

Dustin Harris is currently in his 20th year of teaching for Cuyahoga Falls City Schools. His primary duties include directing the Symphonic Band, Tiger Marching Band, Pep Band, and co-directing the Gold Concert Band. Mr. Harris also assists with the 6th, 7th, and 8th grade bands at both Bolich and Roberts Middle Schools and serves as the district's primary brass instructor.

Prior to his work at Cuyahoga Falls, Mr. Harris was Director of Bands at North Middle School in Grants Pass, Oregon for three years. He holds a Master of Music in Tuba Performance from Michigan State University, a Bachelor of Music in Tuba Performance from the University of Akron, and a Bachelor of Science in Education from Montana State University. Mr. Harris is a graduate of the Army Element School of Music in Norfolk, Virginia and served in the 5th Army Band in San Antonio, Texas.

In 2018 Mr. Harris' was honored to be named the Akron Symphony Orchestra's Music Educator of the Year. His professional memberships include the Ohio Music Education Association and the American School Band Directors Association.