

# MISSISSIPPI CHILDREN'S MUSEUM PRESIDENT'S CIRCLE

## PARTICIPANT APPLICATION *(submit immediately)*

### Participant Information

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ Gender M F

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

### Education Information:

School \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Level \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Point Average \_\_\_\_\_

Homeroom Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

Alternative cases (gifted, special ed. etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Extra-Curricular Activities \_\_\_\_\_

Awards Recognition \_\_\_\_\_

### Optional Information

Ethnic Background(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Communities you are a part of (racial, geographical, cultural) \_\_\_\_\_

Language(s) Spoken: English Spanish Other: \_\_\_\_\_

### Parent/Guardian Information

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Volunteer \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Language Spoken: English Spanish Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**I would like my child to participate in the MCM-PCI program:**

Participant Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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## PARENT COMMITMENT AND TRANSPORTATION FORM

\_\_\_\_\_ has my permission to participate in the Mississippi Children's Museum President's Circle (MCMPC) program.

- I understand I am responsible to arrange or provide transportation for my child to and from the program.
- I understand the program has many components including, but not limited to once a month cultural sessions, action team meetings, creating success initiative and the occasional special sessions.
- I agree to support my child's participation in all aspects of the (MCMPC) program.
- I will do my best to support the MCMPC program staff as they work on educational goals with my child.

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Print Parent/Guardian Name**

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**Parent/Guardian Signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date Signed**

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## STUDENT COMMITMENT FORM

I understand the program has weekly programming focusing on customer service, cultural diversity, and leadership sessions. I agree to participate fully in all aspects of the MCMPC program. If conflicts arise I will notify program staff immediately.

- I understand the program runs April 2020 with a graduation celebration April 2021. I agree to participate from April 2020 through April 2021.
- I agree to attend all activities with an open mind and work hard to make this program the best experience possible.
- I agree to follow the Codes of Behavior and Working Agreements set by our group.
- I agree to respect participants, staff and cultures.
- I agree to commit to set educational goals with MCMPC program staff.
- I understand I am responsible for keeping my parents informed about my transportation needs to and from the program.

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**Print Student Name**

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**Student's Signature**

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**Date Signed**



## RECOMMENDATION LETTER

All students who apply to the Mississippi Children's Museum President's Circle program are required to have a mentor, counselor, teacher, partner, advisory board member, or civic community leader to complete this letter of recommendation.

Please answer the following questions to the best of your knowledge.

Student Requesting Reference \_\_\_\_\_

Your Name \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

1. How long and in what capacity have you known this applicant? \_\_\_\_\_

2. How frequently are you in contact with this student?

\_\_\_ Almost daily    \_\_\_ Several times a month    \_\_\_ Less than one a month    \_\_\_ Other

3. Please describe the student's potential to be a leader.

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4. Please describe a time in which you have seen this person take on a leadership role.

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5. Please describe why this program will be beneficial to this student.

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Any additional comments?

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| <b>Please Rate this applicant on the following:</b> | <b>Above Average</b> | <b>Average</b> | <b>Below Average</b> | <b>Below Average</b> | <b>Unsure</b> |
|---|----------------------|----------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------|
| Ability to work with diverse groups                 |                      |                |                      |                      |               |
|   |                      |                |                      |                      |               |
| Respectful of others                                |                      |                |                      |                      |               |
|   |                      |                |                      |                      |               |
| Responsible   |                      |                |                      |                      |               |
|   |                      |                |                      |                      |               |
| Takes initiative                                    |                      |                |                      |                      |               |
|   |                      |                |                      |                      |               |
| Open to new experiences                             |                      |                |                      |                      |               |
|   |                      |                |                      |                      |               |
| Enthusiasm  |                      |                |                      |                      |               |
|   |                      |                |                      |                      |               |
| Emotional maturity                                  |                      |                |                      |                      |               |
|   |                      |                |                      |                      |               |
| Patience  |                      |                |                      |                      |               |
|   |                      |                |                      |                      |               |
| Friendliness  |                      |                |                      |                      |               |
|   |                      |                |                      |                      |               |
| Cooperative   |                      |                |                      |                      |               |
|   |                      |                |                      |                      |               |
| Ability to speak in front of groups                 |                      |                |                      |                      |               |
|   |                      |                |                      |                      |               |
| Ability to manage time                              |                      |                |                      |                      |               |
|   |                      |                |                      |                      |               |
| Ability to follow through on commitments            |                      |                |                      |                      |               |

Reference Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_