



Rackham Choir High School
Vocal Internship Program
Auditions for the
August 2020 - May 2021 Season

The Rackham Choir High School Vocal Internship Program is designed to support students with exceptional vocal talent and commitment who are entering their sophomore, junior, or senior year of high school in fall 2020 and who plan to study music in college. Rackham Choir high school vocal interns

- Receive a scholarship to partially fund private vocal instruction with an approved instructor
- Enjoy full membership in **Rackham Choir** with dues waived for the 2020-2021 season:
- Receive coaching in vocal literature with Maestro Acton and collaborative pianist Joseph Jackson in preparation for college auditions and master classes
- Perform in a master class with professional artists serving as clinicians
- Be a featured soloist in a spring concert showcasing the RSC High School Vocal Interns

To be considered for an internship, the student must

- Be in good academic standing
- Provide a recommendation by a school choral director, vocal teacher, principal, or counselor.
- Complete and return the enclosed application and letter of recommendation prior to August 1, 2020 along with a **video-taped** recording of yourself singing two contrasting musical selections—any genre of classical music appropriate for young voices is acceptable. Selections must be memorized.

Applications and letters of recommendation should be sent to administration@rackhamchoir.org. Video recordings should be uploaded here <https://www.dropbox.com/request/Z4WFudIcHklH8ot6PcjL>.

Finalists will be invited to do a final audition via Zoom.

Rackham Choir

High School Vocal Internship Program Application

- Eligible candidates must be high school students (min. age 10th grade) for the 2020-21 school year, in good standing.
- All candidates will be required to audition and should prepare two songs of their choice. See audition info flyer for more details.
- Selected interns will be required to attend all rehearsals.
- Submit a recommendation by school choral director, principal, or counselor - mailed directly to Rackham by writer.
- Submit completed application via email (preferred) administration@rackhamchoir.org, or mail to Rackham Choir, P.O. Box 36788, Grosse Pointe, MI 48236

Last Name	Middle Initial	First Name	Date
Street Address		City	
Student Cell Phone	Student Email	State	Zip
Parent Home	Parent Cell Phone	Parent Email	
Name of School		Name of Music Teacher	
Current Age	Grade in Fall 2019 <input type="checkbox"/> 10th <input type="checkbox"/> 11th <input type="checkbox"/> 12th	Voice Part <input type="checkbox"/> Soprano <input type="checkbox"/> Alto <input type="checkbox"/> Tenor <input type="checkbox"/> Bass	
How did you learn about this internship program?			
Describe your musical background, including any private vocal or instrumental study or ensemble experience (e.g. choir, band, orchestra).			
What are your college plans? Do you plan to study music in college?			
Briefly describe any past performance experiences you have had outside of music, including theatrical, forensics, etc.			
Tell us how you believe this internship will help you to achieve your goals.			
Tell us why you should be selected over other candidates for the internship.			
Student Signature			Date

Parental/Guardian Consent (Required if student is less than 18 years of age)

I, the undersigned, understand the goals of the program and permit my student to participate. I will do my best to ensure that if selected, my student will attend all rehearsals, events, lessons and programs. There are no fees for the program.

Parent or Guardian Signature	Date
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For more information about the choir, visit www.rackhamchoir.org.
Please direct questions regarding this program to administration@rackhamchoir.org or 313-404-0222.