



# MONTGOMERY YOUTH ORCHESTRA

## Facts About MYO Participation For New Youth Orchestra Parents

The Montgomery Youth Orchestra (MYO) rehearses on Saturdays from 9:45 a.m. until noon at Eastmont Baptist Church, 4505 Atlanta Highway, unless otherwise announced. The group normally performs at least two concerts each season. Membership is open without fee to area students who are selected by audition. Our affiliation with the Alabama Orchestra Association enables MYO members to audition for All-State Orchestra.

The church is not affiliated with the Montgomery Symphony League or the Montgomery Youth Orchestra other than graciously donating rehearsal space. Please do not call the church with any questions or seeking information. Please direct those questions to Mrs. Collins or Mrs. Rawls.

Your involvement and support are important to the success of the MYO. Your most important role is to make sure that your child attends regularly and is on time! We also ask that ACT and SAT testing not be scheduled on the December concert date. We also can use your help when we serve lunch to the students just before the holiday concert, during auditions and before concerts. Please email Robin Rawls, MYO Manager, at [rdrawls@charter.net](mailto:rdrawls@charter.net) if you can volunteer to help.

There is no fee to participate. However, MYO parents are encouraged to join the Montgomery Symphony League (our sponsor) and to attend Montgomery Symphony Orchestra concerts with their children. For information on the League or to purchase Symphony tickets, call 334.240.4004.

The Montgomery Symphony League offers scholarships for students ages 14 to 18 to help promote your child's growth as a musician. Please ask your child to watch for details that will be provided at rehearsal and discuss this program with your child in plenty of time to submit applications before the specified deadlines.

We look forward to another great season!

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