

MMEA JUNIOR HIGH CHORAL DIVISION

2026-2027 Calendar

Event	Date	Location	Cost	Payable To:	Leadership:
JULY					
Opus Events open for all Honor Choirs	24th				All
MMEA JH All-State Honor Choir Audition Cuts announced	24th	https://www.msmea.org/junior-high-all-state-honor-choir			Mitchell Crawford & Calle Ellis
All-State Show Choir Registration Opens	27th	https://msacda.org/#events			Hannah Morris
AUGUST					
Conference Registration Opens	01st	https://www.msmea.org/conference	\$140	MMEA Convention Fund	Joel Hill
MS ACDA All-State Honor Show Choir Registration & Audition Window	03st-14th		\$15	MS ACDA	Hannah Morris
MHSAA / MMEA JH Fall Business Meeting	8th	MHSAA Building, 10:00 am	--	--	--
MMEA JH All-State Honor Choir Audition Window	13th-24th	Opus Events	\$15	--	Mitchell Crawford & Calle Ellis
MS ACDA All-State Honor Show Choir Adjudication Period	17th-28th				
MSU Colloquium Registration Deadline	31st	https://statesings.com/	\$65	Mississippi State University	
MS ACDA JH All-State Honor Show Choir Results posted	31st	---	--	----	Hannah Morris
MMEA JH Honor Choir Adjudication Window	29th-Sept 9th	Opus Events			
SEPTEMBER					
MSU Colloquium Late Registration Deadline	13th-14th	https://statesings.com/	\$65	Mississippi State University	
MHSAA Choral Director Registration, FORM 1	15th	REQUIRED: MUST	SUBMIT	TO	LeAnna Dawson
MS ACDA JH All-State Honor Show Choir Registration Due	14th		\$125		Hannah Morris
MMEA JH All-State Honor Choir Results posted	16th	Via Email	--	--	--
MMEA Secondary Choral Workshops - Southern	25th	Gulfport High School	\$25	MMEA	Daniel Comeaux
OCTOBER					
MS ACDA JH All-State Honor Show Choir Conference	1st-3rd	Biloxi High School	--	ACDA	Hannah Morris
Registration/Payment Deadline for Honor Choirs	12th	--	\$100	--	Mitchell Crawford
MSU Colloquium	13th-14th	https://statesings.com/	\$65		
NOVEMBER					
Riverland Choral Festival	6th-7th	www.riverlandchoralfestival.com	\$6 per student per ensemble	Pearl Singers	Andy Beasley
Mississippi ACA-Fest	12th-14th	PRCC			
ACDA-MMEA State Conference	16th-18th	Univ. of Southern Miss, Hattiesburg	\$140	MMEA Convention Fund	Joel Hill
MHSAA / MMEA JH Business Meeting	TBD	MMEA Convention			Lynn Holliman
DECEMBER					
MHSAA / MMEA Choral Art Festival APPROVAL APPLICATION DEADLINE - REQUIRED	01st	FORM 8 w/principal's signature	--	REQUIRED APPROVAL	Jana Smith

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JANUARY					
Mississippi Solo & Ensemble Performance Assessment - Northwest Site	15th	Northwest - Horn Lake High School			Holly Beck
MMEA SPA Registration Forms w/PO Due Date	15th	SPA Form, p32 w/Principal signature	--	MMEA	Lynn Holliman
MHSAA / MMEA Choral Art Festival REGISTRATION FORM & P.O. DUE DATE	22nd	FORM 9 w/principal's signature	\$5 per student, per ensemble	MHSAA	Jana Smith
MHSAA / MMEA JH Winter Business Meeting	23rd	MHSAA, 1:00 pm	--	--	Lynn Holliman
MHSAA / MMEA Choral Art Festival REGISTRATION FORM & P.O. DEADLINE	29th	FORM 9 w/principal's signature	\$5 per student, per ensemble	MHSAA	Jana Smith
FEBRUARY					
Ole Miss Treble Festival	1st	University of Mississippi, Oxford	\$40	Ole Miss Department of Choral Activities	Dr. Elizabeth Hearn
Mississippi Solo & Ensemble Performance Assessment - North, Central, South, & Virtual	5th	Northern - Tupelo High School	\$5	MMEA	Ariel Ray (North), Carol Joy Sparkman (Central), Daniel Vernon (South), & Callie Ellis (Virtual)
		Central - Mississippi College			
		Southern - Gulfport High School			
		Virtual			
Una Voce / Bella Voce Festival	5-6th	Belhaven University	\$60.00	----	----
MHSAA / MMEA Choral Art Festival PAYMENT DUE DATE - REQUIRED	12th	---	\$5 per student, per ensemble	PAID IN FULL PRIOR TO EVENT	Jana Smith
MHSAA / MMEA Choral Art Festival SCHEDULE RELEASED	12th	COMPLETE	YOUR	TRANSPORTATION	PAPERWORK
MHSAA / MMEA Choral Art Festival PAYMENT DEADLINE - REQUIRED	19th	---	--	PAID IN FULL PRIOR TO EVENT	Jana Smith
MARCH					
MMEA JH Southern State Performance Assessment	9th	PRCC	\$6 per student, per ensemble	MMEA	Lynn Holliman & District Chairs
MHSAA / MMEA Choral Art Festival	23rd	Ridgeland High School		MHSAA	Jana Smith, Mitchell Crawford & Callie Ellis
MMEA JH Northern State Performance Assessment	24th-25th	Choctaw Co. High School	\$6 per student, per ensemble	MMEA	Callie Ellis & District Chairs
APRIL					
Spirit of Southern Invitational	03rd	USM - Mannoni PAC	\$300 per group		Dr. Jonathan Kilgore
MMEA JH Central State Performance Assessment	5th-6th	Ridgeland High School	\$6 per student, per ensemble	MMEA	Mitchell Crawford & District Chairs
(William) Carey Honor Choir	TBD	William Carey University	--	----	---
Bluff City Choral Festival	17th	Maples Memorial UMC - Olive Branch			Holly Beck
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MS ACDA Summer Conference	7th-9th	University of Mississippi, Oxford	--	--	--