

GRADE 5-8 CHORAL CONDUCTOR OPENING FOR THE 2023-2024 SEASON!

Phoenix Children's Chorus is a dynamic and rapidly expanding organization comprised of over 350 children in K – 12^{th} grade in eight different ensembles. Our season typically runs from August through May. Information about the Phoenix Children's Chorus including our mission, history, programs, and curriculum can be found at phoenixchildrenschorus.org

We will be interviewing for the *Canto Conductor* position for our *Premier Program* downtown located at Central United Methodist Church (1875 N Central Ave, Phoenix, Arizona 85004).

Part-Time Contractor position involving:

- Conducting Canto training middle school treble choir
- 1.5 hours of weekly rehearsal time (Tuesday nights, accompanist provided for all rehearsals)
- Two (2) 30-minute music literacy classes following rehearsal
- 6 Saturdays rehearsals (3 Fall / 3 Spring) followed by team meeting
- Weekend Camp in Prescott for 3 days in late August
- 4 PCC mainstage concerts and some single choir performances
- In-state daytrip annually (April)
- Fall/Midseason/Spring Auditions

All candidates should possess:

- experience teaching choir/singing to grades 5-8
- engaging teaching/rehearsal skills that will inspire young singers
- ability to demonstrate and teach healthy, age-appropriate vocal technique
- strong knowledge of music literacy and related pedagogy
- ability to interact positively with children, parents, and the public
- ability to thrive both independently and as a member of a team

Highly qualified candidates may possess:

- a degree in music education, choral conducting, etc.
- Kodály training and/or certification
- familiarity with Solfege and Takadimi Counting System

Phoenix Children's Chorus is deeply committed to the principles of equity, diversity, and inclusiveness and seeks to create a diverse community of team members, choristers, and families.

Compensation is approximately \$11,000-13,000 per season based on events worked

Interested candidates should email letter of intent and resume to troymeeker@pcchorus.org by March 17.

Virtual interviews will be held on March 27-28 in the afternoon/evening

Rehearsal conducting for finalists to be scheduled on April 9