Choir Pathway at Alburnett

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This course is a required, year-long ensemble experience which includes a weekly lesson outside of class. The main learning focuses are music literacy, establishing individual singing voices, and working together to perform as an ensemble.

6th Grade Choir

7-8

This elective course is composed of both 7th and 8th grade students. Students will sing as an ensemble in class as well as attend a weekly lesson outside of class. The main learning focuses are music literacy, vocal technique, and performing as an ensemble.

Junior High Choir

9-12

This elective, co-curricular course is composed of 9th-12th grade students. Students will sing as an ensemble in class as well as attend a weekly lesson outside of class. The fall semester includes involvement in the musical production. The main learning focuses are music literacy, vocal technique, and performing as an ensemble.

High School Choir

Additional Courses:

This elective is only offered in the fall semester for high school students and is a co-curricular course with our fall musical production. Students do not have to be enrolled in choir to take this course. These students serve as crew members for the musical, learning about the new auditorium technology, putting together costumes and props, and working with set pieces on the stage.

Musical Theater

High School Choir Obligations at Alburnett

Obligations Required of All Choir Students:

Lessons

6th-12th grade students will attend a 15 minute small group lesson once a week. This is a recurring scheduled lesson that occurs outside of regular choir class time in which students will practice vocal skills, music literacy, and will take a majority of their graded assessments.

Concerts

6th-12th grade students
will have a variety of
required evening
performances throughout
the school year. Each
concert serves as a graded
assessment.

Additional Obligations Required of High School Choir Students:

Musical

High School Choir students are involved in the production of the fall musical. Assigned character roles and level of outside-of-class involvement vary based on optional auditions. Students can expect rehearsals to occur during class time, weekday mornings, and Saturday mornings.

Coffee House

High School Choir students will perform and help put together the spring variety show, "Coffee House". This show is performed twice on two separate evenings and include evening tech/dress rehearsals leading up to the performances.

Large Group Festival

High School Choir students will travel to the selected host school on a Saturday to perform at this contest in the spring.