



2014-15 Annandale Middle School Choir Informational Sheet



Welcome to the AMS Choir Room! The following information will explain my classroom expectations, performance attendance, and grading.

Classroom Expectations:

I want our classrooms to run effectively and efficiently, so my expectations are very simple:

Be Nice, Be Nice, Be Nice, ☺

Work Hard

Be on Time

Choose a good Attitude

Use Common Sense

Did I mention Be Nice?



Supplies and Concert Dress:

Every student needs to have a notebook. We will be using them periodically throughout the year.

Concert attire for choir students is mostly black. You can have some color in your outfit, but it should be mostly black or dark grey.

- For Men: black dress pants, black shoes, black shirt, any color tie! You could also choose to wear a suit if you would like. Just look nice!
- For Women: most black dress pants, shorts, skirts and black flats. Again, just look nice!

Fundraisers:

We will have three fundraisers during the year. We will notify students of important dates when they are known to us. Money earned goes directly into students accounts and can be used for music trips or other music related events.

Performance Attendance:



Please make note of the performances that are listed in the 2014-15 Annandale District Calendar. There might be a few time changes in regards to concerts, but we'll try our best to stick with the times listed below. All band and choir students will need to be in attendance for the concerts. Concerts are treated like a unit test in a regular classroom. If you cannot attend a concert, please notify your teacher as soon as you can. A makeup assignment will be provided to make up the points lost from missing the performance.

Grading:

Professionalism – 40%

-participation, attitude, timeliness, preparedness, etc.

Performance – 20%

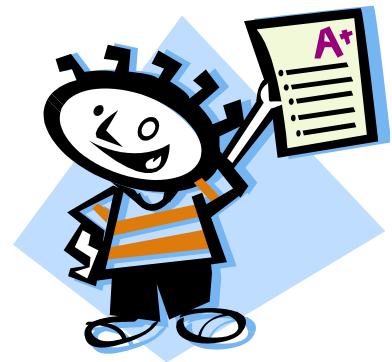
-performance attendance & concert etiquette

Tests/Quizzes – 20%

-end of quarter tests

Music Skills – 20%

-listening critiques, ear cleaning, other written assignments



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