

## 4TH/5TH GRADE CHORUS

September 2017

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

I am excited to share with you some information regarding the formation of Castlewood's 4th/5th Grade Chorus for the 2016-2017 school year. Please review the following information, should your child be interested in participating.

- Auditions for the 4th/5th Grade Chorus will be held Friday, September 23rd during 1st period.
- All interested students will be required to audition for this ensemble.
   \*Please note- The audition will serve to provide me with vital information as to best serve the students and properly prepare them for performance, and is not intended to exclude any child showing interest from participating.
- The Castlewood 4th/5th Grade Chorus will rehearse on Fridays during 1st period.
- Please review the attached Policies for Participation in Arts Enrichment. Students wishing to participate in Chorus <u>must</u> meet the requirements outlined in this policy.
- In the event that additional rehearsals are necessary (likely around concert time), the same attendance/lateness policy will apply.
- Best behavior, cooperation, and participation are expected at every rehearsal and during performances.
- In order for the group to be successful, it is <u>mandatory</u> that all members attend all performances. Please confirm that your child is able to attend both concerts before registering.

Winter Concert Date: Wednesday, December 21, 2016 Spring Concert Date: Wednesday, May 31, 2017

 Members will only be accepted when the attached commitment form has been signed and returned, and upon successful completion of the audition process.

Although I encourage all students to audition, participation in 4th/5th Grade Chorus is voluntary, thus providing interested students with an opportunity to enrich their musical experience here at Castlewood. Should you have any further questions please feel free to contact me via email at AZwang@schools.nyc.gov.

Musically yours,

Adam Zwang

## 4TH/5TH GRADE CHORUS COMMITMENT FORM

2016-2017

Please make sure that the student's name is spelled the way you would like to see it in the concert program. This form and the audition must be completed before any child will be accepted into chorus.

DUE: MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2016

Student Name:
Phone Number:
Parent E-mail Address:
(Please use a current and working e-mail)
Date:
Classroom Teacher:
We understand and agree to requirements to be a member of the 4th/5th Grade Chorus.
Student Signature:
Parent/Guardian Signature: