

## 2023-2024 Choir Calendar

It is important for students and parents to understand that although this calendar is accurate and currently up to date, it is subject to change and alteration. All choir performances for choir students are mandatory. If a change needs to take place, Dr. Thorpe will strive to allow enough notice for students and families to have reasonable time to make arrangements. Students must make adjustments in their schedules in order to attend all of the events that directly involve them. Be especially aware that additional performances may be scheduled as invitations are extended to the choral department.

Church meetings/activities, family vacations and work are not valid excuses for missing performances. Off-campus practices, clubs, teams, companies, and non-UHSAA region events are not valid excuses for missing performances. The only exceptions made for missing a required event are severe illness, family emergencies, or events such as weddings or funerals, which will be professionally and individually dealt with. Thank you in advance for your support!

## **Ensemble Codes:**

CC = Concert Choir CS = Chamber Singers SV = Sorelle Voce VA = Vox Aquilae BV = Belle Voix AC = All Choirs

Term #1: August 16 – October 18

Date	Ens. Code	Event Description / Assignment or Fee Due	Location	Call-Time	<b>Event Time</b>
W/TH 8/23 -8/24	AC	Choir Disclosure Due	Canvas		
Weds. 8/23	AC	Performance Excusal Form	Canvas		
*Tues. 8/29	interested students	Sterling Scholar/Concerto Meeting	Choir Room	After School	2:35-3:00pm
Fri. 9/1	AC	Uniform Fee and \$60 Choir Fee Due (choir fee is paid <b>only one time</b> if participating in multiple choirs)	MMHS Finance Office (please place receipts in class box in choir room)	3:00pm	
Fri. 9/1	AC	Parent Volunteer Form Due	Canvas	3:00 pm	
Fri. 9/1	CS, SV	Used Uniform Approval Day	Choir Room	During Class	
Fri. 9/1	(selected students)	Utah All-State Choir Participation Fee (\$85) Due	MMHS Finance Office	3:00pm	
Mon. 9/18	(selected students)	Utah All-State Choir Area Rehearsal #1	Provo High School, Choir Room	2:55pm	3:00-5:00pm
Mon. 9/25	(selected students)	Utah All-State Choir Area Rehearsal #2	Provo High School, Choir Room	2:55pm	3:00-5:00pm
Tues. 10/3	AC	Dress Rehearsal for Fall Choral Showcase	MMHS Auditorium	2:45 pm	3:00-5:00pm
Wed. 10/4	AC	Fall Choral Showcase	MMHS Auditorium	5:30 pm	7:00pm
Thurs. 10/5	(selected students)	Utah All-State Rehearsal	Taylorsville High School	5:45pm	6:00-9:00pm

Fri. 10/6	(selected students)	Utah All-State Rehearsal	Taylorsville High School	7:30am	9:00am- 8:30pm
Sat. 10/7	(selected students)	Utah All-State Dress Rehearsal & Concert Rehearsal – 1:30-4:00pm Return to Concert Seats by 7:00pm	Salt Lake Tabernacle, SLC	11:00am	7:30pm

