6th Grade Chorus Information

Any 6th grade student can join the 6th grade chorus! If you like to sing, come to our first rehearsal **Monday, August 29** during resource period.

Important information:

- Please contact me with questions! Mr. Piper's email: john.piper@ship.k12.pa.us
- <u>Rehearsal</u> will be every <u>DAY 3</u> during resource periods.
 and <u>DAY 5</u> during the <u>LAST</u> resource period only.

What will Chorus be like

• What will we do during the rehearsals? We will be singing and rehearsing a variety of music in preparation for our annual holiday and spring concerts. We will also prepare for auditions for the SAMS annual musical.

A variety of activities such as community building games, warmup activities, vocal health discussions and assessment recordings will be included in the Day 3 and 5 rehearsals.

• How will I learn new music on my own? Sound tracks will be provided for individual practice outside of rehearsals.

How will I be graded in Chorus?

- Participation in rehearsals.
- One performance based assessment approx. each month We're aiming for growth, not perfection.
- Attention and participation in the two annual performances.

What music will we sing?

• There is a wide variety of music that we will use to get us started. You will also have access to a chorus music library in Noteflight Learn (an online music program). I'll help you through everything - so don't be anxious or overwhelmed!

Why should I join 6th grade Chorus?

- Think of Chorus as your "school family". It's a place to connect, make and see friends, and learn something that you hopefully enjoy and will use for the rest of your life!
- There are two evening **performances** for this year. The dates for those performances are Thursday December 1, 2022 and Thursday, April 27, 2023.
- Concerts are required and are heavily graded.