



Course Choices

Select **one** of the following courses by **circling** your choice on the **Application Form**.

Song Leading (men only) - Four levels of instruction are offered to men. Each student will be grouped with other students of similar ability and experience from beginning novices to advanced students. Each level will emphasize those principles and exercises selected from the following areas that are suitable to that level of ability and experience:

Rhythm and Pitch - The fundamentals of music will be taught including note values, time signatures, beating of time, the musical staff, keys, scales, shape notes and using a pitch pipe.

Sight Singing - Students will be taught the principles of singing unfamiliar songs by sight using exercises and drills.

Voice Training - The student will be taught some basic points to improve both the quality and power of his voice.

New Songs - Many new songs will be learned. Each student should be able to teach some new songs to his congregation.

Song Worship Preparation - Each student will be taught how to prepare an effective song worship service. Emphasis will be placed upon the purpose and meaning of worship, types of songs, the interpretation of songs, and the use of various rhythms and keys.

Sight Singing (men and women) - An advanced sight singing course by R. J. Stevens and Richard Morrison is offered to men and women. Students should already be familiar with the fundamentals of music. The sol-fa method of sight singing will be used.

Hymn Writing (men and women) - This workshop, led by Craig Roberts, analyzes successful congregational hymns (hymns are words) and presents a method for writing them. It requires participation in both daytime and evenings, and it is open to men and women. The workshop addresses music as it affects the hymn but does not include formal music instruction.

Women's Music Course (women only) - A five day (mornings only) course is offered for women in the fundamentals of music and sight singing. A period of time during each class will be devoted to learning new children's songs. Glenda Schales instructs this class.

Application Form (For New Applicants – One Family Per Form) Detach and Mail - Address On Other Side

Name _____

First Last

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (_____) _____ Sex (M / F) Age _____

Email: _____ D.O.B. _____

Are you enrolling as a student ? Yes? ___ No? ___

For Students - Circle 1 Course Choice

Song Leading • Sight Singing • Hymn Writing • Women's Music

1st Time Student? (Yes / No) # Years Completed _____

Additional Students in the Same Family

(Circle the Relationship to the 1st Student and 1 Course Choice)

Name _____ Age _____

Wife? / Husband? / Son? / Daughter? / Father? / Mother? / Other?

Email: _____ D.O.B. _____

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1st Time Student? (Yes / No) # Years Completed _____

Name _____ Age _____

Wife? / Husband? / Son? / Daughter? / Father? / Mother? / Other?

Email: _____ D.O.B. _____

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Additional Non-Students In/With Your Family

Name _____ Age _____

Wife? / Husband? / Son? / Daughter? / Father? / Mother? / Other?

Email: _____ D.O.B. _____

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We are pleased to invite you to the 2008 Singing School in Wilburton, Oklahoma. R.J. Stevens, director and founder of Singing School, along with Dane Shepard, Tim Stevens, and John Kilgore will give instruction in singing and song leading skills. Our mission is to create a unique learning environment for song leaders to advance their skills and understanding of effective song worship while enjoying the fellowship of other Christians dedicated to the same goal.

Date: July 19-July 26, 2008 (Saturday p.m. to Saturday a.m.)

Location: Eastern Oklahoma State College
1301 West Main, Wilburton, OK 74578
Phone - (918) 465-2361

Student Eligibility: Men - 16 years and older
Women - all ages

Tuition-Men: Song Leading•Sight Singing•Hymn Writing

\$150 - 1st Student

\$130 - Each add'l. student in the same household

Women: Sight Singing •Hymn Writing

\$150 - 1st Student

\$130 - Each add'l. student in the same household

Women Only:

\$ 70 - Women's Music Course

Lodging:

◆ **Room and Board** - Dormitory and Cafeteria, Eastern Oklahoma State College (Includes a room, **Saturday night through Friday night**, and 3 meals a day, Sunday supper through Saturday breakfast).

