

2019 NCDA ALL-STATE CONCERT CHOIR (Grades 9-12)

The Nebraska Choral Directors Association is pleased to announce auditions for the 2019 NCDA All-State Concert Choir. Our clinician for this first annual event is Matt Hill.

This choir is open by audition to students who are currently in grades 9-12. This event will take place **July 7-9, 2019** at Doane University in conjunction with the Nebraska Choral Directors Association Summer Conference. Doane University, which is located in Crete, NE, is a beautiful campus with wonderful rehearsal, performance, and housing facilities.

The most gifted high school singers from across the state will be selected to participate in this choir. We are pleased to announce that the sponsoring teacher **does not need to be a current member of the Nebraska Choral Directors Association.**

PLEASE FOLLOW THE AUDITION PROCEDURES CAREFULLY.

- Your very best and brightest singers should be represented in the audition recordings.
- There is no limit to the number of high-quality auditions that each director may submit.
- Singers should submit a recording of the provided excerpt (PDF and Accompaniment MP3 online)

The deadline for this audition is particularly important: completed audition materials need to be submitted no later than **FRIDAY, APRIL 26, 2019**. There is a \$5.00 fee associated with this audition. Each recorded audition needs to be uploaded to the event in Opus Events and all auditions need to be paid before consideration for the Honor Choir. The link is:

The cost is **\$200.00** for those accepted to the choir. This includes all fees, t-shirt, and room and board. (NOTE: The \$5.00 audition fee will be included into the participation cost, leaving a balance of \$195.00)

Each director is strongly encouraged to submit names and addresses for at least one chaperone who can attend the event and help sponsor students. Chaperones receive free room and board, but must submit to a background check.

I hope that you will take advantage of this AMAZING opportunity!

Questions? Please email Mark Harman, NCDA President Elect,

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2019 NCDA ALL-STATE CONCERT CHOIR AUDITION SPECIFICS

Doane University in Crete, NE

JULY 7-9, 2019

READ AND FOLLOW DIRECTIONS CAREFULLY

Please visit this event's OPUS link: <https://audition.opusevent.com?eventid=218>

Audition forms must be submitted no later than **April 26, 2019**.

Each audition must include the following:

1. The singer will state their name, grade, school, and voice part.
2. The singer will perform the excerpt with the provided accompaniment MP3.