

# Clovis Municipal



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**CLOVIS HIGH SCHOOL WIND SYMPHONY &  
GATTIS & YUCCA MIDDLE SCHOOL SYMPHONIC BANDS  
WIN AWARDS AT  
2018 NMAA STATE BAND CONTEST**

April 19 & 20, the Gattis & Yucca Middle School Symphonic Bands and Clovis High School Wind Symphony each took top awards at the 2018 New Mexico Activities Association State Concert Band Contest, in Albuquerque and Rio Rancho.

***Class 6A Division***

Clovis High School Wind Symphony ~ 2<sup>nd</sup> Place ~ Silver

***Middle School Division***

Gattis Middle School Symphonic Band ~ 1<sup>st</sup> Place ~ Gold  
Yucca Middle School Symphonic Band ~ 3<sup>rd</sup> Place ~ Bronze

The bands are under the direction of Stephanie Lenhart (Gattis Middle School), Daniel Perez (Yucca Middle School) and Bill Allred (Clovis High School).

We are very proud of our students and directors on this accomplishment!

The bands would like to thank Clovis Municipal Schools' Board of Education, administration, and the communities of Clovis and Cannon Air Force Base for their continued support of the music education program.

The mission of the Clovis Municipal Schools, an alliance highly committed to educational excellence, is to equip each student with the knowledge and skills needed for a productive life of creative thinking, continuous learning, and exemplary character through challenging and engaging learning experiences led by a dedicated, unified team in vital partnership with family, church, and community.