

Bettendorf Show Choir 2019-2020

Audition Information

1. You must submit a completed 2019-2020 Audition Information Form and Audition Consent Form at the time of your audition. You will not be allowed to audition without these items. Students will have the chance to sign up for auditions at our scheduled workshops.
Auditions (pick one of the following two hour slots):
 - Monday, May 20th 3:30-5:30pm; 6:30-8:30pm
 - Wednesday, May 22nd 3:30-5:30pm; 6:30-8:30pm
 - Thursday, May 23rd (call backs if necessary) 3:30-5:30pm****Meet in the choir room****
2. The audition will consist of singing and choreography. Please complete the forms listed in #1 accurately and completely and bring to your audition.
3. You will be scored in four areas: singing, choreography, overall presentation and ***“attitude & conduct”***. Attitude and conduct will be/has been determined by your conduct and attitude throughout the year(s) and your behavior at our scheduled workshops. For the current eighth graders, your choir director or counselor will be contacted for their input into this component.
4. Students will learn the choreography at our scheduled workshops and will have access to the choreography via Google Drive. Students are **required** to attend at least one workshop but can come to as many workshops as necessary: Wednesday, May 15th 6:30-8:30pm | Thursday, May 16th 3:30-5:30pm | Friday, May 17th 3:30-5:30pm | Saturday, May 18th 10:00am-12pm
5. Students will also need to prepare a short acapella solo (30-60 seconds) of their choice to sing for their audition. Broadway, show, or pop tunes are most appropriate for this audition setting.
6. During auditions students will perform the choreography in groups of five and will perform 4-5 times in rotation. Students will sing their solo alone with only the judges in the room.
7. Your attire, make-up, hair, etc. will have no bearing on your score. Dress comfortably so you can sing and dance your very best.
8. This is your time to impress the judge(s). Be confident and poised. Smile, look the judge(s) in the eyes. Convince them you deserve their attention. If you make a mistake, continue on, don't stop. Move and sing with a purpose and with confidence.
9. Audition results will be posted via email in the evening on Friday, May 24th. The first parent meeting for all 2019-2020 show choir parents will take place Monday, June 3rd at 7:00 pm in the Small Auditorium.
10. A deposit of \$100 is due NO LATER than July 8th, 2019. Payment can be made online after July 1st via your student's pay schools account or via a check delivered to the activities office. The remainder of the fee must be paid by December 1, 2019 for your student to remain a member of BHS Show Choirs. If you are in need of financial assistance, please contact a director for financial assistance forms prior to the audition date. Bettendorf High School does not provide our program with any funding or reimbursements. We are responsible for raising/disbursing all money for this program.

Good Luck – We Look Forward to Your Audition!