

GRACE CHAPEL AUDITION INFORMATION

AUDITION

Once you submit the audition form, someone from our team will contact you to arrange an audition time. We will let you know prior to the rehearsal about the song(s) for your audition. Usually we ask that you learn one to three songs from the set list for that particular weekend.

Auditions are, by nature, a little intimidating. We will try to make the process as relaxed as possible. In some cases, it may be evident that an applicant's skills have not developed enough to serve on a regularly scheduled basis. Should this be the case, those involved in the audition will give some advice on how the applicant can improve. After some time and practice another audition would be scheduled.

Step 1: Determine dates to attend 2 rehearsals to observe both the stage and tech booth

- Introductions to the team
- Introductions of our rehearsal and service preparation process

Step 2: Attend and participate in 2 rehearsals

- Help with instrument set-up or other equipment as needed
- Learn and help with in-ear monitors
- Instrument-specifics expectations
 - Vocals: Lead song or harmonize
 - Stringed instrument: Any lead or rhythm parts expected
 - Drums: Start song and keep band on click

Step 3: After the 2nd rehearsal, an audition will consist of playing or singing two songs for a small group of worship team members and leadership. One of these will represent the instrument being auditioned. The two songs will be provided ahead of time. The potential team member will discuss their musical history a little more with the members present.

FOLLOW-UP

Following the audition process, worship staff/leadership will evaluate the audition and give recommendation for next steps.

1. If it is determined the individual is ready to join the team, worship staff will schedule them in the next month or earliest possible date based on availability. The new team member will provide information regarding availability and be introduced to Planning Center Online.
2. If the individual is not quite ready to join a team, worship staff will share with them ways to continue to develop their skills. For example attend and observe rehearsals, other possible areas to serve, and/or suggestions to improve skill.