



Piano rests in rare moment of solitude in the choral room.



Chip Golden takes advantage of the lessons offered at school, and of his free time to practice.

High School Boasts One of the Best Music Departments in State

On Fridays classes often study to the tune of rousing marches played by the band as they practice for the football game on the next day. Yet beside the band, the music department encompasses areas ranging from individual lessons to group performances, and a total of one-third of the student body participates in these various activities.

Under the guidance of Mr. Checchio and Mr. Brown, the department strives to place an emphasis on performance by the student while hoping that he will *gain educationally from the music itself*.

Both the band and orchestra are continually growing, indicating an active interest in music on the part of the students. Our school dance band, the Moonglowers, was the first of its kind in the entire country and still holds its place of popularity in the school.

The courses are an active part of the school since they present their annual performances and evening concerts. Music Theory and Music Appreciation are also available.

Outstanding jazz musician, Dave Ware, practices saxophone in music room.

