



# CHOIR at KULSHAN



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## Welcome to Middle School CHOIR at Kulshan Middle School!

I am so glad you have decided to participate in Kulshan’s dedicated Choir Class this year. By that I mean this will be a Choir that is not shared with any other class. It will be singing and learning to sing better all the time. My passion has always been Choir and I have so wanted to see a dedicated choir be part of our middle school programs. I have taught choirs of all ages so I am very excited to work with our middle schools providing a choir opportunity for you! My contact information can be found above. A few years ago we had a fantastic choir and we had some wonderful performances.

Since this class will be held from **8:00 – 8:45 a.m. every “B” Day, Students in any grade 6 – 8 can be in it.** In addition, this Early Bird Class gives ALL students a chance to take another enrichment class in addition to your choice during the school day. Whether you are in Band, Orchestra, or Art, or any of the other enrichment opportunities at Kulshan, you can ALSO take this Choir. If you have a concern about transportation to get you to school early, WTA Bus passes will be available to any student who needs one. All classes will be held in the Orchestra Room and students will enter through the School front door.

Because we need to have a complete class list, we are asking students and parents to fill out the bottom portion of this letter and return it to the Main Office or to Mrs. Short as soon as you can. **Our first rehearsal will be Tuesday, Sept. 4<sup>th</sup> but you can join until Sept. 26<sup>th</sup> for 1<sup>st</sup> Semester.** Thank you and welcome again!

### Performances

After we get started and have an idea of where everyone is at vocally, we will schedule performances for your family and friends to see and hear. We might also perform for other events outside of school. In the future students from all three high schools will have opportunities to work together on musicals, which are a highlight students never forget. I am excited to work with students at Kulshan because Kulshan has not had a dedicated Choir Teacher or Class in many years.

### Remember:

Everyone is WELCOME as long as they want to sing better!

No Previous Singing Experience is Needed, but it is helpful.

Sign-up in the Main Office so I know how many to expect. Ask your friends!

We meet every “B” morning from 8:00-8:45 a.m. in the Orchestra Room starting Tuesday, Sept. 4th.

Students may also be invited to sing at a Bellingham High School Choir Concert or some other BHS Choir Activity. Mrs. Schlichting from SHS may also visit.

### Collective Commitments

These are basic concepts we use at Bellingham High School to cover most any situation so we don’t need lots of rules.

1. Respect each other the way you would like to be respected.
2. Respect and take care of the building and materials.
3. Give your best effort to produce “quality work”.

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(Grade 6, 7, 8,)

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