

Northwest Girlchoir 2026-2027 Enrollment FAQs

1. Q: I have a 4th grader – should they register or request a voice placement?

A: It's up to you! If your young person has some musical background, especially instrumental experience, selecting a voice placement for Raku is appropriate but not required. If your young person is nervous about a voice placement, simply register for Yǒu Yì.

2. Q: Can we register for a portion of the year to try it out?

A: Community and friendship is built over time, and our musical curriculum unfolds over the course of a year. We encourage you to give us a year and see how much fun your child will have! Our tuition refund policy is [here](#).

3. Q: What is your attendance policy?

A: Growing musical skills and preparing for performances takes dedicated, repeated time together – just like a sports team. To that end, we ask that students in choirs that meet once per week have a maximum of two absences per concert cycle (roughly ten-twelve weeks of time) and students in choirs that meet twice per week have a maximum of five absences in order to sing on the corresponding concert. Students must attend the final tech rehearsal to participate in concerts.

4. Q: How do I apply for tuition assistance?

A: Simply fill out your choir enrollment form and check the box for “I will be applying for tuition assistance.” You'll then be sent a link to the tuition assistance application form. No need to pay or commit until you review and accept your tuition assistance offer.

5. Q: What do you mean by “gender expansive?”

A: Youth who are nonbinary or trans and sing in the treble range are welcome to join NWGC.

6. Q: When is the registration deadline?

A: The registration window for 2026-27 is from now until September 8, when rehearsals begin.

7. Q: What do adults do during weekly rehearsals?

A: Parents, caregivers, and supervised siblings are welcome to wait in the family lounge, which has free WiFi. Nearby shopping opportunities include Target, QFC, Sprouts, and Asian Family Market; North Acres Park has a delightful playground, and there's a pleasant 1-mile walking loop around Haller Lake.

8. Q: Are you accessible by public transit?

A: Yes! Take the light rail to Northgate, then connect to the 345 or 365 bus. Exit at Meridian Ave N & 120th St. We are a short two block walk from the bus stop.