

IMS Show Choir

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Dear IMS chorus students and families:

I hope that the school year has gotten off to a good start! Your student has expressed an interest in performing with the IMS Show Choir. Show Choir is an extension of the middle school choral program and will **rehearse every Tuesday from 4:30pm-5:45pm in the MS Choir Room.**

Students who intend to join Show Choir **must also be members of their respective Chorus (Grade 6 or Grade 7/8) with Mr. Magale.** If you are involved in morning PE and are unable to be in Chorus, please let me know.

Students who are interested in joining this group must sign and return the attached Show Choir contract by **Friday, October 21, 2016.** Please return this form to the basket in Mr. Magale's room.

The **first rehearsal of Show Choir** will be on **Tues., October 25, 2016 from 4:30pm-5:45pm.** Show Choir will then meet each Tuesday from then on. Please enter the school through the Side-Entrance.

Students may be picked up each week at the SIDE ENTRANCE at 5:45pm.

I understand that there are sometimes conflicts with the numerous other evening activities that our students are involved in. If there is a known conflict at this time, please indicate that on this form. In the past we have been able to work around this by having students come to a portion of each rehearsal. *Please do keep in mind the day and time of the rehearsals when considering if your child would like to be a part of this group.* Conflicts are handled on a case-by-case basis - please do not hesitate to contact me with questions or concerns. In order for this group to reach its potential, **consistent attendance** from each student is important. Inconsistent attendance may affect your student's ability to participate in performances.

Thank you to all students who are interested in joining this wonderful ensemble. With your help we can make the IMS Show Choir a memorable experience for all!

**Please sign up for my
Remind text messages now!**

See back of this letter for info!

Musically,

Mr. Baur

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Show Choir Participation Contract

Dear Mr. Baur,

My child, _____, is interested in joining the Islip Middle School Show Choir for the 2016-2017 school year.

My child is in: **Grade 6** **Grade 7** **Grade 8**

My child: **has** / **has not** been a member of Show Choir in previous years.
(circle one)

I understand that attendance at each rehearsal is crucial to the group's success and that rehearsals will take place on *Tuesday evenings from 4:30-5:45pm*. I will be able to make sure that my child is picked up at the conclusion of each rehearsal at 5:45pm.

Parent Signature _____

Phone: _____ - _____ - _____

Student Signature _____

Date _____

Contact Telephone Numbers:

Name _____

Name _____

Relation _____

Relation _____

Phone _____

Phone _____

Name _____

Name _____

Relation _____

Relation _____

Phone _____

Phone _____

Please indicate any special concerns/information/potential conflicts below:

*****Please return to Show Choir bin in***
*****Chorus Room by October 21*******