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## Dear Day School Fifth Graders and Families,

The 2016-2017 Day School Fifth Grade Chorus will be beginning soon! It's a great way to get involved in making music, meeting new friends, learning the art of singing performance, and it's free! Exciting programs are being planned such as the Annual Town-Wide Vocal Night held in March at Westford Academy.

Our weekly rehearsals are held in the Day School music room on Tuesday afternoons from 2:30PM-3:30PM. Please make sure that transportation is arranged so that Chorus Members are picked up from rehearsal on time. In the event that school is released early or cancelled on Tuesday afternoons, Chorus rehearsal will be cancelled as well. I will try my best to not to be out sick on Chorus rehearsal days, however in the event that I am not at school, Chorus will be cancelled and I will send an email to all participants parents as well as notifying the school office so they can let the Chorus Members know.

Here are some things you should know:

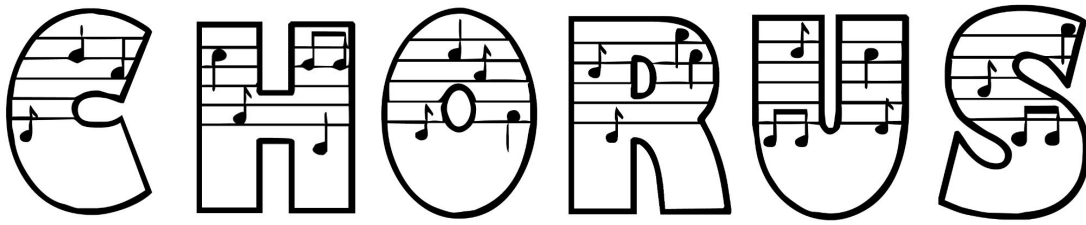
- It is very important that Chorus Members come to rehearsals prepared and ready to sing.
- I will teach proper singing techniques to help all Chorus Members give their best performance.
- All Chorus Members will be provided a folder, music and pencils will be available to use. Chorus Members are asked to take care of the folders and bring to every rehearsal.
- Concert dress is as follows for all performances: Black slacks or skirts, white tops. No jeans, sneakers, or play clothes, please!

Interested in participating in this year's Fifth Grade Chorus? If so, please complete the attached permission slip and return to Mrs. Lampros by Friday, October 7, 2016.

**The first rehearsal of 5th Grade Chorus will be on Tuesday, October 11, 2016.**

Questions? The best way to reach me is via e-mail at: [klampros@westfordk12.us](mailto:klampros@westfordk12.us). I'm looking forward to starting rehearsals and having a wonderful musical experience with the 5th Grade Chorus!

Musically Yours, Mrs. Lampros



## Day School Chorus Permission Form

Parental permission is required for Fifth Grade students to participate in the Day School Choral Program. If your child/children are interested in making the commitment to Chorus, please complete the forms below and return to Mrs. Lampros by (one form per child please!).

The first rehearsal is scheduled for Tuesday afternoon, October 11, 2016 from 2:30-3:30PM. Please return the bottom portion of this sheet and the attached Student Emergency Information sheet to Mrs. Lampros by Friday, October 7, 2016.

If you could please include a parent e-mail address that is best for communicating with you, I would be very appreciative. I will compile an e-mail list containing rehearsal and concert information, as well as a monthly "Chorus Notes" newsletter.

Thank you for your support and I look forward to a musical year with the 5th Grade Chorus!

Musically Yours, Mrs. Lampros

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My son/daughter \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_'s class has my permission to participate in the Day School Fifth Grade Chorus, which meets on Tuesday afternoons from 2:30 to 3:30PM starting on October 11, 2016.

I will provide transportation for my child from school on rehearsal afternoons. In addition, I will provide or find transportation for my child to and from rehearsals and concerts as needed.

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Parent Signature

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Phone #

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Parent Contact e-mail (Please print CLEARLY!)