



PTA Reflections How to Use the Consent Form

The use of the Consent Form is mandatory for the 2011-2012 program year. The information provided below offers guidance and provides clarification on its use.

Purpose: The purpose of the Consent Form is to ensure that the children, youth or adults included in Reflections entries, or the parents/guardians of those persons, are aware that their image or voice will be used in the artwork. It is also to help these individuals understand that the entry may be used by National PTA, may be judged at multiple levels, and may be displayed in a number of locations, both public and private.

Use of the Consent Form: The Consent Form should be used if a child or adult's recognizable image or voice is included in a Reflections entry. This means, any time there is use of a person's voice or an image of a person from which that person could be recognized, usually involving all or part of the face, then the Consent Form should be used. The form should be used for any person, regardless of age (child, youth or adult). The Consent Form should accompany the Student Entry Form along with the artwork. The use of the Consent Form is most applicable to entries in the Visual Arts, Photography, Film Production, Dance Choreography, and in the Musical Composition categories.

The Consent Form should be used when an entry features the voice of a person in a Reflections entry. This is most applicable to the Film Production and in the Musical Composition Categories.

Example: In the Film Production entry, "Prince Hamy Saves Beauty," a child's voice is used as a narrator and a child and adult are used as characters in the film. Thus the entry would require the use of a Consent Form for both children and the adult.

http://www.ptareflections.org/cs/program_gallery/division_winners?cat=6&div=intermediate

The Consent Form should also be used if an entry includes the recognizable image of a person. This is most applicable to the Visual Arts, Photography, Film Production, and Dance Choreography categories. If the image is of a person and is recognizable (including all or part of the person's face), then a Consent Form should be used.



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Consent Form**

Important note for Reflections Participants: This completed form must accompany the artwork submission and Student Entry Form if a person's recognizable image or voice is included in the submission. Signatures are required. If individual is under age eighteen, a parent or guardian must sign the form. **This form is required for the 2011-2012 program year.**

For Use of a Student's Image or Voice

I give my permission for my son/daughter, _____ (NAME), to participate in the taping, photographing, or audio recording of an entry in the PTA[®] ReflectionsSM Program. I give consent for the student's voice and or image to be included in the entry. This entry may be used an unlimited number of times in perpetuity in connection with the PTA Reflections Program or other National PTA purposes. I understand that entries may be judged at the local, regional, state, and national level. Entries may be displayed at a school or at another public area, including the Internet.

Name of student submitting the entry: _____

I have read and understand the rules of the Reflections Program.

Student Name

Parent/Guardian Printed Name

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

For Use of an Adult's Image or Voice

I am 18 years of age or older and I consent to participate in the taping, photographing, or audio recording of an entry in the PTA[®] ReflectionsSM entry.

This entry may be used an unlimited number of times in perpetuity in connection with the PTA Reflections Program or other National PTA purposes. I understand that entries may be judged at the local, regional, state, and national level. Entries may be displayed at a school or at another public area, including the Internet.

Name of Student Submitting the Entry: _____

Name of consenting adult: _____

Date

Signed: _____