**Term #2:** Oct. 24 — Dec. 22

Date	Ens. Code	<b>Event / Assignment Due</b>	Location	Call-Time	<b>Event Time</b>
Mon. 11/13	(interested students)	Carols & Confections "Specialty" Auditions	Choir Room, B-102		2:45- 4:45pm
Mon. 11/27	CC, SV	Temple Square	Meet in Choir Room	4:45pm	4:45- 9:45pm
Thurs. 11/30	AC (interested students)	Carols & Confections Set Design & Load-In	MMHS Auditorium	2:45pm	2:45- 6:00pm
Fri. 12/1	(interested students)	Concerto-Aria Auditions	Choir Room, B-102		2:45 – 4:45pm
Fri. 12/1	CC,SV	First tour installment of \$100.	Pay to the finance office		
Mon. 12/4	(selected students)	Carols & Confections Set-Up ( choir council and other volunteer students)	MMHS Auditorium	2:45pm	2:45- 6:00 pm
Tues. 12/5	AC	Dress Rehearsal for Carols and Confections	MMHS Auditorium	2:45pm	2:45- 9:00pm
Wed. 12/6	AC	14 <sup>th</sup> Annual Carols & Confections	MMHS Auditorium	4:45 pm	7:00pm
Thurs. 12/7	Interested Students	University of Utah Choirs Holiday Concert	Libby Gardner Hall	5:45pm	7:30pm
Wed. 12/14	CC, SV	Fine Arts Holiday Assembly for Student body (Tentative)	MMHS Auditorium	8:30am	9:00- 10:00am
Fri. 12/16	AC	All Concert Reports Due (Concert Reports should be turned in not later than two weeks after you attend the concert.)	Choir Room, B-102	3:00pm	

Term #3: January 8 – March 8

Date	Ens. Code	Event / Assignment Due	Location	Call-Time	Event Time
Fri. 1/12	CC, SV	Second tour installment of \$125.	Pay to the finance office		
Fri. 2/2	CC, SV	Final tour installment 0f \$125	Pay to the finance office		
Thurs. 2/15	(interested students)	School Solo and Ensemble Festival	MMHS Choir Room, B-102		3:00-5:30pm

Wed. 3/13	(interested students) and CS	Region Chamber Choir Festival & Vocal/Piano Solo & Ensemble Festival	SHHS	12:15	1:00-5:00pm
Sun. 3/17-3/19	CC, SV	Choir Tour - Salt Lake City Performance in Libby Gardner Hall	Salt Lake City	3/17 7:30am	

**Term #4:** March 11 – May 23

Date	Ens. Code	<b>Event / Assignment Due</b>	Location	Call-Time	Event Time
Thurs. 3/28	VA, SV, CS	Music at the Mountain Choral Festival	MMHS Auditorium	5:45pm	7:00pm
Wed. 4/17	VA, CC, SV, BV	Region 8 Large Choir Festival	Timpview HS	1:15pm	2:00- 6:00pm
Wed. 4/24	BV	Region 8 Training Choir Festival	Springville HS	12:15pm	1:00- 3:30pm
Sat. 4/27	CS & additional qualified students	State Solo & Ensemble & Chamber Choir Festival (festival performance schedule not available until the week of this festival)	Provo High School	7:00am	8:00am – 4:00pm
Fri. 5/3	(interested students)	Music Lettering Applications Due	Choir Room, B-102 Counseling Office		
Wed. 5/8	AC	Concert Proofs Due	Choir Room, B-102	3:00pm	
Thurs, Fri, Sat 5/9-5/11	CC, SV, VA	UMEA State Choral Festival (festival performance schedule not available until the week of this festival)	ТВА	ТВА	ТВА
Tues. 5/14	AC	Spring Concert Dress Rehearsal	MMHS Auditorium	2:45pm	2:50- 4:50pm
Wed. 5/15	AC	Spring Choir Concert	MMHS Auditorium	5:00pm	7:00pm
Mon. 5/20	AC	MMHS Graduation Rehearsal	UCCU Events Center @ UVU	7:45am	8:00- 10:00am
Wed. 5/21	AC	MMHS Graduation	UCCU Events Center @ UVU	9:00am	10:00am

Students and their families are strongly encouraged to program these dates into personal and family calendars, planners, Google calendars, phones/iPads, etc., with reminders attached to them. This should help reduce unnecessary anxieties or miscommunications throughout the school year. Since great efforts have been taken to provide advance notice of these important dates, it is expected that choir students, their parents and families schedule accordingly and make arrangements in order for students to keep their commitments to the team.

Thank you in advance for your support and commitment to excellence!

REMINDER: Additional performances may arise as invitations are extended to our choral department.