

Signature Vocal Ensemble 2021-22

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Rehearsals:

⚡ Each student will receive a calendar of rehearsals. They are expected to attend and be **ON TIME!**

⚡ Rehearsals will be held as follows, unless otherwise noted:

★ Tuesday 7:45-8:40 a.m.

★ Thursday 7:45-8:40 a.m.

Rehearsals are subject to change – you will be notified ASAP of any changes.

⚡ If a student has a school sports practice (basketball, football, volleyball etc.) or meeting/activity (TORCH, Student Council, WEB, etc.) they are expected to split the practice/rehearsal time between the two.

EXAMPLE: 7:00 am basketball practice, report to rehearsal at 8:00 a.m. – you spend 45 minutes at each activity.

⚡ A game or a performance **ALWAYS** takes precedence over a rehearsal or a practice.

⚡ If you are going to miss a rehearsal or performance due to illness, vacation, dentist appointment, conflict of schedule, etc. **I MUST RECEIVE AN E-MAIL, TEXT OR A PHONE CALL FROM A PARENT!**

⚡ You will be allowed **2 unexcused absences** (meaning, no reason for not attending rehearsal). At that point your eligibility for participation in the vocal ensemble will be re-evaluated. You will have a probationary period, if you miss another rehearsal without excuse, you will no longer be able participate in the vocal ensemble.

⚡ **Excessive tardiness or absences** to/from rehearsals/performances, you will be on a 2 week probation period, if anymore absences are accrued, termination from the ensemble will be immediate. This year each student's scenario will be addressed due to potential long term absence due to COVID.

⚡ **Behavior expectation:** As a member of this select ensemble and an ambassador of Memorial Middle School, you are expected to behave in an appropriate manner at all times during rehearsals and performances. A failure to do so may jeopardize your ability to continue with the vocal ensemble.

Performances:

⚡ I will notify the students and parents ASAP, concerning upcoming performances.

⚡ If you have an organization or business that is looking for entertainment, please give me a call, and I will try to arrange it.

⚡ Performances are typically in the evening or during the school day, on occasion they may fall on the weekend.

⚡ **If your student is going to miss a performance, for any reason, again, I need an e-mail, REMIND text or a phone call from a parent (please remember to include your name when texting)**

⚡ You (parents) are responsible for transport to evening performances.

Chaperones:

⚡ If you would be willing to chaperone/aide at a performance, tour or event for Signature, please fill out the **Volunteer form and the Unsupervised Volunteer form** (online) @ <https://goo.gl/KhWxYs>