

## Sebastian River Middle School Choir Student/Parent Contract

SRMS Choir is an organization known around the region for its vast quality, discipline, respect, and performance practice. Overall, our students are more invested in their experience in choir than any other school, and our parents are some of the most hard working, organized volunteers in the state. Therefore it is of paramount importance that all students, and all choir parents adhere to the following when participating in ANY Choir related activity, both in the classroom, or off campus on field trip. For any activity, you are always representing our school, our choir, your teacher, your families, and *yourself*. Always keep that in mind.

### **For Students:**

- Students must always strive to act with class at all times
- No profanity in the classroom or on any activity related to choir
- Students must keep their hands and feet to themselves at all times
- Students must refrain from any activities which could be interpreted as inappropriate at ANY time including: “Would You Rather”, “Truth or Dare”, “Spin the Bottle” etc.
- Topics of Conversation must remain at a “PG” level at ALL TIMES!
- Teacher and Chaperones have the authority to monitor and redirect any behavior deemed inappropriate. No back-talking is acceptable under any circumstances.
- Additional items may be included at the discretion of the director

Any students found out of accordance with any of the above at any time will face appropriate discipline as deemed by the director, or administrators, including but not limited to removal from the SRMS Choral Program.

### **For Parents:**

- Your positive involvement in SRMS Choir is readily encouraged
- Please take the time to fully read and understand the Choir Handbook and what it requires of you and your child
- The most efficient form of communication with the director is e-mail: [ethan.kinkle@indianriverschools.org](mailto:ethan.kinkle@indianriverschools.org)
- Please refrain from using any profanity when participating in Choir Functions
- When On Field Trips and Functions, alcoholic beverage consumption is prohibited
- Parents shouldn't attempt to manipulate or circumvent choir, school or district policies for personal convenience or preference. This includes but is not limited to: attendance policy, grading policy, behavior policy, refunds, etc.
- When it comes to all things related to Choir, Mr. Kinkle is this school's utmost authority. If you have a question, comment, or concern related to Choir, please check the handbook.

If the requested information isn't there, Mr. Kinkle is the appropriate person of contact, at [ethan.kinkle@indianriverschools.org](mailto:ethan.kinkle@indianriverschools.org)

- We greatly appreciate parents interested in chaperoning. However, chaperone quantity and selection is at the sole discretion of Mr. Kinkle. If you are interested in chaperoning a specific event, all requests need to be made at [ethan.kinkle@indianriverschools.org](mailto:ethan.kinkle@indianriverschools.org), with the understanding that he may have reached his quota by the time you make contact. Do not take this personally – there are MANY trips you may chaperone over the course of the year.
- While participating in any on or off campus Choir activity, collegiality between ALL involved parents, students and chaperones is of the utmost importance. Our students are our number one priority, so please act accordingly, and dressed in your choir chaperone polo. You don't have to be best friends with everyone, but it is important to be nice – our kids learn by example.

It is important for all SRMS Choir parents to be fully invested in the SRMS Choir experience. Again, please understand that our kids come first, and that all chaperoning duties are at the discretion of the director, so please keep that in mind as we begin the new year.

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DUE NO LATER THAN 8/31/18

By Signing Below, I Acknowledge I Have Fully Read And Understand The Student/Parent Choir Contract

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_