

Attendance Addendum for the 2020-2021 Season

Due to the unexpected nature of COVID-19, WYSO will allow certain exceptions to the attendance policy due to COVID-19 and its impact.

If a member stays or is sent home because they have COVID-19 symptoms or are diagnosed with COVID-19, these absences will not count against the allowable number of absences for the current concert cycle. In the case WYSO provides an option for online participation, a member will be expected to participate if they are physically well enough.

SAT/ACT testing rescheduled as a result of Spring 2020 cancellations because of COVID-19 will not count against the allowable number of absences for the Fall 2020 concert cycle. Winter 2021 and Spring 2021 concert cycle testing will count as an absence at this time. WYSO will revisit this policy if COVID-19 cancels fall testing.

In the case a member must miss in-person or online rehearsals for an extended period of time, the conductor and Executive Director will discuss if the member is prepared enough to participate in any upcoming performances whether live, streamed or recorded. Even if the absences do not count toward the allowable absences, the conductor and Executive Director can use their discretion to determine if a member is prepared enough to best contribute to the ensemble's performance.

Please direct any questions regarding attendance to wyso@wysomusic.org or call (608) 733-6283 ex. 7.