



WOH News

Application/Permission Slip

Grade 5

We are taking applications for next year's News Team. We are looking for interested fifth graders to be on the team next year. It is a big responsibility and a lot of fun!

Requirements:

- **Crewmembers must be able to be in the TV studio by 8:15 A.M. every day that their team is on duty.**
- *Consistent tardiness or absence will be grounds for removal from the team. As with all teams, each member is important.*
- Rehearsal starts at 8:25 a.m. sharp.
- They need to attend all planning/organizational meetings. This may entail *giving up recess time.*
- There will be a training meeting prior to the first day of school, probably the same day as Open House 2018. If you will not be able to attend this training meeting, please let me know.

You must have your teacher's recommendation and your parent/guardian's permission.

- The Crew includes 3 camera people, 2 technicians, 1 teleprompter, 2 directors, 6 Talent to include 1 weather person, 1 sports announcer, a puppet voice, a puppeteer and 2 anchors.
- There are 10 positions behind the scenes and 4 positions in front of the camera. Jobs are rotated within the different job groups.

**Starred positions require an audition.*

***Talent: Anchor, Weather person, Sports announcer, Owl voice**

Reads announcements on camera, presents the weather, sports, and historical facts. Strong reading skills are required for these positions.

Director: Works the video mixer, cues the anchor, keeps the show running smoothly. *Must be able to lead and direct others in a positive way. (Requires interview)*

Teleprompter operator: Runs the teleprompter & keeps the text running smoothly for the anchors. This job sets the pace of the show.

Technician: Works with the audio mixer, music, owl and anything else that comes up.

Camera: Operates the cameras and the visualizer, (a flatbed camera).

 Each student will be assigned to 2 teams if possible to allow them a variety of jobs.

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Name _____

Teacher Signature _____

I am applying for the position of _____

My second choice is _____

My third choice is _____

The starred * positions require an audition.

Explain briefly why you would like to participate in the News Show and why you would like the position you have chosen.

I have read the information and requirements for WOH News and would like to apply for a position. I realize that I may not get the position I have applied for. If I do not get the position I applied for: (Please, check one of the options below.)

1. I would like to be on the team anyway _____
2. If I am not selected for one of the positions I have applied for I do not want to be on the team. _____

I understand that if selected I must have permission from my Parent/Guardian and Teacher in order to participate. This application is due to Mrs. Bailey in the library by **Monday, May 14, 2018**

Student Signature _____

I, _____ the

parent/guardian of _____

give my permission for my son/daughter to participate in the WOH News program during the 2018-2019 school year.