



Midway Choral Music

COVID-19 Mitigation Policies & Procedures

Entry/Exit

- If available, students will enter and exit through different doors to avoid congregating and/or crossing paths in close proximity.
- Students will sanitize hands upon entry/exit as prescribed by MISD.
- As much as possible, students will be released in small groups/sections to allow for safe distancing.

Mask/Face Coverings

- Students and teachers will wear masks or face coverings at all times. If available, teacher will utilize mask with mouth visibility for clear instruction.

Instructional Plan

- Class instruction will continue to include vocal technique, music theory, sightreading, and choral music repertoire.
- Singing will be limited to approximately 30 minutes of class instruction time. Teachers will also utilize non-singing techniques such as humming, audiation, hand signs, and listening activities.
- Students will use ipads and provided choir folders for daily class instruction.
- In addition to musical concepts, teachers will incorporate a significant amount of social and emotional learning activities. This will help in building relationships that are important part of belonging to a choir.

Daily Routine Mitigation

- Student seats will be distanced at least 6 feet apart as space and class size allow. Students must stay in their designated seat/area during instruction time.
- Students will bring their choir folder and ipad to class each day. Backpacks and water bottles will be kept at their seat.
- Students will not be allowed to share supplies such as music and pencils.
- Detailed attention will be given to student classroom expectations such as restroom procedures, sharpening of pencils, Kleenex tissue, etc. in order to follow appropriate CDC and MISD guidelines.
- Instruction will end 3-5 minutes early for sanitizing chairs and staggered release at the end of each class period.