\$260 per week - per person, single occupancy

\$190 per week - per person, double occupancy

\$145 per week - per child, 10 years and younger, in a bed in parents' room.

\$100 per week - per child, 10 years and younger, on a floor mattress in parents' room.

◆ **Dorms Open - 4:00 p.m., Saturday, July 19, 2008**
Dorms Close - 10:00 a.m., Saturday, July 26, 2008

Off Campus: Motels - Make your own reservations.
RV's - There are campgrounds in the area.

Registration: Saturday - 4:00 to 8:00 p.m., July 19, 2008
Sunday - 1:30 to 3:30 p.m., July 20, 2008

Reservations: The Application Form and the full amount due should be mailed as soon as possible to ensure a place. All fees for tuition and dorm lodging must be paid by **July 1, 2008**. All fees are refundable if we are notified by **July 1, 2008**. After **July 1, 2008**, a \$50 cancellation fee may be retained and the balance refunded.

I want a room and board reservation. Yes? ___ No? ___
(If yes, complete the following.)

College Room & Board Reservation:

\$260 per person - single occupancy, 1 person per room*

*We do have limited space, so we want to utilize every bed available to us. We are asking that you make every effort to room with someone, if possible.

\$190 per person - double occupancy, 2 persons per room

Note: Each room has two single beds.

Children: (10 years and younger in parents' room)

\$145 per child - Bed

\$100 per child - Floor Mattress (2 per room maximum)

Rooming Requests: _____

If under 18 years old, attending without parents, please name adult person responsible for you: _____

Write in name(s)	Circle your Choice(s) Single or Double
Room/Board:	
1st Person _____	\$260 or \$190
Spouse _____	\$260 or \$190
Other family members:	
_____	\$260 or \$190
_____	\$260 or \$190
_____	\$260 or \$190
_____	\$260 or \$190
Children (10 yrs. and younger):	Floor Mattress or Bed
_____	\$100 or \$145
_____	\$100 or \$145
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_____	\$100 or \$145

Total People: ___ Total Room/Board: \$ _____

Tuition: 1st Student @ \$ 150 \$ _____
_____ Add'l. Students @ \$ 130 \$ _____
_____ Women's Course @ \$ 70 \$ _____

TOTAL OF ALL FEES DUE \$ _____

Your Check # _____

All fees must be paid by July 1, 2008

Make checks payable to:
Singing School

Mail completed form to:
**Singing School
P.O. Box 333**

Alief, TX 77411-0333

The information you provide for the dormitory room and board reservation will help us do our part in making the Singing School a pleasant and enjoyable week for you and your family. We make every effort to meet the special needs of those who may require first floor access, rooms near other family members, etc. We do have limited space, so please return your Application Form as soon as possible. If all spaces are full when we receive your application, you will be placed on a waiting list. Please feel free to copy this brochure if you need additional application forms for students or non-students.

Single Rooms: We do have limited space, so we want to utilize every bed available to us. We are asking that you make every effort to room with someone if possible.

Saturday Night Rooms: All rooms will be ready for your arrival from 4:00 p.m. Saturday, July 19. Those arriving on Sunday should plan to arrive by 2:00 p.m.

First Meal: Sunday supper will be the first meal served in the cafeteria.

Conduct: All persons will be expected to conduct themselves in harmony with the principles of Christ.

Non-Students In/With Your Family and Guests: All non-students must come with an adult student family who is responsible for them and their daily activities. Several of the song leading classes and some activities are open to all family members and guests at no charge.

Loans: Limited scholarship funds are available to needy students. Also, interest-free loans up to the full cost of tuition, room and board are available upon request. All loans must be repaid by October 1 of the school year. Contact us for details.



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www.singsingschool.net



Singing School

Directed by
R.J. Stevens

Instruction in...

- ◆ **Song Worship**
- ◆ **Song Leading**
- ◆ **Sight Singing**
- ◆ **Hymn Writing**

**Wilburton, Oklahoma
July 19—26, 2008**