

# MUSIC 2020

## Ensemble Auditions

### **Concert Bands**

#### Wind Ensemble and Symphonic Band

Auditions for Wind Ensemble and Symphonic Band will be virtual this year. Your audition will be a video of yourself, to be recorded on a smartphone, performing each of the required pieces. Auditions usually take place on the first day of classes, so this year your audition video will be due by 9:00 PM on Monday, August 31. Please contact Dr. Hile (ofc: 630-617-3520 or [james.hile@elmhurst.edu](mailto:james.hile@elmhurst.edu)) for further specific audition information. If you intend to perform in a concert band this semester but have not yet completed the information form, please go to the following link:

<https://goo.gl/forms/1TCwERfOuhe31hSy2>

### **Choirs**

#### Concert Choir, Chamber Singers, and Women's Chorus

Choirs Informational Meeting via Zoom: Mon 8/31 2:10-2:40pm

Choral Clinic via Zoom: Mon, 8/31 2:40-3:10pm

One Individual Audition 9/1 thru 9/4 (No callbacks this year)

Audition Materials, Sign-up Information, Zoom links: [www.tinyurl.com/EUChoirs](http://www.tinyurl.com/EUChoirs)

Questions? Contact [sarah.catt@elmhurst.edu](mailto:sarah.catt@elmhurst.edu)

### **Orchestra**

#### Philharmonic Orchestra

Orchestra seating auditions will be held in-person at Room 41 on Tuesday, September 1 starting at 7pm. Students MUST wear facial masks the entire time they are in the room.

Please contact Professor Matsunaga at [taka.matsunaga@elmhurst.edu](mailto:taka.matsunaga@elmhurst.edu) for additional information and times.

### **Jazz Auditions**

#### Big Bands, Combos, Electric Guitar Ensembles, Vocal Jazz Rhythm Sections

Auditions will be held Monday afternoon, August 31. A sign-up spreadsheet with time slots will soon be available, and auditions will be held live over Zoom. There will be a prepared piece, improvisation, and sight reading. Audition materials will be provided. Questions contact Doug Beach [Dougb@elmhurst.edu](mailto:Dougb@elmhurst.edu) or 630-617-3518

### **Vocal Jazz**

#### Late Night Blues and Blue

Vocal Jazz (Late Night Blues & Blue) Informational Meeting via Zoom: Mon 8/31 2:10-2:40pm

Vocal Jazz Clinic via Zoom: Mon, 8/31 3:10-3:40pm

One Individual Audition on either 9/1 -OR- 9/3 (No callbacks this year)

Audition Materials, Sign-up Information, Zoom links: [www.tinyurl.com/EUVocalJazz](http://www.tinyurl.com/EUVocalJazz)

Questions? Contact [Gayle.Bisesi@Elmhurst.edu](mailto:Gayle.Bisesi@Elmhurst.edu)

### **Classical Guitar Ensemble**

Classical Guitar Ensemble will be doing the auditions via Zoom or Facetime

Contact Steve Suvada at [Steve.suvada@elmhurst.edu](mailto:Steve.suvada@elmhurst.edu) for additional information.