



We're thrilled you are interested in becoming a part of the Singing Angels family. The online audition process is as follows.

1. Please read the information at the end of this letter about The Singing Angels. This information is based on our traditional non-pandemic programming. Our spring 2021 programming will be modified to engage with our students on the safest level possible. If accepted, you will receive information on how our programming will resume this February.
2. Take a video of yourself singing a song you love. Please do not sing with an accompaniment, we want to hear your voice. Our main requirement is the ability to sing in tune with a pleasant voice and a love of singing! The video should be between 1 minute and 1 minute, 30 seconds. Don't forget to smile in the video.
3. Fill out the Online Audition Application and attach your audition video to the google form.
4. We will send you an email confirmation that your audition application and video was received.
5. We may also reach out to schedule a time to have your child do some pitch matching with our director via Zoom. We may also reach out for your child to take an online music reading assessment. If you do not hear from us regarding these two options, it does not mean you did not make The Singing Angels. We may do this process at a later date due to the pandemic.
6. We will inform by email by January 31 whether or not you have been accepted into The Singing Angels.

If you have any questions, please email Holly Harris at holly@singingangels.org.

THE SINGING ANGELS INFORMATION SHEET

I. THE TWO CHORUSES:

RESERVE CHORUS, NEW MEMBERS usually join the Reserve Chorus for initial training and are then eligible for consideration to join the Performing Chorus after an evaluation of their musical skills and progress. The Reserve Chorus will perform in concerts during the Holiday season as well as in the spring.

PERFORMING CHORUS, filled primarily through promotion of Reserve Chorus members.

II. REHEARSALS:

The rehearsals for the **Reserve Chorus** are held each Saturday morning during the regular school year from 11:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at The Singing Angels Studios, 3600 Biddulph Ave., Suite A, Cleveland 44109.

The rehearsals for the **Performing Chorus** are held each Saturday from 12:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at The Singing Angels Studios. Weekday rehearsals are at the beginning of the semester. Sunday rehearsals are added as deemed necessary as the semester continues.

Apprentices (1st year members in the Performing Chorus) may be asked to attend early or special rehearsals. Apprentices may be called to a few concerts during the Christmas season.

III. **CONCERTS:** Concerts for both Choruses are normally scheduled so as not to conflict with regular school hours. A monthly schedule that is emailed to all families informs Angels' families of concerts and rehearsals and other important information.

IV. **TRANSPORTATION:** Parents or guardians are responsible for their child's transportation to and from rehearsals and concerts.

V. **COST:**

A. **UNIFORMS:** Members of both choruses will need to purchase basic chorus uniforms. The cost of the Reserve Chorus' uniform is \$50.00 for boys and \$70.00 for girls. The cost of the Performing Chorus' uniform is \$185 for boys and girls (this includes the standard Performing Chorus uniform, including shoes, and the winter sweatshirt and summer polo). You will need to purchase on your own white tennis shoes and black jeans/pants. Information on the procedure for ordering uniforms will be provided on an as needed basis.

B. **INSTRUCTIONAL FEE:** (Two Semesters) Instructional Fee is due in September and again in February. Payment plans are available upon request.

COST PER SEMESTER

	RESERVE CHORUS	PERFORMING CHORUS
1 Child	\$265.00	\$420.00

If you have more than one child in The Singing Angels, you may deduct 10% from the instructional fee of each additional child.

SEMESTER INSTRUCTIONAL FEE FOR NEW ANGELS IS DUE FEBRUARY 27, 2021.

PAYMENT PLANS ARE AVAILABLE. FEES ARE THEN DUE BY MAY 15, 2020.

INSTRUCTIONAL FEE IS NON-REFUNDABLE after February 27.

INSTRUCTIONAL FEE AID IS AVAILABLE (Forms available online or upon request-Due February 13)

VI. **RULES:** In order to maintain the high standards for which The Singing Angels have become known in the community, all Reserve Chorus and Performing Chorus members are expected to abide by the established regulations. These rules and regulations are defined in the 2020 – 2021 Rules & Regulations Handbook.

INFORMATION SUBJECT TO CHANGE