# **PERFORMANCE: Visual (Winds)**



Judges MUST understand that Achievement is the end result of what the performers are given and how well they fulfill and communicate those responsibilities.

**WHAT + HOW = ACHIEVEMENT.** Therefore, the PERFORMANCE: Visual judge must understand that the evaluation of content of the program, in combination with performance level, is what determines the degree of achievement. It is impossible to properly evaluate one of these elements without considering the other.

#### **Ensemble Quality of Achievement**

SUB-CAPTION DESCRIPTION	TO WHAT DEGREE DID THE MUSICAL DESIGN DEMONSTRATE: POINT VALUE 100 SCORE:			
Ensemble Control	The ability to maintain accuracy, clarity and control of Form/Body/Equipment.			
Uniformity	The consistent manner of approach to the visual presentation.			
Recovery	The timely and appropriate adjustment to inconsistencies in the visual presentation.			
Effort Changes	Uniform achievement of variations in Space, Time, Weight and Flow.			
Adherence to Style/Role	The consistent application of a chosen style or role.			

BOX 5		BOX 4		BOX 3		BOX 2		BOX 1
100—91		90—76		75—61		60—46		45—1
SUPERIOR		<b>EXCELLENT</b>		GOOD		FAIR		POOR
96	91	83	76	68	61	54	46	
192	182	166	152	136	122	106	82	

### **Individual Training, Accuracy & Definition**

SUB-CAPTION DESCRIPTION	TO WHAT DEGREE DID THE PERFORMERS DEMONSTRATE:	POINT VALUE 100 SCORE:		
Individual Control	Achievement of Carriage, Posture and Body Control.			
Timing & Tempo Control	Achievement of Foot Timing, Direction Changes and Pulse Control.			
Intervals and Spacing	Accurate and consistent control of distance/ space between bodies.			
Stage Presence	Command of the stage, displaying Precision, Presence, Stamina and Recovery.			
Technique/Method	Training and ability to achieve visual responsibilities.			

### **California State Band Championships**

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The PEERFORMANCE: Visual Caption will evaluate all performance aspects of the visual portion of the presentation.

## **Ensemble Quality of Achievement**

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Clarity, accuracy and control of the ensemble's form/body/ equipment contributions demonstrates a high level of training and refinement with few lapses. When flaws do occur, recovery is quick and accurate. A wide range of fully achieved effort changes support the presentation.  Uniformity of technique and adherence to style reflects an advanced level of training throughout the ensemble.	The ensemble exhibits a generally strong level of clarity, accuracy and control of their form/ body/equipment responsibilities most of the time. Minor flaws are evident, and recovery occurs in most cases but some flaws remain uncorrected. Effort changes are evident and generally achieved. Uniformity of technique and adherence to style reflects an intermediate to advanced but sometimes inconsistent level of training.	The ensemble displays a moderate level of clarity, accuracy and control of form/body/equipment responsibilities that may vary significantly during the show. Recovery occurs inconsistently. Effort changes occur rarely or not at all. Uniformity of technique and adherence to style reflects an intermediate level of training.	Clarity, accuracy and control tends to be sporadic across the duration of the performance and within the ensemble. Flaws are more numerous and recovery tends to be slow and occurs only occasionally. Effort changes are absent. Uniformity of technique and adherence to style reflects a beginning to intermediate level of training.	The ensemble demonstrates no discernible training in the area of marching or movement technique.
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SUPERIOR	EXCELLENT	GOOD	FAIR	POOR
Individual body control is consistently exemplary of a high level of performance.  Time, space and form responsibilities are fulfilled with few or no visible flaws.  Stage presence shows poise and command of the performing space. Movement technique is fully refined and all individuals demonstrate a advanced level of training.	Individual body control reflects a significant investment of time in training although occasional lapses may occur. Time, space and form responsibilities are generally fulfilled with some visible flaws. Performers demonstrate a moderately high level of stage presence with occasional lapses in poise or command of the space.  Technique shows an intermediate to advanced level of training and application is occasionally inconsistent.	Individual body control shows a moderate level of investment in movement training with fairly frequent inconsistencies. Time, space and form capabilities reflect an intermediate of development. Stage presence tends to be inconsistent from member to member and through the show. Performer demonstration of technique shows an intermediate level of training and needs further refinement and greater consistency.	Individual body control is low, with a lack of definition prevailing. Time, space and form responsibilities contain many errors, Stage presence varies widely and needs further development. Demonstration of technique reflects a beginning to intermediate level of training and is very uneven and often undefined.	Achievement is uniformly poor in all areas within this sub caption.

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