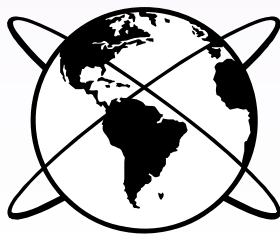


Creating A Tradition of Excellence

The Eustace bands are dedicated to the support of the students of Eustace and the school district.

We are here to give the best possible education in instrumental music available to our students and to give them an experience they won't forget. Come join us as we create excellent students and performances



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Meet the Directors **Todd Felty and Jim Taylor**

Todd Felty is going into his 12th year as Director of Bands for the Eustace Independent School District. The Eustace Bands have attained many high honors under his direction including 2 appearances at the UIL Area Marching Band competition and 1st Division ratings in Concert and Sight reading as well as high placement at invitational contests.

Prior to coming to Eustace Mr. Felty was the director in Cross Plains, Tx., where the band enjoyed many successes including twice qualifying for the Area UIL Marching contests, Mr Felty also taught in Winters, McCamey, Crosbyton and Ranger. A graduate of Texas Tech University with a Bachelors and Masters degree in Music Education, Mr Felty has 27 years of teaching experience in Texas schools and is a Member of the Association of Texas Small School Bands, Texas Bandmasters Association and Texas Music Educators.

Mr. Felty is married to Eustace Technology Liaison/ Teacher Twyla Felty and has 4 children Megan , Danielle, Jake and Josh. All of the family members are musical and participate in band.

Megan teaches Kindergarten in Lytle. Tx. Danielle is an Assoc. Control Engineer at Disney World in Florida, Jake and Josh attend Texas Tech.

Jim Taylor is going into his third year as Middle School/Assistant Band Director for the Eustace Independent School District. Prior to coming to Eustace Mr. Taylor was the director in Trinidad, where his high school band grew from seven members to thirty-five by the end of the year and every sixth grader joined band. Mr. Taylor also taught nineteen years in large private schools in the metroplex and his bands were selected as the TAPPS Honor Band seven times. He has taught in various public schools in north Texas and is beginning his 36th year of teaching. Mr. Taylor played in Army bands and spent a year in Viet Nam. He graduated from University of North Texas. He is married to First Baptist Academy Elementary Librarian Dianne Taylor and has three children and seven grand-children. He is a member of the Association of Texas Small School Bands, Texas Bandmasters Association and Texas Music Educators Association.

Band Classes

High School Band

Middle School Band

Beginning Brass and Percussion

Beginning Woodwinds

Band Objectives

1. To help develop a clear-thinking American Citizen
 - a. Learn proper sense of values
 - b. Develop good work habits
 - c. Assume responsibility
 - d. Develop proper competitive spirit
 - e. Develop a cooperative attitude
 - f. Develop winner's attitude= self-discipline, desire, dedication, and determination lues
2. To work for a continuous musical growth in the school and community
 - a. To develop an appreciation of good music
 - b. To encourage high standards of musical performance
 - c. To maintain a well-organized instrumental program
 - d. To encourage the student to continue his musical experiences after high school.
3. To contribute to the spirit and morale of the school through the pep rallies and football game performances.
4. To develop co-operation and team work to a degree not possible in academic subjects.
5. A superior band helps to develop character, good behavior, and provides students with an ideal "out" for their energies.
6. In addition to the rewards from discipline and hard work one also belongs to a band because it is fun.

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