

MISSION AVE. PTA – ALL SCHOOL MUSICAL

Parent Participation Agreement

I/We, _____, understand that the participation of my/our family in Mission Ave. PTA's All-School musical theater production is voluntary and a privilege. In order to provide a positive learning experience for all our students, it requires everyone's cooperation and participation.

Print Adult Name

I wish to have the following student/s participate in the musical:

NAME

GRADE

_____	_____
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_____	_____

To help ensure a successful production I/We agree to:

- Ensure that my student/s is/are at rehearsal on time, prepared to learn, including with a snack if they need it.
- Let our Scene Leader know in a timely way (via text, email, or phone), if my student/s will miss a rehearsal. However, I understand that missing multiple rehearsals (there are only 10 scheduled) jeopardizes the continuity of the scene/musical number and I will strive to have my student/s in rehearsal regularly.
- Arrange for my student/s to be picked up within 15 minutes of the published rehearsal ending time. I understand that I may be charged \$5.00 for every 5 minutes past this time that a Production Team member waits with my child.
- Keep my student/s out of rehearsal if they are ill.
- Commit my family to providing a minimum of **8 hours** of volunteer labor over the course of the production of the musical (10 weeks.) I understand that these hours can serve as part of my family's Mission Parent Hours contribution.
- Commit my family to participating in at least **4 hours** of the scheduled Tech Work day.
- Choose my volunteer tasks via the online volunteer sign up and log my volunteer time as accurately as possible to help inform future musical production teams as to what it really takes to put on the show.
- Remain positive and defer to the Production Team (Directors, Scene Leaders, etc.) at all times in regard to casting, solo assignments and dance leads. If for some reason my student/s has/have been assigned a role they are not comfortable doing, I/we will help my/our student approach the relevant Production Team member to work out a solution together.
- Help my student understand that participation in the Musical is a privilege and that poor behavior choices* may result in my/our student's removal – not only from the rehearsal or activity, but from the whole show. I/We understand that Production Team members will always

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discuss problematic behavior issues with me/us prior to any action being taken. Student/s will be given two opportunities to improve their behavior, however if a third behavior occurs, Student/s will be removed from the musical program. 1st behavior: Warning & call home; 2nd behavior: Warning & call home and parent must pick up student/s from activity; 3rd behavior: Call home, pick up by parent and dismissal from the musical program. I/We understand that Production Team members will use their behavior management strategies with students before initiating behavior warnings, and that the goal is to help students grow and learn proper behavior in a group artistic setting.

*Should student/s be removed from the musical due to repeated poor behavior/conduct there will be no refund of part or all of my/our Participation Fee.

- Ask for a refund within the first three (3) rehearsals, if my student/s decides they don't want to participate. I understand that after the first three (3) rehearsals the Participation Fee will not be refunded.
- Emphasize to my student/s that musical theater takes hard work, but if they practice at home and are committed at rehearsal they'll find it is engaging and fun.
- Commit my family to providing at least one food, beverage or decoration item for the cast party. Specific items being requested will be provided to the Musical families by the Cast Party committee as we get closer to the party date.
- Have my child ready and on-time to performances.

Agreed to by: *(all parents/guardians should read and sign):*

Parent 1: _____

Date _____

Parent 2: _____

Date _____