# St. Louis Suburban MMEA District 5

# 2023-24 5th-6th Grade Elementary Honor Choir Information

### September 1, 2024

**TO:** St. Louis Suburban 5th & 6th Grade Choral Directors

**FROM:** Katy Moll – St. Louis Suburban Elementary Choir Vice President

**RE:** 5-6 All-Suburban Elementary Honor Choir Festival

WHEN: Saturday, April 20, 2024

WHERE: Discovery Elementary School (Orchard Farm School District), St. Charles, MO

**CLINICIAN:** Taylor Shaeffer (Mary Kate Barnes - accompanist)

Please mark your calendar for our annual 5/6 All-Suburban Elementary Honors Choir Festival. All directors are encouraged to participate in this event for the benefit of our students and choral music in the St. Louis area. Updates will be sent via email and posted to the St. Louis Suburban MMEA District 5 website.

## Registration for the 5-6 Elementary Honor Choir is online.

Go to the St. Louis Suburban MMEA District 5 website: <a href="www.stlsuburbanmmeadistrict5.com">www.stlsuburbanmmeadistrict5.com</a>
Locate the "Choir Honor Groups" page. Find the 5-6 Elementary Choir section and click on the "Registration Link".

## 5th-6th Grade All-Suburban Honor Choir Schedule

Friday, March 15, 2024: Registration Deadline – 5/6 Elementary Honor Choir (registration opens Monday, March 4)

Saturday, April 20, 2024: 5/6 Elementary Honor Choir Rehearsal (9AM) Concert (3PM)

Discovery Elementary Registration begins at 8:30AM.

### **PARTICIPATION FEE**

The participation fee for the 5-6 Elementary Honors Choir is \$75.00 per school. Once students are registered, directors will receive an invoice from St. Louis Suburban MMEA District 5 with payment instructions. Upon receiving that invoice, directors will have 30 days to submit their payment for the audition fees. **DO NOT bring money to the event**. Wait for the invoice and follow the instructions on the invoice..

#### **REGISTRATION**

Please register on the St. Louis Suburban MMEA District 5 website by midnight, **Friday, March 15, 2024**. Registration will open on **Monday, March 4, 2024**.

#### **SELECTION**

Each director may send up to 8 students (try splitting Part 1 and Part 2 as evenly as possible). Please submit names at the time of registration. NO ALTERNATES.

#### **PREPARATION**

Please take the time to prepare your students for this concert. Setting up our students for success will make this a positive experience.

#### **REPERTOIRE - TBD**

**PRACTICE TRACKS** - A link will be emailed to directors.

#### PERFORMANCE ATTIRE

Ladies: Black dress pants (NO SKIRTS), White top (covers the shoulders), black dress shoes (preferably flats).

**Gentlemen:** White dress shirt (button-up), tie or your choice, black dress pants, black dress shoes.

**LUNCH** Students and teachers should be prepared to provide their own lunches.

<u>SUPERVISION</u> Directors will be needed throughout the festival to ensure their students are supervised and representing themselves well.