

**Generation Connection Application
Lapeer County Concert Choir**

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Applicant's Name _____ Date _____

Sponsor's Name _____

Applicant Information

Current School _____ Age _____ Grade _____

Relationship to sponsor _____

List current musical experiences (private lessons, music ensembles, and performance opportunities)

Why are you interested in singing with the Lapeer County Concert Choir?

_____ Yes, I acknowledge there is a two-rehearsal probationary period to verify my participation in the choir is beneficial to both myself and the choir.

_____ Yes, I understand I will have the same musical expectations as the members of the choir to prepare for and attend weekly rehearsals, choir retreat, and concerts.

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Generation Connection Expectations Lapeer County Concert Choir

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- Meet the minimum age and grade requirement of 13 years old and/or eighth grade.
- Be sponsored and mentored by an active member of the Lapeer County Concert Choir.
- Be a proficient music reader.
- Be actively involved in age appropriate musical experiences such as private lessons, choir, band, or church opportunities.
- Have an interest in participating at a higher level of musical expectations in a community choir.
- Have the emotional maturity to function in an adult environment.
- Adhere to the same guidelines and expectations for all choir members, as outlined in the choir handbook, including preparation for and attendance at weekly rehearsals, Saturday choir retreat, and concerts. It will be the responsibility of the sponsor/mentor that the youth member will understand and adhere to these guidelines and expectations.
- There would be a two-rehearsal probationary period to verify this opportunity is mutually beneficial for both the applicant and the choir.
- The applicant would complete a vocal interview with the music director for the choir.