



Dear Students & Parents,

On **Thursday, February 29th**, we will present our annual Talent Show here at Manatee Elementary School! The show will be held at **5:00 p.m.** in the cafeteria. Dress rehearsals will be held after school from 2:30-4:00 on Monday, February 26th and Tuesday, February 27th. **Your child must be able to make ALL those dates.**

Permission slips will be available in the **Front Office, Music Room, Media Center, Mrs. Moss' & Mrs. Dribble's classrooms**, and **online for download** (via our school's website & Manatee Newsletters) January 11th – January 30th. Students must turn in a signed parent permission slip (and have media release on file to participate). **Permission slips must be turned in no later than 3pm on Tuesday, January 30th. Tryouts will be held on Thursday, February 1st, during the students' activity classes.** *(Students will be notified by Friday, February 2nd of their selection.)*

Please remember, your student's act needs to be no longer than 2 ½ minutes and your music/costume must be appropriate for a family show. All music must be on a **karaoke/instrumental USB** or performed live. **Vocal/singing must be performed with an instrumental track or accompaniment via USB drive. No standard CD tracks may be used because of mic/sound quality issues, and we will not allow students to play music off their phones to audition.** **Note: If your child is playing an instrument, they will need to provide their own instrument, with the exception of the piano. There will be a piano available in the music room and onstage for the show.*

If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Moss (moss.erin@brevardschools.org)

Good luck!



PARENTS AND GUARDIANS PLEASE READ BEFORE SIGNING!!

My child has permission to try out for the Talent Show on February 1st at Manatee Elementary. **I understand that my child's "act"** (including music/lyrics, costume, and/or dance) **must be deemed appropriate for this family event by the talent show committee.** I understand that music must be presented on a USB drive for auditions. I have reviewed and approved the music my child will use for the talent show tryouts **and I will provide a printed copy of the lyrics for auditions.** ***My child has a signed media release on file with the school.***

**Note: This form is not complete without the song name and artist/version listed.*

By signing this permission slip, you are agreeing to abide by all the talent show rules listed on this form.

Student's first/last name: _____ Grade: _____ Teacher _____

Act: (check one) song dance instrument comedy other (indicate below)

Title of song: _____ by/version: _____

Names of OTHER students who are members of act (ALL students must submit a signed parent permission slip in order to participate in tryouts and/or the talent show):

Parent's signature: _____ Date: _____

Reminder: Bring your karaoke/instrumental music on USB, PRINTED LYRICS, instrument, or props needed to school the day of tryouts! There will be NO alternate audition day if you forget! See you at tryouts, Thursday, February 1st!

