

ESCONDIDO CHORAL ARTS

Position: Center Children's Chorus Rehearsal Assistant

Classification: Outside Labor, 1099 Withholding Exempt

Paid Position. \$150/ Mo. **Months Worked:** Sept-June **Approx. Hours:** 66

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Program and Position Description: The Center Children's Chorus Assistant Conductor

will assist in rehearsal management of Escondido Choral Arts' Center Children's Chorus in a program that provides youth ages 8-14 with an opportunity to learn vocal training, music theory and part-singing. Performances are scheduled for at least two to three times a year at the Center for the Arts, Escondido, as well as other community venues including opportunities to sing with the Center Chorale and in Choral Festivals.

II. POSITION RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Assist in rehearsal set-up and organization for the choir for the 2025-26 Choral Season beginning **Sept. 8, 2025**.
- Rehearsals to be Mondays from 4:00-5:15 PM at the California Center for the Arts, Escondido, Conference Center. Set-up required starting at 3:15 each Monday
- Assist teaching musicianship, vocal technique, musical concepts, leadership skills
- Concert assistance 4 times (dates below)

III. QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE EXPECTED (not required):

- Some musical and organizational experience
- Possible degree and/or Kodaly training
- Experience in music education

IV. 2025-2026 SEASON CONCERT DATES:

- Thanksgiving Music Event: Thursday, Nov. 20, 2025
- Holiday Music at the Center: Sat. Dec. 6, 2025 2:00-4:00 PM
- America's Anniversary Concert: Sat. March 28, 2026 2:00 PM
- The Lord of the Rings Symphony with Center Chorale: Sun. June 14, 2026 3:00 PM