WHS Vocal Music Costumes

The WHS Vocal Music Department follows the school dress code and strives to maintain a conservative, professional look in class and at every concert. Please read through the class(es) you are participating in and take note what is expected from each choir. Costumes will not be approved if they do not comply with the following guidelines.

No revealing necklines	No sagging pants
Dresses & Skirts to the knee	No bare mid-drifts
No thin straps on shirts, tanks or dresses	No short shorts
No see-through clothing	No clothing which exposes undergarments

Concert Chorale*

Women

- Women will be fitted for their dress during the first weeks of school. Those interested in purchasing
 their own new dress will provide a check for \$66 made payable to WHS. Those interested in renting a
 dress will provide a check for \$25 made payable to WHS. If you plan on remaining in the Vocal Music
 Department, we recommend purchasing your dress.
- Women are asked to wear black, closed toe shoes. Shoes can be flat or with a low heel. If not already owned, these can be purchased inexpensively at stores like Target or Walmart.
- All ladies will also need to wear skin colored tights (we suggest you purchase more than one pair to cover last minute emergencies).
- Students will also need to purchase the following lipstick to be worn at all performances: *RIMMEL LONDON Lasting Finish Matte by Kate Moss* – Shade 107 – available for purchase at Target, Walmart, or you may purchase from the Vocal Music Department for \$8.
- Pearls will be provided by the Vocal Music department for each performance.

Concert Chorale*

Men

- Men will be wearing tuxedoes when they perform in concerts and festivals. For those who are in need
 of a tux (which includes a tux coat, shirt with lay down collar, dress pants, dress shoes and bow tie), we
 will be having Friar Tux come into class during the first weeks of school for fittings. Those interested in
 purchasing a tux will provide a check for \$175 made payable to WHS. Men interested in renting a tux
 will provide a check for \$25 made payable to WHS. If you plan on remaining in the Vocal Music
 Department, we recommend purchasing your tux.
- Men will also need long black socks. Short socks or socks with writing or patterns are not permitted.

Bel Canto*

Women will be fitted for their dress during the first weeks of school. Those interested in purchasing their own new dress will provide a check for \$66 made payable to WHS. Those interested in renting a dress will provide a check for \$25 made payable to WHS. If you plan on remaining in the Vocal Music Department, we recommend purchasing your dress.

- Women are asked to purchase black character shoes with a 1.5" heel. They cost about \$30 and can be found online on Amazon or at Discount Dance in Tustin and Mission Viejo (discountdance.com). Please mention WHS Vocal Music Department when you order.
- All ladies will also need to wear skin colored tights (we suggest you purchase more than one pair to cover last minute emergencies).
- Students will also need to purchase the following lipstick to be worn at all performances: *RIMMEL* LONDON Lasting Finish Matte by Kate Moss – Shade 107 – available for purchase at Target, Walmart, or you may purchase from the Vocal Music Department for \$7.
- Pearls will be provided by the Vocal Music department for each performance.

Chamber Singers*

Women

- Women will be fitted for their dress during the first weeks of school. Those interested in purchasing their own new dress will provide a check for **\$66 made payable to WHS**. Those interested in renting a dress will provide a check for \$25 made payable to WHS. If you plan on remaining in the Vocal Music Department, we recommend purchasing your dress.
- Women are asked to purchase black character shoes with a 1.5" heel. They cost about \$30 and can be found online on Amazon or at Discount Dance in Tustin and Mission Viejo (discountdance.com). Please mention WHS Vocal Music Department when you order.
- All ladies will also need to wear skin colored tights (we suggest you purchase more than one pair to cover last minute emergencies).
- Students will also need to purchase the following lipstick to be worn at all performances: *RIMMEL LONDON Lasting Finish Matte by Kate Moss* – Shade 107 – available for purchase at Target, Walmart, or you may purchase from the Vocal Music Department for \$7.
- Pearls will be provided by the Vocal Music department for each performance.

Men

- Men will be wearing tuxedoes when they perform in concerts and festivals. For students who are in need of a tux (which includes a tux coat, shirt, pants, dress shoes and bow tie), we will be having Friar Tux come into class during the first weeks of school for fittings. Those interested in purchasing a tux will provide a check for \$175 made payable to WHS. Men interested in renting a tux will provide a check for \$25 made payable to WHS.
- Men will also need long black socks. Short socks or socks with writing or patterns are not permitted.

Entertainers*

Women

- Women are asked to purchase one of the following:
 - A knee length black conservative A-line dress. The hem of a knee length dress will be touching the knee (see examples below). Please no skinny straps, revealing necklines or sheer fabric.
 - A black conservative jumpsuit (see examples below). Please no skinny straps, revealing necklines or sheer fabric.
- Women are also asked to purchase black character shoes with a 1.5" heel. They cost about \$30 and can be found online on Amazon or at Discount Dance in Tustin and Mission Viejo (discountdance.com).
 Please mention WHS Vocal Music Department when you order.

- Women will also need a gold accent to wear (something larger than just a thin gold chain).
- All ladies will also need to wear skin colored tights (we suggest you purchase more than one pair to cover last minute emergencies).
- Students will also need to purchase the following lipstick to be worn at all performances: *RIMMEL LONDON Lasting Finish Matte by Kate Moss* Shade 107 available for purchase at Target, Walmart, or you may purchase from the Vocal Music Department for \$7.
- There will be a costume check during the first few weeks of school.

Men

- Men are asked to wear a black, collared, long sleeve, button down shirt, black belt, black dress pants, long black socks (without writing or patterns) and nice black dress shoes.
- There will be a costume check during the first few weeks of school
- We ask that you purchase a gold tie from the department for \$10

RELENTLESS*

Women

- Women are asked to purchase one of the following:
 - A knee length black conservative A-line dress. The hem of a knee length dress will be touching the knee (see examples below). Please no thin straps, revealing necklines or sheer fabric.
 - A black conservative jumpsuit (see examples below). Please no thin straps, revealing necklines or sheer fabric.
- Women are also asked to purchase black character shoes with a 1.5" heel. They cost about \$30 and can be found online or at Discount Dance in Tustin and Mission Viejo (discountdance.com). Please mention WHS Vocal Music Department when you order.
- Women will also need a silver accent to wear (this needs to be larger than a thin silver chain).
- All ladies will also need to wear sheer, skin colored tights (we suggest you purchase more than one pair to cover last minute emergencies).
- Students will also need to purchase the following lipstick to be worn at all performances: *RIMMEL LONDON Lasting Finish Matte by Kate Moss* – Shade 107 – available for purchase at Target, Walmart, or you may purchase from the Vocal Music Department for \$7.
- There will be a costume check during the first few weeks of school.

Men

- Men are asked to wear a black, collared, long sleeve, button down shirt (with black buttons), black belt, black dress pants, long black socks (without writing or patterns) and nice black dress shoes.
- There will be a costume check during the first few weeks of school
- We ask that men purchase a silver tie from the department for \$10

Entertainer & Relentless Women Example:



* No student shall be denied the opportunity to participate in the program due to financial reasons. If you are in need of assistance, please contact Mr. Blaney (robblaney@iusd.org) for information.