

**OLLI Chorus Syllabus**  
**Fall 2019**


Wednesday 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM  
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CLASS DATE	LESSON PLANS
Sept. 18, 2019	<b>Today's Topic: OLLI Chorus Documentary</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Housekeeping details, attendance and announcements</li><li>2. Determining singers' voice classifications: Sopranos, Altos and Baritones</li><li>3. Section assignments</li><li>4. Physical warm-ups</li><li>5. Vocal warm-ups</li><li>6. Songs: Baby It's Cold Outside, Everywhere Christmas Tonight</li><li>7. Choral Singing/Rehearsal</li></ol>
Sept. 25, 2019	<b>Today's Topic: Posture and Breath Management</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Physical warm-ups</li><li>2. Vocal warm-ups</li><li>3. Song selection</li><li>4. Choral Singing/Rehearsal</li></ol>
Oct. 2, 2019	<b>Today's Topic: Vocal Placement and Resonators</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Physical warm-ups</li><li>2. Vocal warm-ups</li><li>3. Song selection</li><li>4. Choral Singing/Rehearsal</li></ol>
Oct. 9, 2019	<b>Today's Topic: Vowel Formation and Articulators: The 6 Basic Vowel Sounds</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Physical warm-ups</li><li>2. Vocal warm-ups</li><li>3. Song selection</li><li>4. Choral Singing/Rehearsal</li></ol>
Oct. 16, 2019	<b>Today's Topic: Diction</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Physical warm-ups</li><li>2. Vocal warm-ups</li><li>3. Song selection</li><li>4. Choral Singing/Rehearsal</li></ol>

Oct. 23, 2019	<b>Today's Topic: The Voice as an Instrument and Maintaining Your Vocal Health</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Physical warm-ups</li> <li>2. Vocal warm-ups</li> <li>3. Song selection</li> <li>4. Choral Singing/Rehearsal</li> </ol>
Oct. 30, 2019	<b>Today's Topic: What About Vibrato?</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Physical warm-ups</li> <li>2. Vocal warm-ups</li> <li>3. Song selection</li> <li>4. Choral Singing/Rehearsal</li> </ol>
Nov. 6, 2019	<b>Today's Topic: Singing on the Same Page</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Physical warm-ups</li> <li>2. Vocal warm-ups</li> <li>3. Song selection</li> <li>4. Choral Singing/Rehearsal</li> </ol>
Nov. 13, 2019	<b>Today's Topic: Any Questions?</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Physical warm-ups</li> <li>2. Vocal warm-ups</li> <li>3. Song selection</li> <li>4. Choral Singing/Rehearsal</li> </ol>
Nov. 20, 2019	<b>Today's Topic: Rehearse/Rehearse/Rehearse</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Physical warm-ups</li> <li>2. Vocal warm-ups</li> <li>3. Performance Prep</li> </ol>
Nov. 27, 2019	<b>Today's Topic: Rehearse/Rehearse/Rehearse</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Physical warm-ups</li> <li>2. Vocal warm-ups</li> <li>3. Performance Prep</li> </ol>
Dec. 4, 2019	<b>Today's Topic: Rehearse/Rehearse/Rehearse</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Physical warm-ups</li> <li>2. Vocal warm-ups</li> <li>3. Performance Prep</li> </ol>
Dec. 11, 2019 	<b>Today's Topic: Pulling the Audience into the Music at Tonight's Performance</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Physical warm-ups</li> <li>• Vocal warm-ups</li> <li>• "Dress Rehearsal"</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;"> <b>OLLI CHORUS PRESENTS</b>  <b>A CELEBRATION OF THE SEASON</b> </p>