

# Gateway High School

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**Director:** James Hoeltje  
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**Asst. Director:** Sean McMasters

## Shine On

featuring the music of Olja Gjeillo, Michael Markowski, Eric Whitacre, and Chad Heiny.

**Wind Arranger:** Chad Heiny

**Percussion Arranger:** Chad Heiny

**Drill Design:** Chad heiny

### Staff:

Dave Verno, Woodwind Coordinator  
Ryan Moser, Brass Coordinator  
Robert Kosko, Brass/Visual Staff  
Jennie Jones, Woodwind/Visual Staff  
Emily McWilliams, Woodwind/Visual Staff  
Thomas Turnbull, Woodwind/Visual Staff  
Kelly McMasters, Percussion Staff  
Ryan Swaney, Percussion Staff  
Tom Obusek, Percussion Staff  
Robert Read, Colorguard Director  
Deb Kostley, Colorguard Director  
Rachel Borst, Colorguard Staff  
Emily Funyak, Colorguard Staff  
Connor Fitzgerald, Colorguard Staff/Choreographer

### Student Leaders:

Julia Schirm, Band President  
Lawrence Steave-Onyundo, Vice-President  
Heath Chase, Secretary/Treasurer  
Aishwarya Krishnamoorthy, Drum Major  
Rebecca Whealdon, Drum Major  
SECTION LEADERS  
Kaitlyn Novak, Flute  
Nichelle Kiger, Clarinet  
Joe Nikou, Saxophone  
Josh Burns, High Brass  
Nick Nikou, Brass  
Tristan Fike, Low Brass  
Josie D'Andries, Low Brass  
Julia Schirm, Battery  
Heath Chase, Battery  
Sara Beltz, Front Ensemble  
Jelena Dragovich, Front Ensemble  
Deborah Fry, Colorguard

**Booster President:** Donna Burns

**Email:** stb221@verizon.net

**# of Instrumentalists:** 52

**# of Auxiliary:** 13

**Travel Information**

**Recent Accolades:**

The Gateway Band is a two-time Bands of America Regional Class Champion and consistent Regional finalist competing in regionals across the eastern United States. They are also a 12 time PIMBA Class Champion since 2004. The Gateway Band has also performed in Disney World, at the National Memorial Day Parade in Washington D.C., the St. Patrick's Day Parade in Boston, MA, and at many other venues and events across the country.

# of buses: 3  
# of trucks: 1 Large Trailer