TECH CREW AUDITION FORM
Twinderella

******THIS FORM IS DUE TO MRS. GILLIS or MRS. OHNSORG by Monday, 14th at 3:00 pm.** If you are unable to return your form due to illness, you must have a parent/guardian contact us on or before September 14th at 4:30 pm otherwise we will have already cast the show. sohnsorg@isd271.org or lgillis@isd271.org

NAME: _____GRADE:_____ Advisory Teacher: _____

STUDENT SCHOOL EMAIL: _____

NAME OF PARENTS/GUARDIANS: _____

HOME PHONE: _____

PARENT EMAIL: _____

WHAT IS TECH. CREW: Tech. Crew works behind the scenes for the OMS shows. All Tech. Crew members are expected to be present to help set up and take down each day in all areas.

I AM INTERESTED IN:** (please circle ***all that you are interested in)

Lights: (1-2 people) This person will be the person who will run the lights for the show.
Sound/Mics: (2-4 people) This person will be in charge of running the microphones and any special sound effects.
Backstage/Front of house Manager: (2-3 people) This person could be in charge of running curtains, backstage organization or calling cues by soundboard during the performances.
Spotlight: (2 people) This person will need to be in a lighting booth up high (not scared of heights). This person will need to be responsible (by themselves) and ready for lighting cues.
Sets: (8 - 15 people) These people will be helping move the sets on and off the stage or in the aisles during scene changes. They need to be reliable and be willing to work as a team.
Costumes/Makeup: (1-4 people). Help in finding and organizing costumes for the show and helping with makeup during the performances.
Props/Artistic: (3 - 8 people) Help in finding and organizing props for the show/Lobby Decorating

Media Crew: (8 - 15 people) These people will be helping create programs, tickets, flyers, Bio wall, lobby aesthetic and other items for the show. They need to be reliable and be willing to work as a team.

I would accept <u>any tech crew</u> role that I was given YES _____ / NO_____

*PLEASE LIST ANY PREVIOUS TECH CREW EXPERIENCES IN THE SPACE BELOW:

*Make sure you are not too busy!!! We are looking for students who are willing to make the Fall Show their **1st priority**. DO YOU HAVE ANY CONFLICTS THAT WOULD INTERFERE WITH REHEARSALS? (Please be specific. Ex: Piano lessons on Tuesdays from 3:30 - 4:30) Please know that if you make it into the Fall Show these (and only these) will be considered excused (medical and family will be excused with a parent email/phone/note). Any other absences will be unexcused. 3 unexcused absences will mean a meeting with the directors to discuss your continuation with the show. **LIST CONFLICTS IN THIS BLANK SPACE, BELOW.**

*IF I AM CHOSEN TO BE IN THE Fall Play *Twinderella*I WILL COMMIT TO BEING PRESENT AND ON-TIME FOR ALL REHEARSALS.
Rehearsals are Monday, Tuesday, Thursday from 2:45-4:15 pm. You may not be needed everyday.
A DETAILED rehearsal schedule will be passed out at the first rehearsal!

*I WILL COMMIT TO BEING AT **<u>ALL</u>** PERFORMANCES. ***Nov. 5th and 6th <u>I understand that if I cannot be at ALL of the performances, then I cannot be in the Fall Show</u>***

I understand the amount of work it takes to put on a show and am ready to be here when needed. I have listed all my conflicts and read all of the above information. I am ready to make the Fall Show my **1st priority** if chosen.

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(STUDENT SIGNATURE)

I have looked at my child's schedule and feel that they can make the Fall Show their **1st priority**. I understand the time commitment and have made sure that all conflicts have been recorded correctly.

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(PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE)

Students seeking to participate in Tech Crew will be required to:

1) **Write a short answer response**
2) **Fill out a tech crew form and have a parent signature.**

Here are five skills that are essential for OMS Tech Crew to possess:

- **Trustworthy: Directors need to trust that the tech crew will take proper care of the equipment, costumes, props and use each piece safely and correctly. They need to trust that any student who volunteers for a production will show up at their call time, ready to work.**
- **Works well independently: Directors need to be able to walk away and know that the students in charge complete their work without constant supervision (following script/cues, painting, pulling costumes, making props, etc).**
- **Team Player: Directors are looking for students who can support each other, cheer each other on, help each other out, and leave any personality conflicts outside of the auditorium. Working as a team to create a positive environment is key.**
- **Proactive: Directors are looking for students who can complete their task, see another task that needs to be done or a problem that needs to be solved, and complete that as well – without being asked.**
- **Patience: Directors are looking for students who understand that putting on a show is a process and downtime will happen. Students are able to wait patiently and behave appropriately.**

Short Answer response (Please respond on a separate sheet of paper and turn in with your audition form)

Knowing the expectation of Tech Crew, why do you feel that you should be picked to be a part of the OMS tech crew position.

***Cast and Tech Crew list will be posted on Tuesday, Sept. 15th. List can be found by the main office, doorway to the art hallway and 8th and 7th grade upper wing.**

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*****THE FIRST REHEARSAL WILL BE Tuesday, Sept. 15th FROM 2:45-4:15 pm. THE ENTIRE CAST AND CREW WILL NEED TO BE PRESENT TO RECEIVE A SCHEDULE OF REHEARSALS, SCRIPTS, AND OTHER INFORMATION.*****