



Lakeforest Elementary School Chorus

Dear Families:

Lakeforest Elementary School is pleased to offer chorus to students in grades 3, 4, and 5. Chorus will help students develop basic singing and performance skills. In addition to music, students learn self-discipline, group cooperation, problem solving, goal setting, self-expression, memory skills, concentration, poise, enhanced physical coordination, high self-esteem, and the importance of teamwork---skills in great demand in almost every aspect of life. Like all of the arts, music has a profound effect on the academic success of students as well.

Chorus will meet once a week for 30 minutes before the regular school day. No prior musical experience is necessary for your child to join the chorus it is only necessary that students be in attendance and on time on chorus days. This consistency helps us learn the music for our two concerts (December 8, 2011 and May 3, 2012). Students who are late or absent more than two chorus days will be notified and no longer allowed to participate in chorus. In order to help with this, students will need to eat breakfast at home on the day that they have chorus.

We are currently planning for the 2011-2012 chorus would love to have your child participate! Please complete the contract below and return to your child's teacher by **September 8, 2011**.

You will be notified once chorus begins!

Please visit <http://lakeforestmusic.weebly.com> and click on "chorus" for updates. Feel free to call or email me with any questions or concerns!

Sincerely,

Courtney Brown
Chorus Director brownc1.lfe@pitt.k12.nc.us

LFE Chorus Registration

Student Name _____ Grade _____

Homeroom Teacher _____

My child has permission to participate in the LFE Chorus. I understand that if my child is late or absent (unexcused) from chorus practices more than two times, they will no longer be allowed to participate.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

