

Rock Hill High School Choir

2025 All-State Choir Camp Information

Welcome Rock Hill Blue Hawk Choir Members!

We are excited that you plan to attend an All-State Choir Camp this summer. You are welcome to attend one (or more) of the great options offered across the state, however, the majority of our Rock Hill choir members will be attending the camp at the Univ of Texas at Arlington (July 17-19, with an optional Area Repertoire Day on July 16) to receive their group discount, or attending an earlier option at SMU (June 5-7 – *this is a commuter camp*).

FAQS

Does Rock Hill High School provide my All-State music packet?

No, you will need to purchase your own personal packet of literature. Most camps offer this as part of their registration (check to see if it is included or if you will need to purchase it through the camp at registration), or you may need to order it in advance through JW Pepper or Pender's Music Company (Mr. McGuire can assist you with this).

If I want to receive the group discount for the camp at Univ of Texas at Arlington, how does that work?

Please register ASAP using the address: www.allstatechoircamp.org. You will register using this link. Once you reach the payment page, do not continue (you are already registered!). You will pay the cost of your registration once you arrive at the camp on July 17. If you received a booster club scholarship, a check will be sent to the camp in advance and you will be responsible for the remaining balance.

How do I register for the camp at SMU?

Following the directions to register and pay online as listed at www.smu.edu/muedworkshops.

What about the Prosper ISD District Choir Workshop on August 1 at Prosper HS?

All Rock Hill High School choir members are expected to register and attend the Prosper ISD District Choir Workshop if they plan to audition in the fall. At this workshop, all first round music will be introduced and taught to those in attendance. Once school begins, there will be very little "teaching" and much more "polishing" to prepare students for the District Audition round to be held on Tuesday, September 16. Students with a schedule conflict on August 1 are expected to contact Mr. McGuire to ensure they are included on the list of auditionees for September, and to ensure there will be music available.

Even if you are attending an All-State Choir Camp this summer, you must attend the District Choir Workshop. If you attend an All-State Choir Camp, then you have purchased an All-State music packet and do not need to purchase music for the Prosper ISD District Choir Workshop.

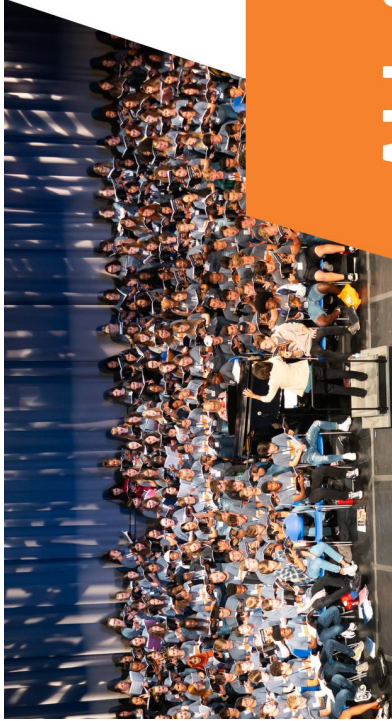
What do I need to do right now?

First, register for your All-State Choir Camp. If you have questions, please contact Mr. McGuire immediately at jjm McGuire@prosper-isd.net and he will assist you and your family as you navigate through this process. It is easy! But it is also very new for many of us.

Second, register for the Prosper ISD District Choir Workshop as soon as possible.

AS SOON AS POSSIBLE:

1. Register for your camps and Prosper ISD District Choir Workshop
2. Email Mr. McGuire to let him know what All-State Choir Camp you are attending ASAP
This is to ensure you are included in any group discounts. Email at jjm McGuire@prosper-isd.net
3. Get ready to have a great time, grow this process, and experience a successful fall!



2025 ALL-STATE CHOIR CAMP

JULY 17-19
OPTIONAL AREA
REPERTOIRE ADD-ON
JULY 16

CONDUCTORS

KAREN KENASTON-FRENCH
Director of Choral Activities,
UT Arlington

JOHN WAYMAN
Associate Director of Choral
Activities, UT Arlington

CAMP DIRECTOR

JENNA WHITE
Arlington High School

SECTION LEADERS

SOPRANO

Jo Ann Antinone, *LD Bell HS*
Pauline Sexton, *Grapevine HS*

ALTO

Sarah Council, *Plano West HS*
Chi-Chi King, *Keller HS (ret.)*

TENOR

Doug Council, *Berkner HS*
Evan Ramos, *Argyle HS*

BASS

Da'On Boulanger-Chatman,
Lakeview Centennial HS
Lance Newman, *Trinity HS*

REGISTRATION FEES

OVERNIGHT CAMPER: \$275
DAY CAMPER: \$185

AREA REPERTOIRE ADD-ON JULY 16

Overnight: \$80
Day: \$50



REGISTER

www.allstatechoircamp.org

CONTACT US

choircamp@uta.edu



SMU *All-State Choir Camp* FOR LARGE HIGH SCHOOLS

JUNE 5-7, 2025

9 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily

Final Concert: Saturday, June 7, 3 p.m.

Margaret Winchell
Director

Joel Duarte
Camp Coordinator

Christopher Ahrens, Bass Section Leader

Jesse Cannon II, Tenor Section Leader

Cathy Koziatek, Soprano Section Leader

Clorese Porter, Alto Section Leader

Sharon Bailey, Brian Bentley, Jimmy Emery and Jane Schmidt
Collaborative Pianists

Inquire about a discount for schools sending 10 or more participants.

SMU Meadows

REGISTRATION OPENS MARCH 15, 2025

For more information, visit smu.edu/muedworkshops or contact us at muedworkshops@smu.edu.



2025 PISD DISTRICT CHOIR WORKSHOP

PROSPER - RICHLAND - ROCK HILL - WALNUT GROVE

FRIDAY
AUGUST 1
9 AM - 3 PM

PROSPER HS
CHOIR RM

REGISTER HERE!



bit.ly/4484hcC



This workshop is required for any students planning to audition for the 2025 TMEA Region 24 choirs. *Contact Mr. McGuire if you there is an unavoidable schedule conflict, and to see what other options may be available.*

FUTURE DATES

August 25 – District Audition “Brush Up” at Walnut Grove HS

September 16 – District Choir Audition Round (First round of four All-State auditions)

September 22 – Prosper ISD Region Choir Workshop at Walnut Grove HS

October 18 – Region Choir Audition Round (Second round of four All-State Auditions)

November 18 – Pre Area Audition Round (Third round of four All-State Auditions)

January 10, 2026 – Area Audition Round (Final round to select Texas All-State Choirs)