

Choir Music Syllabus

6th – 8th Grade

Course Description:

Students will develop skills and knowledge that will enhance their understanding and enjoyment of music through singing and developing their voice.

Course Objectives:

Students will demonstrate skills in the following elements of music:

- Rhythm Skills and Drills
- Music Note Reading
- Proper Singing Technique
- Dynamics and Articulation
- Good Vocal Tone Quality
- Music Theory
- Sight Singing / Solfege
- Musical Style and History (Sacred and Secular)
- Composition

Learning Activities:

Students will meet these goals through rehearsal of music in class, classroom discussion, and any assignments given.

Assessment:

Assessment will be done through “Daily Effort Grades” based on the students’ participation/ behavior in class, any assignment given in class, and on the students’ concert performance.

- See “Grading Policy” handout

Required Concerts:

- Fall Concert: October 18, Tuesday, 7:00 p.m.
- Christmas Program: December 13, Tuesday, 7:00 p.m.
- Spring Concert: April 24, Tuesday, 7:00 p.m.