumpet*  
   International  
6. **Charlier, T.** *Trente-Six Études Transcendantes*  
   A. Leduc  
7. **Cichowicz, V.** *Trumpet Flow Studies (Compilation)*  
   NA  
8. **Concone / Korak** *The Complete Solfeggi*  
   Balquhidder  
9. **Gisondi, M.J.** *Bach for the Trumpet or Cornet*  
   McGinnis & Marx  
10. **Lacour, G.** *100 Dechiffrages Manuscripts Books 1 and 2*  
    Billaudot  
11. **Longinotti, P.** *12 Studies in Classical and Modern Style*  
    International  
12. **Nagel, R.** *Trumpet Studies in Contemporary Music*  
    Belwin  
13. **Small, J.L.** *27 Melodious and Rhythmical Exercises*  
    Fischer  
14. **Vannetlebosch, L.J.** *Vingt Études*  
    A. Leduc  
15. **Voisin, R.** *11 Studies*  
    International

## Transposition

1. **Bordogni, M.** *Vingt-Quatre Vocalises*  
   A. Leduc  
2. **Caffarelli, R.** *100 Melodic Studies*  
   A. Leduc  
3. **Getchell, R.W.** *Practical Studies Books 1 and 2*  
   Belwin  
4. **Sachse, E.** *100 Studies for Trumpet*  
   International
Orchestral

1. Bach, J.S.  
   Complete Trumpet Repertoire Vols. 1-3  
   Musica Rara

2. Bartold / Voisin  
   Orchestral Excerpts Vols. 1-10  
   International

3. Cherry, G.  
   Complete Trumpet Excerpt Collection  
   Cherry Classics

4. Handel, G.F.  
   Complete Trumpet Repertoire Vols. 1-4  
   Musica Rara

5. Pietsche, H.  
   Die Trompete  
   U.M.P.

6. Wagner, R.  
   Orchestral Excerpts Vols. 1-2  
   International

Pedagogy

1. Campos, F.  
   Trumpet Technique  
   Oxford

2. Farkas, P.  
   The Art of Brass Playing  
   Wind

3. Farkas, P.  
   The Art of Musicianship  
   M.P.

4. Hickman, D.  
   Trumpet Pedagogy  
   H.M.E.

5. Johnson, K.  
   The Art of Trumpet Playing  
   Gore

6. Stewart, M.D.  
   Arnold Jacobs: Legacy of a Master  
   Instrumentalist

Historical

1. Altenburg, J.E.  
   Trumpeter’s and Kettledrummer’s Art  
   Brass Press

2. Baines, A.  
   Brass Instruments  
   Dover

3. Bate, Philip  
   The Trumpet and Trombone  
   Norton

4. Carse, A  
   Musical Wind Instruments  
   Dover

5. Smithers, Don  
   The Music and History of the Trumpet before 1721  
   Dent

6. Tarr, E.H.  
   The Trumpet  
   Hall

Piccolo

1. Hickman, D  
   The Piccolo Trumpet  
   Tromba

2. Webster, G.  
   Method for Piccolo Trumpet  
   Brass Press

Rhythm

1. Gates, E.  
   Odd Meter Etudes  
   Sam Fox Music

2. Stevens, T.  
   Changing Meter Etudes  
   BIM Editions

3. Colin, C  
   Develop Sight-Reading  
   Colin

Assorted Topics

1. Lueba, C  
   A Study of Musical Intonation  
   Cherry Classics

2. Colley, S  
   Tuneup  
   Tuneup

3. Ramacharaka, Y  
   The Hindu-Yogi Science of Breath

Periodicals

1. Brass Bulletin (Archival – Out of Print)
2. The Instrumentalist
3. Journal of the International Trumpet Guild
Solo Repertoire

Freshman

Balay
Andante et Allegretto
International
Balay
Petite Piece Concertante
Southern
Gibbons
Suite
Galaxy
Gaubert
Cantabile et Scherzo
Hickman
Handel
Aria Con Variazioni
Belwin
Handel
Concerto
Sam Fox
Robbins
Mont St. Michel
Leduc
Ropartz
Andante et Allegro
Southern
Starer
Invocation
Leduc
Young
Contempora Suite
Belwin

Sophomore

Alexius
Sonatina
WIM
Arutunian
Aria et Scherzo
Leduc
Barat
Andante et Scherzo
Leduc
Bozza
Badinage
Leduc
Delmas
Choral et Variations
Billaudot
Donato
Prelude et Allegro
Leduc
Goedicke
Concert Etude
Hal Leonard
Latham
Suite
Presser
Mailman
Concertino
Belwin

Junior

Haydn
Concerto for Trumpet
Universal
Hubeau
Sonata for Trumpet and Piano
Durand
Hummel
Sonatine
Simrock
Ketting
Intrada
Donemus
Neruda
Concerto
BIM
Peeters
Sonata for Trumpet and Piano
Peters
Tull
Three Bagatelles
Boosey & Hawkes
Turrin
Three Episodes
Turrin Music
Turrin
Two Portraits
Turrin Music

Senior/Graduate

Antheil
Sonata for Trumpet and Piano
Weintraub
Arutunian
Concerto
International
Bloch
Proclamation
Broude
Bohme
Concerto
Hickman
Bozza
Caprice
Leduc
Bozza
Rustiques
Leduc
Brandt
Concertpiece 1 & 2
International
Enesco
Legende
International
Hindemith
Sonata for Trumpet and Piano
Schott
Honegger
Intrada
Salabert
Hummel
Concerto for Trumpet
R. King
Kennan
Sonata for Trumpet and Piano
Warner
Pakhmutova
Concerto
Dockshidzer
Peaslee
Nightsongs
Margun
Pilss
Sonata for Trumpet and Piano
Universal
Purcell
Sonata in D
International
Stevens
Sonata for Trumpet and Piano
Peters
Torelli
Concerto in D (Etienne Roger)
Musica Rara