

# MONTA VISTA HIGH SCHOOL CHORAL MUSIC

Director: Mrs. D'Epiro

## CLASSROOM EXPECTATIONS

1. Show respect for the director and other members of the class.
2. No talking or disruptive behavior during rehearsal.
3. Show respect for the choir room, equipment and printed music.
4. No food or beverage, gum or candy in the choir room at any time.
5. Be prepared with your music notebook and pencil when class begins.
6. Put your folder away at the conclusion of rehearsal and wait for the bell.
7. Put forth your best effort by fully participating in warm ups and rehearsals and SING!!

## MATERIALS NEEDED

1 inch 3 ring binder

Sharpened pencil with eraser

## GRADING

If you wish to receive an A grade in choir you must do an excellent job of abiding by all the classroom expectations. You must also participate in the mandatory concerts and rehearsals listed below and perform to the best of your ability.

You must bring in a written excuse by September 2<sup>nd</sup> in order to be excused from any of the concert or rehearsal dates. You will need to do a written make up for each excused concert/rehearsal absence. After September 2<sup>nd</sup>, you will not be excused from a concert or rehearsal and your grade will be lowered one letter grade if you miss a concert or rehearsal without the opportunity for any make up. Illness and last minute emergencies will be dealt with on an individual basis.

Cutting choir will result in a lowered grade by one letter.

## MANDATORY CONCERT AND REHEARSAL DATES

November 17th, Thursday	Choir Assemblies	4 <sup>th</sup> and 6 <sup>th</sup> period
January 10 <sup>th</sup> , Tuesday	Winter Concert Rehearsal	3:15 – 5:00 p.m.
January 23 <sup>rd</sup> , Monday	Rehearsal	3:15 – 5:00 p.m.
January 24, Tuesday	Rehearsal	3:15 – 5:00 p.m.
January 25, Wednesday	Rehearsal	3:15 – 5:00 p.m.
January 26 <sup>th</sup> , Thursday	Winter Concert	7:00 p.m.
January 27 <sup>th</sup> , Friday	Winter Concert	7:30 p.m.
January 28 <sup>th</sup> , Saturday	Winter Concert	7:30 p.m.
May 17 <sup>th</sup> , Thursday	Spring Concert	7:30 p.m.

All Concerts will be held in the MVHS Auditorium

## CHOIR ATTIRE FOR CONCERTS

Choir t-shirt, black pants (not jeans), dark shoes (no sandals)

Each choir will have a designed t-shirt that we will be ordering on September 1<sup>st</sup>. Please bring in \$10.00 for your t-shirt by Sept. 1<sup>st</sup>. Cash or check.

Checks may be made payable to “Monta Vista Variations.”