

# NATIONAL SCHOOL BAND CHAMPIONSHIP



## WHAT IS IT?

This championship gives bands the opportunity to showcase their most crowd effective and engaging performances. NSBC will give bands the opportunity to travel to Walt Disney World® Resort to experience the magic and compete on the national stage. There will be two separate performance opportunities for bands at the ESPN Wide World of Sports Complex.

- **Pep Band Division** – at the National School Band Championship, bands compete with material performed on game days or at pep rallies.
- **Spirit Program Game Day Live Division** – the live format can be any combination of band and cheer, band and dance, or band, cheer, and dance.

## WHAT'S IN IT FOR THE BANDS?

- **National Recognition** – Your performers will have the opportunity to be recognized on the national level and these unique performance opportunities give your band the chance to shine in the spotlight.
- **Win with your traditions** – Bring your home turf traditions to the national stage to show off your school spirit
- **Any size band can win** – There is a minimum requirement of 5 performers from each group and maximum of 75 performers allowed on the mat. The opportunities are endless!
- **It's anyone's game** – With this championship being the first of its kind, it's an even playing field for all competitors.

## WHY COMPETE?

- **Bonding between students** – Bands, cheerleaders, and dancers have the opportunity to come together to create unforgettable memories and foster school spirit.
- **Administration will love this** – The impact of school spirit is clear. 92% of school principals agree that school spirit is tied to student achievement.
- **Community** – The Spirit Program Game Day Divisions emphasize the collaboration and cohesion of your school's spirit programs – band, cheer, and dance – that emphasized your school's traditions in an entertaining and crowd effective performance
- **You already have everything necessary** – These national performances come from traditions you are already doing with your entire school spirit ensembles.



Visit the NSBC event page here.



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