



♪ Sing in Harmony National Children's Choir ♪
♪ 2024 Auditions Now Open! ♪

ABOUT THE CHOIR:

The Sing in Harmony National Children's choir started in 2022, and is conducted by Karina Erasmus, one of the judges from the popular Sing in Harmony Choir Competition, as well as the conductor of the world famous Tygerberg Children's Choir (Currently the second-best choir (Nr 2) choir in the world).

The Choir welcomes members from all 9 provinces across South Africa and wants to create a space where children from across the country will have the opportunity to become young ambassadors of South Africa as they perform nationally and internationally. The choir is very excited and blessed to have their first European tour planned for December 2023, where the choir will be performing with, and alongside, other European choirs.

As a national children's choir, the choir member will receive professional musical and singing tuition from voice coaches, as well as exposure and experience through performing alongside famous South African artists; to be a demonstration choir at choral workshops; on occasion they will have the opportunity to perform for television broadcasts; and to travel and represent South Africa abroad.

Sing in Harmony National Children's Choir wants to teach these highly talented choristers' self-discipline by studying their music from home and in groups, to inspire self-confidence by singing in front of large crowds and provide the opportunity to make new friends from across the country.

Above all, Sing in Harmony National Children's Choir is aiming to become a world class performing choir which will be incredibly beneficial for your child's personal development.

AUDITION DETAILS:

- Video and Online Auditions: Aspiring young choristers can submit a video of themselves singing a song of their choice. They have an option to apply by sending a WhatsApp Video directly to Karina Erasmus or to submit the video on our online audition link.
 - WhatsApp Details: 082 940 8579
 - Online Audition Link: <https://info.sihkinderkoor.co.za/audition/>
 - The deadline for video submissions is Wednesday 15 November.
- School Visits: If you have a group of children who wants to audition, please kindly reach out to info@sihkinderkoor.co.za, and we will assist in coordinating arrangements for auditions.

IMPORTANT DATES:

- First-round video and online auditions: The deadline for all choir audition submissions is Wednesday, 15 November.
- Invitation to the final physical rehearsal: Choristers who successfully pass the first round of video auditions will receive notifications and be invited to a physical rehearsal by Wednesday, November 15.
- Second Round Physical Auditions with Karina Erasmus: These will take place on Sunday, November 19, in the Pretoria area.

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TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

- The Sing in Harmony National Children's Choirs is for all children, boys and girls, aged 8 – 14.
- A choir member is expected to sing until the end of his/her Grade 8 year. This is essential for their musical development, to maintain the very high standards of the choir and the maintenance of a knowledgeable and experienced core group.
- There is a fee to join our choir, please enquire about the choir fees by contacting us on: info@sihkinderkoor.co.za
- Physical choir rehearsals take place once a month during the school term on a Saturday or Sunday from about 09h00 – 16h00 at a venue in Pretoria. Change in venues, dates and times will always be communicated in advance.
- Online rehearsals and choral homework will be given to the choristers on a weekly basis. It will be expected of choristers to do self-study of the material they receive at home, with the assistance of a dedicated voice coach.
- By submitting your audition video, you agree to abide by the rules and guidelines set forth.
- Participation in the choir is contingent upon successful audition results, and all decisions regarding choir membership are final.
- Choir members are expected to attend rehearsals regularly and participate actively in all choir activities and performances.
- Sing in Harmony reserves the right to make changes to the choir schedule, repertoire, and other details as needed, and members will be informed of any such changes in a timely manner.
- Choir members are expected to maintain a respectful and collaborative attitude toward fellow choristers and choir leadership.
- Sing in Harmony may record and use audio/video recordings or photographs of choir performances for promotional and educational purposes.
- By participating in our choir, you grant permission for your contact information to be used for choir-related communication and updates.
- If you have any questions or need assistance with the submission process, feel free to reach out to us on info@sihkinderkoor.co.za

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