# **Carnage Beginning Chorus**

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#### **About Beginning Chorus**

In this quarter-long beginner's class, students will be introduced to the fundamentals of singing by learning quality repertoire, vocal health and technique, music literacy, and performance. Students will perform one concert per quarter.

#### **Materials Needed for Class**

- 1. Two-pocket folder. Students may store their folders in their assigned Chorus cubby each day.
- 2. Music will be provided.
- 3. Sharpened pencil; it's a good idea to keep a pencil in your Chorus folder so you always have one!
- 4. Chromebook for digital assignments.

#### Chorus Classroom Expectations & Trojan P.R.I.D.E.

- 1. Arrive to class on time. Tardies result in parent/guardian contact. 3 tardies = lunch detention
- 2. Raise your hand if you have a question.
- 3. Engage in activities and complete assignments.
- 4. Treat your materials, your classmates, your teacher, and yourself with respect.
- 5. Have a good attitude and do your best! PRIDE - Personal responsibility, Respect, Integrity, Determination, Excellence in all we do

#### **Grading**

- 60% Major assessments
- 40% Minor assessments

## Fall Chorus Concert - Tuesday, October 28 @ 6:30 p.m.

- The concert will begin at 6:30 p.m. in the Carnage Auditorium.
- Students are expected to be present and prepared in the Chorus Room at 5:55 p.m.
- \*\*\*\*\*Students MUST have transportation home after the concert is finished.\*\*\*\*\*
- Mrs. Cavanaugh will be available for supervision after school until the concert.
- Concert Announcement Page

### **Concert Attire**

All Students - White on top, black on bottom, black shoes.

- It is important that the singers look professional, modest, and uniform when performing.
- Please consider attire options early. Do not wait until the last minute!
- Unsure about your concert attire? Email Mrs. Cavanaugh at ACavanaugh@wcpss.net.

If you are unable to attend your concert, notify Mrs. Cavanaugh ASAP.

If you have issues with attire or transportation, notify Mrs. Cavanaugh ASAP.

The school dress code is in effect for all performances.

We have a great quarter of music-making ahead of us! Announcements will be shared via Talking Points. Parents and students, please contact Mrs. Cavanaugh with any questions via Talking Points/email.

Best regards,
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Carnage Chorus Website



Want to contribute to the Chorus classroom? We are always accepting donations of:

Kleenex Hand sanitizer Index cards Dry-erase Expo markers

Pencils Two-pocket folders Copy paper Clorox wipes

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