# Perkiomen Valley Middle School East

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 September, 2017

Welcome to 6th Grade Chorus!

This letter will be helpful for you and your parents to introduce you to the Choral Program at West and to plan for the concert performances. I am glad that you are part of the 6th Grade Chorus team! I am very impressed so far and look forward to working with you throughout this whole year!

6th Grade Chorus meets Period 1 every B and E day. You will receive a grade for chorus. Participation in performances and rehearsals will comprise the main portion of your grade.

Please remember that 6th Grade Chorus is a scheduled class, not a mere activity. We are a team and we depend on everyone’s participation to be successful. September 18, 2017 has been established as the deadline for schedule changes regarding 6th Grade Chorus for the year. Please contact me directly if you have questions about this.

 Attendance at rehearsals and performances is critical. That is why we are a group – to share what we learn with an audience! Therefore, you are expected to attend our three major concerts. Please put the following dates and times on your calendar – invite your friends and family, too! ☺

**Our Winter Concert (Combined with Orchestra and Band) is Tuesday, December 5, 2017 at 7:30 p.m.**

**Our Spring Choral Concert is Thursday, May 10, 2017 at 7:30 p.m.**

 Because we are a team, it is important to look like a team. Please wear the following for all of our concerts:

**Girls should wear a black skirt or dressy black pants, white blouse, and black shoes.**

**Boys should wear black pants, white dress shirt, and black shoes.**

(I thought it would be helpful to have advanced notice of this to plan a shopping trip and/or borrow what you need.☺)

You have already demonstrated that you are eager to sing; I am eager to teach you! If you ever have a question, please come and see me during MORNING homeroom in the Chorus Room. It’s going to be a great year!

 Sincerely,

 Mr. Trevor Sands

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Please mark your calendar with our concert dates; sign below; and return the bottom portion to me. Thank you!

My child, , of homeroom # and I **have read and understand** the letter for 6th Grade Chorus which includes the **required concert dates, required concert dress and information about the class including grades and the commitment to the group for the entire school year.**

Parent Signature:

Date: