

Grand Cities Children's Choir

THE BASICS

Boys & Girls

Grades 3 - 9

By audition

Rehearsals one
night each week

September - April

Thursday nights

Red River

High School

Fall & Spring

Concerts

Loads of fun!

Founded in 2002, the Grand Cities Children's Choir (GCCC) is a performance-based, music education program whose mission is *to offer young people of the greater Grand Forks area the experience of musical artistry and excellence through choral singing in a youth-centered atmosphere.* The GCCC program strives to create a spirit of community and understanding through the universal language of music. Therefore, all students are encouraged to participate regardless of ethnic, social or economic background.

GCCC is comprised of different performing groups selected to highlight the talents of their singers. This year, with a membership over 200 students, the program is operating with five performing choirs, each dedicated to excellence of musicianship by developing the skills available at varying levels of the students' musical learning. Membership in the program is by audition and offered to boys and girls in grades three through nine. All of the choirs rehearse one evening a week throughout the academic school year.

In addition to their performance groups, GCCC has a program for their 10 - 12 grade graduates. These older students serve as mentors or Grazioso Guidares (GGs), which is Italian for "gracious guide." These students spend numerous hours volunteering their time and talents to each of the choirs, while receiving training in leadership, personal development, and musical teaching techniques.

Call Melanie Popejoy at 746-2360 or
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for more information or to schedule an audition.

Fall Auditions
Sept 8, 9, 10
4:30 - 7:00 p.m.
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