

Hello! My name is and I am a member of the Eldorado High School Golden Eagles Marching Band.

As a member of the marching band, I learn many important skills that I might not otherwise learn in any other class. I learn self-discipline, teamwork, responsibility, and physical fitness. I learn how to prioritize, how to communicate, and how to mentor others. Learning music, and especially music with movement, helps me be better at a variety of other subjects, like math and languages.

Involvement in any school activity, including marching band, encourages me to keep my grades up. If I am not making good grades, the New Mexico Activities Association does not let me participate in competition season.

There are many benefits to students who participate in marching band, but it is very expensive. The cost exceeds \$1,000 each year with uniforms, music, travel to and from events, and accommodations at competitions. Our school district is unable to defray this cost so we rely on the generous support of our community.

Would you please consider sponsoring me for some part of my participation in marching band? Any amount you can donate will help - \$5,\$10,\$25,\$50 or more.

Thank you very much for considering sponsorship of my participation in the Eldorado High School Golden Eagles Marching Band. I will do my best to make you a proud sponsor.

Sincerely,