COLLIN COLLEGE

DIVISION OF FINE ARTS

COURSE SYLLABUS

Course Information

Course Number: MUEN 1151

Course Title: ~~Chamber Singers~~ A Capella Pop Group

Course Description: ~~A select audition-only vocal ensemble. Repertoire includes madrigals and choral literature appropriate for the smaller ensemble.~~ Vocal ensemble. Additionally, this is a study and performance of accompanied and *a cappella* vocal music including contemporary pop and jazz repertoire for various sized groups and voice combinations. There may be several performances on and off campus each semester. ~~This group may have an annual tour.~~ ~~Audition required.~~

Course Credit Hours: 1
Lab Hours: 3

Prerequisite: Audition

Student Learning Outcomes: Upon successful completion of this course, students will be able to do the following:

- Use effective oral, written, or visual means to communicate the differences in style of the assigned repertoire.
- Demonstrate critical thinking by correlating the assigned repertoire with the style period from which it originates.
- Demonstrate accurate pitch and rhythm within the performance of the repertoire.
- Demonstrate teamwork and rehearsal skills to include ensemble precision, intonation, sound, and style.
- Show social responsibility through public performances of assigned repertoire.
- Demonstrate appropriate etiquette for live performance.
- ~~Demonstrate your knowledge of the genre you are singing~~
- ~~Develop a method for practicing and learning your vocal part outside of class~~
- ~~Demonstrate music theory and sightreading skills by reading the music~~
- ~~Demonstrate balance and blending within your selecton and with group as a whole at performances~~
- ~~Demonstrate performance skills and etiquette while working in a large ensemble~~
- ~~Performing solos at the concert when these opportunities are available~~

~~Interviews with students will be conducted to set goals for the semester. Midterm and Final will be an evaluation of goals to see if they have been met.~~

Withdrawal Policy: See the current *Collin Registration Guide* for last day to withdraw.

Collin College Academic Policies: See the current *Collin Student Handbook*

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