

Mrs. Kelli Wallace has taught for nearly 20 years in the Mississippi schools, both public and private. A native of Batesville, MS., Mrs. Wallace began her career in the Tupelo public schools where she served as the director of the freshman band. She went on to serve as the special needs music teacher for Columbus High School and Lee Middle School, the Director of Bands at Heritage Academy, and the Assistant Director of Bands at Cleveland High School. Mrs. Wallace is currently the head director at Cleveland Central High School in Cleveland, MS.

Mrs. Wallace earned her Bachelor of Music Education degree with emphasis in percussion from Delta State University in 1999, where she performed with the Pride of the Delta marching band, Wind Ensemble, Percussion Ensemble, Delta Singers, and Delta Chorale. She is a member of the Mississippi Bandmaster's Association and is currently serving as Vice-President of the Mississippi Women's Band Director's Association. Mrs. Wallace is the Vice-President of the I-55 Band Director's Association and the past president of the Mississippi Association of Independent Schools Band Division.