



# Press Release

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## Galena Park ISD Recognized the GPHS Wind Ensemble at December Board Meeting

Houston, Texas: Galena Park ISD recognized the Galena Park High School Wind Ensemble, directed by KC Christensen, at the December 13th Board of Trustees meeting. The Wind Ensemble was selected as a Commended Winner in the Mark of Excellence National Wind Band Honors Project by the Foundation for Music Education.

The following Senior members of the ensemble received the recognition on behalf of the Galena Park High School Wind Ensemble: Michael Burchfield, Angel Chavez, Nathalie De La Cruz, Sabrina De Santiago, Fabian Garza, Oscar Giron, Ariel Gonzalez, Mason Harrison, Danielle Hinojosa, Marco Palomino, Jonathan Patino, Luis Perez, Aaron Quintero, Luis Rodriguez, Sarah Sanchez and Noah Sosa.

This competition is entered by recording and the highest-scoring ensembles are selected as National Winners or Commended Winners. This year, 236 of the finest musical ensembles in the nation entered the competition.

A certificate was presented to each student on behalf of the Board of Trustees and Dr. John Moore, Superintendent of Schools.



Pictured: Dr. John Moore, Superintendent of Schools, GPHS Wind Ensemble Seniors and Dr. Kimberly Martin, GPHS principal

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