



Acorn Choir Director

The mission of Raleigh Youth Choir is to provide a supportive and inclusive environment where young singers can grow as artists and individuals through the power of music. Our vision is to cultivate a lifelong love of choral singing in our youth, fostering creativity, collaboration, and community engagement.

The Acorn Choir is a beginner-level choir within Raleigh Youth Choir, specifically designed for young singers in grades K-2. This choir aims to introduce children to the joys of music and singing, building a strong foundation of vocal skills and musical understanding. Through fun and engaging rehearsals, the Acorn Choir nurtures the love of choral music in its youngest members, setting them on a path of musical exploration and growth within the organization.

Compensation

This position is a 10-month contract beginning August 1, 2024, and ending May 31, 2025. The director receives monthly payments of \$500.00 paid on the last business day of each month.

Acorns Director Duties

- 1) Be in attendance for weekly Acorn Singer rehearsals on Mondays from 4:30-6pm to be available to choir singers and parents and also make notes regarding the rehearsal progress of singers.
- 2) Collaborate with the artistic staff of the Raleigh Youth Choir to select choral music for the choirs and conduct performances.
- 3) Create communications to parents of choir members at least monthly using templates provided in the staff dashboard.
- 4) Assist in planning and leading a recruitment-driven singing experience/workshop for Elementary Singers - Raleigh Youth Choir Explosion Festival.
- 5) Prepare all Acorn Choir singers while working collaboratively with Oaks director to perform with confidence and musicality, and conduct them at select performances.
- 6) Attend all dress rehearsals as scheduled, and extra rehearsals as possible.
- 7) Align Sight Reading/methods(Takademi) with Page, Sibleys, Oaks and Acorns, etc

To apply, please send your Resume/CV and Cover Letter to:
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