

2018 KMEA All-State Middle Level Choir

Friday, Feb. 23	Location	Notes
Registration 8:00 - 8:30 AM	Hallway Outside of Riverview Room - Hyatt Hotel	
Rehearsal 8:30 - 11:00 AM	Riverview Room - Hyatt Hotel	
Lunch 11:00 AM - 12:15 PM	Expo Hall Century II	Students should come back from lunch dressed for the concert, and are to be back in their seats at 12:15. Students should use the restroom before rehearsals resume.
Rehearsal 12:15 – 3:20 PM	Riverview Room Hyatt Hotel	All student belongings must be removed from the Riverview room prior to 2:45. Students will not be permitted to bring anything with them to the concert hall.
Transition 3:20 – 3:35 PM	Move to Concert Hall in Century II	Students will walk in order from the rehearsal room in the Hyatt to the concert hall in the adjoining Century II Convention Center.
Dress Rehearsal 3:40 – 4:05 PM	Concert Hall Century II	NO audience will be allowed during this time. All teachers and parents should be outside of the concert hall.
Break 4:05 – 4:45 PM	Concert Hall Century II	During this time the KCDA Treble Choir will be using the Concert Hall for their dress rehearsal. The KMEA choir will be seated in the hall.
Concert 5:00 – 6:00 PM	Concert Hall Century II	The KCDA Treble Choir performs first, followed by the KMEA Middle Level Choir.

Lunch - Lunch boxes will be turkey and ham sandwiches, chips, cookie, and beverage. There will be some vegetarian lunches (upon request). We do not provide lunches that accommodate various allergies. If students cannot eat the lunch we provide, they will need to provide their own lunch.

Expectations for the singers:

- Be respectful of the conductor, other adults working with the choir and other members of the choir. This includes no talking during instruction and being focused and on task.
- Students need to have their music and a pencil with them. **Music must be memorized upon arrival at the rehearsal.** Lost music and items will not be returned to you. A lost and found box is not available at this venue.
- No gum or food is allowed in the rehearsal space. Students may only have a water bottle with them.
- No cell phone or other electronic device use is permitted during rehearsal or performance. Phones are to be OFF during these times. This includes during the dress rehearsals and during the concert.
- Feet are to be off the seats in the concert hall and there is no talking in the concert hall during the dress rehearsal and performances.

Student Performance Attire:

- Black Slacks/Skirt; black dress shoes
- Hair pulled off the face and neck
- Jewelry must be small and unobtrusive
- KMEA Choir t-shirts (distributed during check-in)
- T-shirts are to be tucked in for the performance

Student Belongings - Student belongings may not be left in the rehearsal room at the end of the rehearsal day and may not be taken by the singer to the dress rehearsal. All belongings must be taken by a parent/chaperone. Nothing can be left in the rehearsal venue. Anything left will be removed during clean up. I can't guarantee that you'll be able to retrieve any items left behind. Thank you for your assistance with this.

Tickets - Information about purchasing tickets for the All-State Concerts will be posted on the KMEA website – <http://ksmea.org/allstate>. Tickets are \$7.00 and will be handled through WichitaTIX. All tickets will be general admission. Commemorative t-shirts, recordings, group photos, and plaques will be available for purchase following the concert performance.