



HS Choirs 2023-2024

Mrs. Amthor

Since you only see the back
of me during concerts,
here's the front view 😊

Course Grading (% varies each quarter)

Class Participation (30-40%)

Lesson Attendance (20-30%)

Concerts & Dress Rehearsals (15-20%)

Individual Performance Assessments (15%)

Schoology Tests & Quizzes (5%)

Chorus grades will be kept in School Tool

Lesson Attendance

Small group lab experience

**Lessons will run on a 5-day schedule
and rotate through periods**

3, 4, 5, 9

(also period 1 for Mixed Choir)

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Group 3 TREBLE CH. SOPRANO 2 DeGroat Szell Torres Isa. Weber Wight	Group 3 TREBLE CHOIR ALTO 2 Asare Esmé Brand Flores Frantzen Jablensnik Mallory Reyes Rizza	Group 3 TREBLE CHOIR ALTO 1 MAKE-UP	Group 4 Mixed Choir Sopranos	Group 4 Mixed Choir Bass Make-up
Group 2 TREBLE CH. ALTO 1 Belfield Croce Jones Martin Martinez Strano	Group 2 TREBLE CH. SOPRANO 2 Asare Estie Cafarella Kilpatrick Perry Rosa Zavodsky	Group 2 TREBLE CHOIR ALTO 2 MAKE-UP	Group 3 Mixed Choir Altos	Group 3 Mixed Choir Tenor Make-up
Group 1 TREBLE CH. SOPRANO 1 Crespo Garda Lang Preira Ramos Russell Summerford	Group 1 TREBLE CH. ALTO 1 Barringer Burte Chapman Lia Lynch Torres T. Warren	Group 1 TREBLE CHOIR SOPRANO MAKE-UP	Group 2 Mixed Choir Bases	Group 2 Mixed Choir Soprano Make-up
Band Lesson Always Period 1	Band Lesson Always Period 1	Band Lesson Always Period 1	Group 1 Mixed Choir Tenors	Group 1 Mixed Choir Alto Make-up

Chorus Lesson Rotation 2023-2024

Rotation 1

Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
Prep period this week is Period 3			Group 4 Period 1	
Group 3 lessons Period 4			Group 3 Period 4	
Group 2 lessons Period 5			Group 2 Period 5	
Group 1 lessons Period 9			Group 1 Period 9	

Rotation 3

Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
Prep period this week is Period 5			Group 4 Period 4	
Group 3 lessons Period 9			Group 3 Period 9	
Group 2 lessons Period 3			Group 2 Period 1	
Group 1 lessons Period 4			Group 1 Period 3	

Rotation 2

Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
Prep period this week is Period 4			Group 4 Period 3	
Group 3 lessons Period 5			Group 3 Period 5	
Group 2 lessons Period 9			Group 2 Period 9	
Group 1 lessons Period 3			Group 1 Period 1	

Rotation 4

Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
Prep period this week is Period 9			Group 4 Period 5	
Group 3 lessons Period 3			Group 3 Period 1	
Group 2 lessons Period 4			Group 2 Period 3	
Group 1 lessons Period 5			Group 1 Period 4	

Mrs. Amthor's Professional Period
is always Period 2

Instructional Materials

Black 3-ring binder

Chorus music

Blue Jenson Sight Singing Book(s)

2 WHS Chorus Workbooks

Assessment Score Book

Mechanical Pencil

Practice Room Passes/Lunch Passes

Practice rooms are available for student use during the school day

Students who do not have a lunch period have been given a lunch pass so they can get food from the cafeteria and bring it to class as needed

Extra-Curricular Groups

Fall:

Madrigal Choir

Handbells

Jazz Band

Chamber Strings

Spring:

Madrigal Choir

Handbells

Jazz Band

Chamber Strings

Barbershop Choir?

Men's Choir?

Concert Attire

Soprano/Alto: Black school-issued dress

(handed out in the first lesson)

**Tenor/Bass: Black suit jacket & pants,
white collared dress shirt, black bow
tie, black shoes and socks**

(school-issued vest & tie will be provided for other events)

Madrigal Choir: Renaissance Costume

Important Dates (September - December)

- ▶ Chorus & Orchestra Pops Concert - October 26
- ▶ *Variety Show - (February 1)*
- ▶ All-County Chorus - November 3-4
- ▶ Area All-State at WALLKILL - November 17-18
- ▶ All-State - Nov. 30-Dec.3
- ▶ Winter Concert Dress Rehearsal - December 11
- ▶ Winter Concert - December 13

- ▶ Candle Fundraiser - September 11 - 22
- ▶ Frozen Foods (cakes, pies, cookies) - Oct. 2-13

- ▶ District-wide Music Calendar will be emailed to parents & posted on the HS Chorus webpage

S.O.M.E. (Supporters of Music Education)

- ▶ District-wide parent-run music booster organization
- ▶ Program advertisements & personal dedication forms available now, due by November 1st
- ▶ Raffle baskets and volunteers to help are needed for the Variety Show on February 1st
- ▶ Next meetings: Mon. Oct. 16th at Ostrander Elementary School (w/ Zoom meeting option)

Facebook: @SOMEofWallkillCSD

Instagram: @s.o.m.e.atwallkill

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Professional Period - Period 2

Join the Choir Remind Groups:

Treble Choir:

text @ge79dba

Mixed Choir:

text @4dbffga

To this number: 81010

Congratulations!!!

**Makayla Wynn
(Soprano 1 - alternate)
and Jono McLaughlin (Bass 2)
Selected for the
NY All-State Mixed Chorus!**

**Durward Entrekin selected for All-
State Orchestra (Violin 1 & Trombone)!**

SENIORS!!!!

**If you need a college recommendation letter,
give me your resume by September 22nd.**

**Include EVERY award, honor,
extra-curricular, community service,
employment, since you began 9th grade.**

**Thank you for coming
and have a great night!**