

Procedures and Expectations

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PLEASE HAVE A SEAT. YOU NEED A WRITING UTENSIL,
AGENDA, AND PUT BACKPACKS UNDERNEATH CHAIRS! 😊

Website

- ▶ Website is a HUGE piece of communication
 - ▶ Kyrene.org → Schools → Middle → Kyrene Centennial Middle School → Classrooms → Performing Arts
- ▶ Forms
- ▶ Calendars
- ▶ Announcements
- ▶ Fundraising
- ▶ CA Tour info
- ▶ Musial info

Chorus Rehearsal Skills

Each week, students will receive a Rehearsal Skills Assessment Grade. The weekly assessment will be graded on a 4 – point scale.

4 - I consistently:

Was prepared for class.

Had correct posture and breathing technique.

Followed along in my music.

Was silent and attentive to directions and followed them.

3 - Most of the time I:

Was prepared for class.

Had correct posture and breathing technique.

Followed along in my music.

Was silent and attentive to directions and followed them.

2 - I rarely:

Was prepared for class.

Had correct posture and breathing technique.

Followed along in my music.

Was silent and attentive to directions and followed them.

1 - I consistently displayed any of the following behaviors:

I did not have my materials/had unnecessary materials.

I did not have good posture and/or breathing.

I rarely followed my music.

I was inattentive during instruction.

Classwork/Homework

- ▶ Nightly and Weekly Expectations
 - ▶ Sight-Reading Factory – will be assigned, estimate 15-30 min per week, Intermediate and Advanced ONLY
 - ▶ Worksheets
 - ▶ Incomplete work from class
- ▶ Major Projects and Assignments
 - ▶ Concert Grades – HUGE DEAL
 - ▶ Composer/Music Research Projects
 - ▶ Written work to support WICOR (AVID)

REVIEW...

Start of Class

- ▶ Walk in through the door! Come in through G3
- ▶ If the door is not open, line up in a single file line. I will open the door before the bell!
- ▶ Get out your Chorus folder and a pencil.
- ▶ Hang backpacks in the 'Backpack Drop.' There WILL be hooks... soon.
 - ▶ For now, please put backpacks underneath your chairs.
- ▶ Complete the Bellwork! Sight-reading, response, etc... it will be projected on the board!

End of Class

- ▶ We will ALWAYS have the last 3-5 min of class to pick-up/pack-up.
 - ▶ This is when I will assign 3 P's score for the day!
- ▶ Collect your backpacks, pack up your things, and exit through G3 – watch out for incoming students!
- ▶ Wait to pack up until I have dismissed you to do so



Water and Restroom

Water

Use this symbol during direct instruction!

If we are doing group/individual work, you may get water as needed.

You may bring a water bottle with you to the risers.



Restroom

Use this symbol during direct instruction!

If we are doing group/individual work, you may walk up and ask to be excused to the restroom.

No BR the first 10 minutes of class.



Enter/exit through G3

You must sign out/in on the clipboard.

One student at a time... if someone has not returned, you may sign your name up then finish signing out when your peer returns.

Overall Expectations

- ▶ Be kind – we are all facing our own battles!
- ▶ Leave it at the door – but if you need a minute, ask.
- ▶ Be safe for yourself and others
- ▶ Respect belongings of others and school property

Supplies

- ▶ Two-Pocket Folder with PRONGS
 - ▶ You will be given a sight-reading packet that is 3-hole-punched
- ▶ Pencils
 - ▶ Musicians take notes in their music in pencils.
- ▶ Highlighters
 - ▶ We will do score-prep (music prep) prior to rehearsing a piece of music. You will need a highlighter for this.
- ▶ Pens
 - ▶ These will only be used to grade items in class, but never in our music or on worksheets!