

Forest Hill Elementary Honor Choir Application

2019-2020



Name: _____ Email: _____

Grade: 3__ 4__ or 5__ Homeroom Teacher: _____ Phone #: _____

Email address: _____

Requirements:

- Every week: Tuesday morning rehearsals, 7:30-8:30 a.m.
- Performances:
 - Holiday Program: Thursday, December 12, 6 p.m. (tentative date)
 - Spring Concert: Thursday, May 7, 6 p.m. (tentative date)
 - Also TBA: Memphis Grizzlies evening game, Memphis Redbirds' game (May), other possible optional events
- Choir Fee of \$25 for t-shirt, recordings, props, etc.

Auditions will be the week of **August 29-September 2**. When you turn in the application, you will be given a card and an email with the audition time. You can mark out any times you are unavailable below.

Auditions will include the following:

1. Sing, "America," in two different keys (check the website for rehearsal tracks)
2. Sing part of a song with a karaoke track (student choice) *You only have to sing a verse/chorus.*

These recordings are available for practice on the honor choir website. Students can sing any song they like, as long as the track does not have voices (like youtube karaoke videos).

Mr. Simons' Website: <https://petersimons1.wixsite.com/mysite>

Audition times As soon as you turn in this form, you will receive an email from Sign-Up Genius giving you an opportunity to sing up for an audition slot. Please check for this email.

Rubric for Auditions: The rubric will be based on the following criteria. Students that score the highest percentage will be selected for Honor Choir.

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| • Pitch Accuracy | 5 points |
| • Vocal Quality | 5 points |
| • Singing Technique | 5 points |
| • Musicality | 5 points |
| • Classroom Behavior/Attitude | 5 points |
| • Intangibles | 2 points |

I have read the application and agree to the requirements and auditions. I understand that selection is by audition according to the rubric.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Student Signature

Please turn this form into Mr. Simons by Friday, August 23. Applications won't be accepted after this date. You will receive an email enabling you to sign up for an audition time. If you have any questions, please contact me at peter.simons@gmsdk12.org.