My son is 12 years old and we live in Prineville. He is talented and passionate about playing the clarinet and saxophone. He attended Powell Butte Charter school this fall and at the new semester, he started Baker Web Academy so that he could have more time to work on his music. Next week he will be performing The Star Wars Cantina Band by John Williams at our town follies. Unfortunately, the middle school will not allow him to play in the band or the jazz band although the band teacher would love to have him. The middle school only allows homeschool and the Christian school children to play there but not charter schooled kids. Government seems to have gotten in the way of its mission in the first place which would be to provide the service that we pay for. Please vote in favor of kids getting the education that their parents pay for! Thank you, Heidi Smith