



# Northview High School

Choral Activities

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## NORTHVIEW CHORUS

This class is designed to strengthen your overall musical skills through a non-competition, non-performance choir. We will focus on learning solid solo group-singing vocal technique, reading music, singing expressively, and music appreciation. Some students in this class may choose to audition for Symphonic Choir, A Cappella Choir, or Harmony Road Show at the end of the year. However, this is not an expectation for the class.

### YOU WILL BE GRADED ON THE FOLLOWING:

- Weekly Participation
- Vocal Improvement
- Homework
- In-class Written Assignments
- Notebook checks (one per quarter)
- Quizzes/Tests
- Semester Exams (each is a combination of a written exam and a recital)

### IN CLASS YOU ARE EXPECTED TO:

1. Use the restroom before or after class. Once the bell rings, you are in your spot, ready to sing.
2. Inappropriate behavior will not be tolerated at any time. Talking in class without permission, not participating in rehearsal, or disrupting the rehearsal in any way will be considered an offense. This will adversely affect your participation grade.
3. You must have all materials necessary at every class. You will be issued a red folder and music for class. These are school-owned materials and must be kept in good condition. You are responsible for supplying the following: Pencils (not pens, markers, crayons, colored pencils, etc.)  
A notebook with paper for taking notes and pockets for handouts
4. Absolutely no food, drink, or chewing gum is allowed in the choir room. Bottled water in a clear container is permitted.
5. Any time that there is an event outside of class and school transportation is provided, by state law all students must use this transportation unless travel arrangements are made with Ms. Kingman ahead of time by the parent in writing. The parent must then transport the student personally. No student will be allowed to drive to and/or from a performance when school transportation is provided. Failure to comply may result in immediate removal from choir.
6. Hats are not to be worn in the choir room.
7. Treat all students, staff members, and property with respect at all times. This includes university observers, student teachers, chaperones, and EACH OTHER. Support one another.
8. All offenses listed above are accumulative, according to the school handbook.

Because this is not a performance class, you have no outside performance or fundraising obligations. Students are still welcome to attend performances.

I understand what is expected of me/my child in Northview Chorus.

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Student Signature

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Date

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Parent Signature

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