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South High School choir to perform at Carnegie Hall

Approximately 50 students from the South High School Festival Choir will perform at New York City's Carnegie Hall, 2 p.m., April 27, 2008. The students will sing as part of the Masterworks Festival Chorus - Faure Requiem.

To prepare for the performance, the students have been practicing for three months. They will sing the Requiem Mass by Faure' under the direction of Dr. Anton Armstrong. Dr. Armstrong is the world renowned conductor of the St. Olaf Choir in Minnesota

This is the third time that South High School has sent a choir to one of the nation's premier concert halls. They have also performed in New York City's Cathedral Church of St. John the Divine, London's, St. Paul's' Cathedral and St. Martin in the Fields and York Minster Cathedral in York.

This year the students will also visit the Statute of Liberty, the Metropolitan Museum of Art and attend the Broadway musicals Mary Poppins and The Phantom of the Opera.

The South High School music program is led by Wayne Genova.