HEBRON HS A CAPPELLA & BELLE CHANSON CONTRACT 2019-2020

The Hebron High School A cappella Choir is the most elite choral group which represents Hebron High School. The Harmony Show Choir is comprised of A cappella Choir members who work outside the school day to rehearse and perform with singing and dancing. Belle Chanson is the auditioned junior varsity women's group. The only non-auditioned choir at HHS is Concert Choir.

The **A cappella Choir** is the varsity mixed choir which moves at a very fast pace while maintaining good vocal production. Members of this choir must audition in the Region 2 All-State audition process in the Fall and sing at the solo and ensemble and UIL contests in the Spring. Members are also required to sing at the HHS Homecoming football game during the Fall semester and at the HHS graduation ceremony held at the Coliseum at UNT on May 23, 2020 at 10:00 am. This choir represents HHS by singing at various school (including the National Anthem at HHS Volleyball games) and civic events as well as <u>performing at the LISD Solo and Ensemble Contest</u> in the spring. Other concerts or special performances may be added to the calendar with directors giving at least a two-week notification to parents and student members. Members will be expected to attend all A cappella performances. Students must be able to maintain passing grades for all four nine week grading periods in order to participate in the upper level choir.

Belle Chanson (French for beautiful song) is the select treble chorus of Hebron High School. These ladies are selected at the spring audition. Belle Chanson members are strongly encouraged to audition in the Region 2 All-State process in the Fall <u>but must participate in the LISD Solo and Ensemble Contest in spring</u>. As the choir grows, Belle Chanson will take on more school and community singing engagements. Right now, we are already singing the National Anthem at Hebron basketball games.

Because of the sequential and compound learning and preparation that is obviously used in these groups, it is of paramount importance that members actively participate in both semesters of the school year. (In extreme cases, both counselor and director will allow that a Belle Chanson/A cappella member miss a nine weeks of choir). Lack of commitment to a full year enrollment may jeopardize membership in the auditioned groups.

I, understand my responsibility to the elite c groups of Hebron High School for which I am auditioning and will uphold its standards are requirements for membership.	
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Parent printed name	
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