



Seattle Girls' Choir Overview information for consideration www.seattlegirlschoir.org

Founded in 1982 and currently under the artistic direction of Jacob Winkler, Seattle Girls' Choir provides a robust education in the choral arts, helping girls build skills to succeed in life, and enriching the cultural landscape of the Pacific Northwest. Prime Voci is our senior level choir and in 2016 we will have 30 girls in the choir anticipating touring the Baltic region. Over half of these girls have been studying with Seattle Girls' Choir for 8 or more years illustrating the level of commitment they have for their choral education.

Prime Voci competed in the 2014 Kathaumixw Choral Competition in Canada and the chamber ensemble won first place in their category. In 2015 they traveled to Portland State University in order to work directly with composers Ethan Sperry and Joan Szymko in order to experience rehearsing a piece directly with the composer. Prime Voci regularly collaborates with other arts organizations in the Seattle area. We are dedicated to providing the choir with rich opportunities to perform, collaborate, learn, travel, and make lovely music. We appreciate your consideration as we plan our trip for the summer of 2016.



Seattle, Washington



Seattle is a port city and the largest city in Washington State, located in the northwest corner of the United States, which has a stunning variety of scenic beauty. There are both rocky and sandy beaches found at the coast of the Pacific Ocean which leads in to temperate rain forests, old growth forests and two towering snowcapped mountain ranges. Once you cross those mountains the topography changes and you'll find large rivers and arid deserts. The Puget Sound is an arm of the Pacific Ocean that reaches down in to the northwestern area of Washington state and where you can find the city of Seattle.

Seattle has a reputation for heavy coffee consumption; several coffee companies have been founded in Seattle including Starbucks. In addition to being a port city we support a strong technology industry which includes headquarters for Microsoft, Amazon.com, and Nintendo. Aerospace manufacturer Boeing began in the Seattle area and we are now seeing significant growth in the new biotechnology industry.