

**BREVARD COMMUNITY CHORUS  
REHEARSAL/PERFORMANCE TIPS**

1. Bring a pencil to each rehearsal.
2. Come to rehearsal even if you feel “poorly” or have a “scratchy throat,” unless you are contagious.
3. Sign the attendance sheet prior to ALL rehearsals and concerts.
4. Warm-ups will begin promptly at 7:00 P.M. Please be in your seat and ready to sign so as to start rehearsal on time.
5. Avoid perfume, cologne, or other scents—but do use deodorant.
6. So as to start each rehearsal in a positive manner, please avoid the discussion of negative or controversial issues prior to rehearsal.
7. To disrupt as little rehearsal as possible, please give all announcements, in writing, to the Brevard Community Chorus President (Kim Sellers).
8. Hold music away from your body as to see both your music and the conductor. Keep your eyes on the conductor at all times! Hold your shoulders back and down for the best vocal result.
9. Avoid any discussion while on stage. Do not sing along with soloists or verbalize any critique of orchestra, soloists, etc.
10. Do not applaud while on the stage as a performer.
11. Turn in your music as directed following each performance.
12. Read everything in this handout and your syllabus carefully, especially those areas regarding attendance and concert dress.