

## **CENTRAL SINGERS PRE-AUDITION SHOW CHOIR FAQ**

### **What are the monetary commitments for show choir?**

- Families are responsible for paying show choir fees, voice lesson costs (including accompanist fees for recitals and festivals), contributing to concession donations for Lone Star Show Choir Invitational, summer boot camp fees, and any trip cost for an out-of-state competition.
- **UPDATED: VOC will have a show choir fee of \$500 for the 2024-2025 school year** while Voltage will remain at a \$400 fee. Both include the \$100 audition fee/deposit as a part of the total cost and not in addition to.

### **Should my student be in voice lessons?**

- YES! ALL show choir students are required to be in private voice lessons throughout the entire school year. We have 3 amazing voice teachers at Central that show choir kids can study with or they can study privately outside of school and communicate with us who their teacher is and what they do.
- Voice lessons in Keller ISD cost between \$21-23/lesson and students take lessons once a week. Scholarships are available by application in the fall. Each student MUST perform at their studio recitals and solo contest to maintain show choir compliance!

### **Is there an out-of-state competition trip this year?**

- TBD. We will have more information to share about who will and where we will travel at our May “You Made It!” Meeting. Regardless, if you are a member of a competing out-of-state show choir you will have the monetary commitment of a trip.

### **What does the rehearsal schedule look like?**

- VOC rehearses every week on Tuesdays and Fridays from 6:20-8:00 AM and twice a month on Mondays from 6:30-8:30 PM.
- Voltage meets as a class period during the school day and has additional outside of school rehearsals as needed in the fall and 6:20-8:00 AM once a week during competition season in the spring with the potential for evening rehearsals.

### **Will I get P.E. Credit for show choir?**

- YES! If you have not yet received P.E. credit for graduation, you can satisfy this requirement through show choir.

### **When are Summer Boot Camps? Are they required?**

- ALL BOOT CAMPS ARE REQUIRED TO ATTEND! Voltage Boot Camp will be July 18<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup> and VOC Boot Camp will be July 23<sup>rd</sup>-26<sup>th</sup> with a combined preview show on the 26<sup>th</sup>. Boot camp times are TBD but will be determined based around other campus events and choreographer availability.