

Chris Cansler

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Bio & Education

Mr. Cansler is a native of Beebe, Arkansas, and a graduate of the University of Arkansas in Fayetteville. Mr. Cansler is in his sixteenth year as a Texas music educator, with previous teaching appointments served at Abilene High School, R. L. Turner High School, Denton High School, and Guyer High School. He currently serves as the Region 24 President of the Texas Music Educators Association. Mr. Cansler is also a member of the Texas Bandmasters Association, Texas Music Adjudicators Association, Phi Beta Mu, and Kappa Kappa Psi.

Course(s) Taught

His teaching responsibilities include directing the Wind Ensemble, Marching Band, Jazz Band, co-directing the Concert Band and assisting with the Symphonic Band. He also assists with the IHS cluster middle school band programs.

Tutorials

Monday: 8:20-8:50
Wednesday: 4:20-4:50

Activities/Hobbies

Mr. Cansler enjoys going to the movies and spending time with his wife of thirteen years and their two children Haley (11) and Eric (8). He is also an avid fan of the Dallas Cowboys, Dallas Mavericks, St. Louis Cardinals, and Arkansas Razorbacks!