***BMMS Chorus Grading Rubric***

This is designed to help answer questions you might have about how grades are determined for your child in chorus.

Here are the percentages that each category is calculated:

Mouth position 20%, Posture 20%, Focus/Participation 35%, Concerts /Rehearsals 25%.

 *If a student has a grade in any category lower than a 95,* it means that they are not participating in that category at the expected level and may also have a behavioral issue such as talking during class that interferes with their ability to participate at the expected level.

***Every student is capable of having and should have a grade higher than 95.***

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| Grade |  |
| A | 100 - 95 reflects that your student is making an effort and progress in that category. 94-90 reflects that they are showing some off task behavior such as not participating or talking a few times a day.  |
| B | 89-85 reflects that your student is off task or talking 25% of each class period. 84-80 reflects that your student is off task or talking 35% of each class period. |
| C | 79-75 reflects that your student is off task or talking 40% of each class period. 74-71 reflects that your student is off task or talking 45% of each class period. |
| D | 70- reflects that your student is off task or talking 50% of each class period. |
| F | 69 or below reflects that your student is off task or talking **more than half** the time each class period. |