

# Embouchure Formation

In order to form a basic French Horn embouchure, follow the steps outlined below. In case you are not able to complete these steps, **take a look at the troubleshooting section** at the end of this survival guide.

## Step 1.

**Say** the word *dim* and keep your lips closed but your teeth apart.

## Step 2.

With your *dim* embouchure, **hold out** your right hand about 10 centimeters in front of your lips while you **touch** the corners of your lips with your left thumb and index finger.

## Step 3.

Take a deep diaphragm breath, think of the word *pooh* and buzz toward your right hand. Remember to keep a steady and full buzz for the duration of your breath and do not puff your cheeks and do not pucker your lips!

