

All-Region Choir Auditions

January 20th, 2024 @ Belton High School

Region Choir Auditions are coming up soon! This is a wonderful opportunity for our MMS singers to compete against singers from all other Middle School Choir programs in our Region! There are typically 700-800 singers at this audition each year. It's much like being selected for an all-star team.

Historically, Midway Middle School Choir students earn a large percentage of the seats in this honor choir. It is rewarding for our select choir students to grow musically by participating in this musical opportunity. It requires independent study at home and lots of dedication. The voice and accompaniment recordings they use to learn the music are on Schoology. You should be hearing their Region Music A LOT throughout the fall and the holidays!

Per the Panther Chorale Contract, Region Auditions are a required part of our class. All students in Panther Chorale are required to learn the music and participate in Region Choir Auditions. The audition contract must be turned in by <u>Tuesday, December 19th</u>.

Audition guidelines:

- Auditions are January 20th, 2024 at Belton HS. (All students travel on a school bus)
- Students are required to learn the 4 pieces of pre-selected music for the audition.
- Music does NOT have to be memorized for the audition.
- Students **must be prepared on all music** in order to attend the audition.
- Of the 4 pieces prepared, **your student will only be auditioned on a cut from 2 pieces**, which will be determined at the audition site.
- If they are selected for the All-Region Choir they are REQUIRED to attend the Clinic & Concert which will be held **February 3rd**, **2024 at the Bryan ISD Performing Arts Center (students will travel by bus)**. The students are involved in an all-day rehearsal clinic and later present a formal concert at the end of the day.
- Family/friends are welcome to attend the free Concert.

We will need 4-5 Midway parents to chaperone auditions all day!! If you are interested in helping,

please email!

Sincerely – Kayla Torp & Hyeyoung Ku MMS Choir



2024 All-Region Choir Contract

Please acknowledge and sign below.

I understand and agree to the following conditions to participate in Region Choir Auditions:

- 1. I will practice my music at home for 15-20 minutes a day, 5 times a week.
- 2. I will attend sectional rehearsals as my schedule permits.
- 3. I will perform my "pass-offs" on the listed dates and I must be prepared on all of my music in order to qualify for auditions.
- 4. I understand that if I make a spot in the Region Choir, I am required to attend the Clinic and Concert on February 3rd in Bryan. Students are not permitted to audition if they have a conflict on the date of the Clinic/Concert.
- 5. My child has permission to ride by bus to and from the audition, and the Clinic/Concert (if selected for the choir).

Student Name (printed) _	
Student Signature	

Parent/Guardian Signature

Bring this signed form to the school by December 19th