

Guidelines for the 2019 Bethke Talent Show:

- *The talent show is limited to 3rd, 4th and 5th grade students only.
- *Each act is limited to two (2) minutes.
- *The deadline for applications is strictly enforced. No applications will be accepted after the deadline. The deadline for applications is: **FRIDAY, NOV. 16, 2018.**
- *Applications must be filled out in their entirety or they will not be accepted. Each applicant must list their act, song choice, etc. For example, if an applicant states that they are going to 'sing a song,' we must have that song choice on the application.
- *If a participant is using a song with lyrics, a copy of those lyrics must be attached to the application so that the committee can review them to be sure they are acceptable for school. Please help your child with song selection.
- *Participants for the talent show will have to undergo an audition. This audition will take place during their specials class on a date (t.b.a.) prior to the winter break. Students will audition in front of students in their own grade level. Specials teachers will score the auditions using a rubric.
- *So as not to have a show weighted heavily with any one type of act (pianists, singers, dancers, etc.), we will choose a pre-determined number of acts from each genre. We will determine this number after receiving all the applications. For example, if we decide to choose five pianists, then only the five top-scoring pianists from the auditions will be chosen to participate in the show in January (please note that this number is just an example). **It is important to communicate to your child that not every act will be chosen for the show.**

As we strive to *Honor All Learners* at Bethke, we have found that this model truly honors the talents of many of our children. If a student is not able to participate in the talent show, he or she can still be honored by performing for his or her classmates during weekly music specials (i.e. "Music Show-and-Tell"). Mrs. Adams always welcomes students to play an instrument or sing for their class.

If your child would like to apply and audition for this year's talent show, applications will be available in the front office and in the music classroom starting on October 1st. Applications will also be available at that time on the music website (www.aadamsmusic.weebly.com). **All applications will be due to Mrs. Adams on or before Friday, November 16th.**

The show will take place on Thursday, Jan. 24th at 2:00 and 6:30 p.m.

If an application is turned in, but not completed, it will be returned to the student so that he/she can complete it. The completed form must still be turned in by the deadline.

Auditions will take place during the school day prior to the winter break. Students will be given plenty of notice of the audition date. All students will find out the results of the audition prior to the holiday break.

We are looking forward to a great talent show. We have so many talented kiddos at Bethke. If you have any questions, please direct those to Mrs. Adams at aadams@psdschools.org. All decisions about the talent show are determined by the talent show committee.

Application for the Bethke Talent Show

Name: _____ Teacher: _____

Parent/Guardian: _____ Phone #: _____

Parent email contact: _____

_____ I will be performing alone

_____ I will be performing with others (*each student must fill out their own form*)
(please list names and teachers of other students in your group)

Name: _____ Teacher: _____

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Name: _____ Teacher: _____

***Please describe your act (be specific):**

***If using a song, what is its title?** _____
(please attach a copy of the lyrics to this application)

***Please list any other equipment you will need (including microphones, piano, chair, music stand, sound system, gymnastics mats, etc.):**

Bethke can provide a sound system and piano. We also have microphones, chairs and music stands. We do not have clip on microphones. If your child will be using a CD, please send a copy of that CD to Mrs. Adams so that she can load it on the iPod. Your child may use the CD for his or her audition. Your child may also bring music on a personal iPod for the audition.

_____ I promise to work hard to prepare for the Bethke
Student Signature Talent Show and to abide by all guidelines.

_____ My child has my permission to participate
Parent Signature in the 2019 Bethke Talent Show.

Date: _____

****Please fill out entirely, sign and return to Mrs. Adams on or before: FRIDAY, NOV. 16, 2018**.**