## **Heber Springs Fine Arts Building**

## Heber Springs, AR





The Fine Arts Building contains a 1,000-seat audience chamber, a band room, a black box that seats 75 and three storm shelters. The black box is also designed to be used as a choir classroom and a green room. The project has many sustainable features including reflective and high emissivity roof materials, and increased "R" values in wall and roof assemblies. The majority of the building materials originated within 500 miles of the job site and are low maintenance. Efficient mechanical systems and LED lights were used in this assignment.

The building's exterior material palette draws from the existing brick blend and metal wall panels found throughout the campus. The

**New Construction/Addition** 

Performing arts center

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**KEY STATS** 

Grades Served: 9–12 Capacity: 478 students; 1,000 seat auditorium Size of Site: 2.3 acres

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Completion Date: November 2015

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the backdrop of a rain screen rising curtain. The reveals are also the roof scupper reliefs. The audience chamber and the band room are shielded from exterior noise using a combination of decibel blocking double walls, multiple layers of gypsum board and added insulation. The ceiling clouds are precisely calculated to prevent any dead zones within the space.



