

Fountain Valley High School  
Vocal Music Parent Association

**CRITERIA FOR TOUR ASSISTANCE**

**The following criteria will determine an 11<sup>th</sup> or 12<sup>th</sup> graders eligibility for assistance**  
*(typically students in auditioned choirs).*

1. Student must be a current member of an auditioned choir (LC, CC, TB).
2. Student must be junior or senior.
3. Student must have been a member of an auditioned choir for at least two (2) years (including present year).
4. Student must have participated consistently in previous tours and trips.
5. Student must have participated consistently in fundraising events offered through VMPA.
6. Student must have voiced the financial need and situation to the Director.
7. Student must be recommended to the Board for consideration by Director.
8. Student must have a family member who has actively participated in a leadership or other supporting role in VMPA activities.
9. The percentage of assistance will be determined by the Executive Board not to exceed 70% of the whole tour cost. The Board will make a decision for assistance to be offered on a case by case basis, based on input from the Director and a VMPA President.
10. Assistance is offered only as designated funds are available.
11. Student and their parents will meet with Director and VMPA President to discuss assistance plan and full confidentiality agreement.

**The following criteria will determine an 9<sup>th</sup> or 10<sup>th</sup> graders eligibility for assistance**  
*(typically students in entry level choirs).*

1. Student is committed to remaining in the Vocal Music Program for a minimum of three (3) years.
2. Student must be a current member of an entry level choir (BC, TV).
3. Student must be freshman or sophomore.
4. Student must have voiced the financial need and situation to the Director.
5. Student must be recommended to the Board for consideration by Director.
6. Student must have a family member who is actively participated in a leadership or other supporting role in VMPA activities (ushering, etc).
7. Assistance will be given in form of fundraiser matching (selected VMPA fundraisers only); recommendation to the Board will be made by Director and VMPA President; matching assistance will be determined at 20-30% by the Executive Board.
8. Total matching funds amount not to exceed 50% of whole trip cost.
9. Assistance is offered only as designated funds are available.
10. Student and their parents will meet with Director and VMPA President to discuss assistance plan and full confidentiality agreement.

***We have read the above criteria, accept the designated amount of assistance, agree to the conditions of confidentiality and will do our part to satisfy the remaining financial obligation.***

Student \_\_\_\_\_ Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent \_\_\_\_\_ Mr. Tison \_\_\_\_\_