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### McAuley Student Sings Downstate

Mother McAuley junior Megan Walsh (Alsip) spent the weekend singing her heart out at the All-State Festival in Peoria, Illinois. The festival is sponsored by the Illinois Music Educators Association. Megan was first selected as a member of the Illinois District 1 Chorus and then called back for the state chorus.

After receiving the traditional cart ride down the halls of McAuley with her classmates cheering her on, Megan traveled with her Chorus director, Mrs. Carrie Alifantis to Peoria for the All-State festival

Megan worked with Mr. Rollo Dilworth, the director of the All-State Chorus and the music director at North Park College in Chicago. "He taught me so many great new techniques that made our long rehearsals so worthwhile", said Megan.

To end this exciting weekend the group performed in a big concert, showcasing the All-State Orchestra, Chorus and Band.

At McAuley, Megan sings with A Cappella Chorus and Chorus III.



Megan Walsh with her Chorus III director Mrs. Carrie Alifanits and A Cappella Director Mrs. Julie Wogan.