# **Collegiate Academy VPA Chorus Audition**

Once you have completed your VPA application you will also need to complete an audition.

# **Chorus Auditions consist of the following components:**

- 1. Triad factor identification a triad will be played on the piano and the student will be asked to identify the bottom, middle, and top note of the triad by singing it back to me.
- 2. Vocal Range students will sing through the high and low ends of their range to listen for clarity of tone, and intonation throughout the range.
- 3. Aural Recall I will play 2 patterns on the piano that students will sing back to me.
- 4. Sight Singing a short example will be shown and students will sing back the melody using solfege or neutral syllables.

## **VPA Audition Date**

Saturday, January 17, 2026: 9:00 am - 12:00 pm Collegiate Academy

- For any students who did not audition in their middle school class (see below)
- Please sign up using the link: <u>Vocal Audition Sign Up</u>

#### In-class Auditions for Erie's Public School Students:

Auditions will be the week of January 12th for Erie's Public Schools 8th graders during their band or chorus classes. There will also be another opportunity to audition on Saturday, January 17th.

## **Wilson Middle School**

Tuesday, January 13, 2026

• 8:50 - 9:45 8th Grade Chorus

# **Strong Vincent Middle School**

Wednesday, January 14, 2026

- 9:05 10:10 8th Grade Chorus
- 12:58 2:03 Integrated Chorus

#### **East Middle School**

Week of January 12-16

• TBD - During 8th Grade Chorus

## **Audition Rubric:**

■ VPA Audition Requirement: Incoming 9th Grade Form and Rubric 2025-26