

September 6, 2023

Dear Parents,

The ICS Chorus is an extracurricular activity open to all girls and boys in grades 5 through 8. The Chorus performs at both the Christmas and Spring Vocal Concerts. It is possible to be in both Chorus and Band.

Practices will take place this year on **Wednesday** mornings before school from **7:30 to 8:10** in the ICS gym. The gym door to the parking lot will open at **7:30 am** and **all members must use the parking lot gym entrance**. There will be a teachers in the cafeteria at 7:30 for siblings.

A \$20.00 fee is requested of each member to help cover our costs for the year.

In order to join the Chorus a student **must** be able to meet the time commitment on Wednesday mornings. Practices will start promptly at 7:30am. If a student is *often* late or missing from practice then he/she will not be able to participate in the upcoming concert. If a student is absent from school due to illness or is out of town these instances will not be counted.

Concert Attire is REQUIRED for all Chorus Members.

*****There are some changes to the concert attire this year in order to create a more unified, visual performance presentation.***** You may purchase the attire from the store of your choice. I have included some links below as a reference for the acceptable styles.

Boys: **Black dress pants**

White, long sleeved button front dress shirt

Tie (NO bow ties)

Black shoes & black socks

Girls: **Black full length skirt - to the floor or**

https://www.amazon.com/KOH-Pockets-Vintage-Slimming-Workwear/dp/B0799H4W7P/ref=sr_1_7?crid

***Black dress palazzo pants - to the floor**

https://www.amazon.com/dp/B0BJK68VY6?ref=cm_sw_r_apin_dp_QZA3B58RNBCB4S0JCZH1&th

***Black short sleeve, v-neck top**

https://www.amazon.com/Gildan-Womens-Cotton-V-Neck-T-Shirt/dp/B0767TLQPB/ref=sr_1_5?crid

Black shoes

All attire MUST be solid black

If your child would like to participate in the Chorus, please fill out the attached permission slip and return it along with the Chorus fee in an envelope to Mrs. Cullen, no later than the assigned screening day listed on the permission slip.

Thank you,

Mrs. Cecilia Cullen

2023 / 2024 Chorus Permission Slip

My child _____ Grade ____ / Room____
Student's Name

Has my permission to join the ICS Chorus. I have read the attached information and *we are able to make the time commitment required.*

Parent's Signature

Parent's email address
(please print clearly)

**Placement Screenings will take place next week starting at recess in the MUSIC ROOM. Please follow the schedule below:*

Tuesday	September 12	Grade 7 & 8	12:15
Wednesday	September 13	Grade 5	11:15
Thursday	September 14	Grade 6	11:15

First Practice for ALL Members at 7:30am in the GYM:

Wednesday September 20 ALL Members

*****Concert Dates: December 19, 2023 & May 21, 2024***

