



ICS Melodia Choir Registration Form

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM AND A CHECK, PAYABLE TO "ICS PTSA – CHOIR", BY AUGUST 31ST.

Student's Name: _____ Grade: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zipcode: _____

Home phone: _____ Parent's cell phone: _____

Student's cell phone and email: _____

Parent's or family's email: _____

Choir experience: ____ Yes ____ No If yes, please list groups: _____

Choir rehearses each week on Mondays, 2:45-4:30PM. All performances occur on Wednesday evenings at 7:00PM. Please answer the following questions with those days and times in mind.

Please check all afterschool activities you plan to be involved in during the school year.

ASB Swimming Soccer Drama Music lessons Other (please list)

Girls: check for \$277 enclosed **Boys:** check for \$236 enclosed

By signing below, I understand that I am committed to attend all requested rehearsals and performances as a member of the ICS Choir. I also understand that to receive ICS school credit I must attend all rehearsals and performances for the entire year, according to the criteria listed above.

Student signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent signature: _____ Date: _____



INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY SCHOOL MELODIA CHOIR

Choir is a fun and rewarding experience. When you participate in choir you become a member of a team, just like a sports team. Each individual is crucial to the success of the team.

Class Expectations:

- Come to class prepared with your music, One Minute Theory book, and a pencil
- Be on time
- Be involved and engaged

Class Credit and Grades:

Choir is a graded, credited (.5 credit per year) class. *You may only earn class credit with the following criteria:*

- No more than five rehearsal excused absences per year
- No more than one concert excused absence per year (exceptions will be made for illness or emergency)
- Complete work in One Minute Theory Book

Grades are given to each student who participates in Choir, and are based upon the following: (Give percentages to the categories below)

- Weekly class participation and rehearsals..... 50%
- Concert participation 40%
- Work completed in the One Minute Theory Book 10%

Students with exemplary grades will be included in the National Music Honor Society.

Rehearsals and Concerts:

- Concerts are a demonstration of the work accomplished in class. Unexcused absences from any performance, or any scheduled rehearsal, will affect the student's grade.
- Because creating musicality, tone and balance is crucial to a performance, only those students who have attended the last two consecutive rehearsals before a concert or choir event to perform in it. No exceptions.

Choir Dress:

Choir uniforms are purchased at the beginning of the year. The fees are included in the tuition and are listed below in the Tuition Breakdown section. In addition, boys must wear black socks and black dress shoes (NO tennis shoes).

Scholarship money is available for anyone who needs financial assistance.

Choir officers:

Choir officers are voted in by the choir members each spring for the following school year. Officers will form the student choir committee and work with the ASB and other school organizations to coordinate performances at assemblies, as well as involvement in other ICS school activities (Art Night, Taste of ICS, etc.) Officers are expected to show leadership and initiative. They will be responsible for notifying choir members of any extra rehearsals, filing and retrieving music from the library, and other duties as assigned.

Officers:

- President
- Vice-President
- Secretary/Historian

Non-ICS Students:

Non-ICS students are welcome and encouraged to participate in Choir. All students who can commit to attending rehearsals and performances may join choir. However, Solo/Ensemble participation is reserved for registered ICS students only.

Tuition Breakdown

Choir tuition (1 year)	\$180.00
Choir gown (girls)	\$89.00
Choir pants, shirt & tie (boys)	\$48.00
<u>One Minute Theory Book (1 per new student)</u>	<u>\$8.00</u>
TOTAL – GIRLS	\$277.00
TOTAL – BOYS	\$236.00