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2018 PBS KIDS Writers Contest Entry Form

We are switching to an online entry form. If possible, please complete it at idahoptv.org/writerscontest instead of using this form – thank you!!

Type or print legibly

Child's Name _____ Age _____

Child's Mailing Address _____

City/State/Zip _____ Home Phone (_____) _____

Circle Grade: Kindergarten 1st Grade 2nd Grade 3rd Grade Sex: F M

Title of Story _____

Number of words _____ Word count range: Grades K-1: minimum 50 words, maximum 200 words
(The word count includes "a," "an" & "the.") Grades 2-3: minimum 100 words, maximum 350 words

Number of illustrations _____ (minimum of 5)

Only one entry per child • Only single-author stories (no co-authors) • Story must be original work of the child • Original art can include drawings, collages, 3-D artwork and photos taken by the author • Story may be fact or fiction, prose or poetry • Use only one side of the paper • Number each page on the back • Text must be printed/written legibly or typed • Children who can't write may dictate their story to be printed or typed • Invented spelling is accepted • Story text may be on pages with illustrations or on separate pages • Non-English text must be translated into English text on the same page, and the translated English text must adhere to the word count • Word count includes "a," "an" and "the" but not words on non-story pages (e.g. title page) or those that enhance illustrations.

I acknowledge that I have read the Contest rules & regulations prior to signing this and that I understand the rules.

Required:

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Email Address: _____

Printed Name _____ Date _____

Mailing Address (if different than above): _____

City/State/Zip _____ Phone (_____) _____

Optional for educational information to Parent/Guardian named above

Yes / No (circle one) I am interested in learning more about educational activities and resources from Idaho Public Television

Optional for School-Related Entry: (Tip for teachers – fill this section out once then photocopy the form!)

Teacher Signature _____ Email address: _____

Printed Name _____

School Name _____

School Mailing Address _____

City/State/Zip _____ School Phone (_____) _____

Deadline for postmark or receipt of entries is:

DEADLINE: MARCH 31, 2018

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