



Peter Pan Jr. Spring 2024
Performer and Family Contract & Audition Form

Student First and Last Name _____ Grade: _____

Parent/Guardian 1 First and Last Name _____

Parent/Guardian 1 Phone Number _____

Parent/Guardian 1 Email _____

Parent/Guardian 2 First and Last Name _____

Parent/Guardian 2 Phone Number _____

Parent/Guardian 2 Email: _____

Emergency Name and Contact number: _____

Student T-Shirt Size: _____ Student Allergies: _____

ROLES AUDITIONING FOR
*(*listed in order of preference)*

1. _____ 2. _____

3. _____ 4. _____

5. _____ 6. _____

Are you willing to accept ANY role other than those listed above? YES _____ NO _____

- If NO is checked, please be advised your child might not be cast in the musical at all

IMPORTANT CONFLICTS!

Please list ANY/ALL dates that may conflict with Rehearsals, Tech Week and/or Performances, beginning November 29, 2023: Wednesdays 1:50-3:20 PM and/or Thursdays 1:50-3:20 PM, and some Tuesdays 1:50-3:20 PM; Tech Week (March 16 - March 20); Performances (March 21 - March 24, 2024)

1. _____ 2. _____

3. _____ 4. _____

We have read and understand the expectations listed on the Performer's contract as follows. By signing below, I/We agree to follow the rules and expectations required of my child as he/she participates in the LEAP Spring Musical and agree to help them understand these rules.

Performer's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian 1 Signature _____ Date: _____

In an effort to bring Arts Education to Leal Elementary, LEAP makes student participation in the Spring Musical production possible year after year. Please be advised that participation in this production of Peter Pan is strictly voluntary and though based at the school site, this production is not owned or administered by Leal Elementary. It is extremely important that you please take the time to read the following contract carefully along with your child, understand and explain the commitment to the production and initial where required

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1. We understand participation in the Spring Musical is a LEAP/Leal Elementary sponsored event and is an optional after-school, extra-curricular activity and not required by LEAL Elementary or any of their representatives.

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2. We understand that even though age, grade level, gender, ability and/or experience are suggested in the role description, final casting of the Spring Musical is based solely on the Directors' discretion. Any casting concerns should be addressed directly, in person, with the Directors and LEAP Board. We understand that if I am not happy with casting, I am free to decline the role my child has been offered **BEFORE** the first rehearsal.

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3. We understand that both performers and parents must be respectful and thoughtful of the fact that many children may not receive the role they audition for, and some children will not be cast in the Peter Pan production at all. We will be respectful of their feelings by appreciating the role I/my child am/is given, if any, and respect the Directors' choices.

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4. We understand that because my child is cast in a role, it does not make my child better than their peers and any other children cast in the production. Being cast in Peter Pan, does not grant the performer OR the parent, any special treatments or rights.

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5. We understand that participation in the Spring Musical is a privilege. Not one child is entitled to a role or guaranteed participation. The purpose of this program is to enhance Education NOT replace it. As such, the cast is required to prioritize school work, making sure homework is completed on time and attendance, school work and behavior are not affected. If a cast member is not performing as expected in the classroom, they may be dropped from the production in order to encourage improvement.

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6. We understand that LEAP and Leal Elementary are committed to making this program a positive, enjoyable experience where students will learn, grow and gain confidence on-stage. We commit to treat with kindness, courtesy and respect Directors, Parents, School Staff, Parent Volunteers and anyone involved in making this a successful program. **Parents who create a negative atmosphere after repeated warnings during Rehearsal, Tech Week, and Performances will not be tolerated and will be asked, along with their children, to leave the production based on the discretion of the Director and supervising staff. Zero tolerance for extreme behavior (bullying, physical violence, and inappropriate conduct).**

(_____) Initial & Parent Signature _____

7. **We understand that behavior at school is extremely important.** Peter Pan is a community theater style production based at our school site. In order to make this production successful, all performers are expected to behave and follow the Leal’s “*Respectful, Responsible & Safe*” motto at all times including Rehearsals, Tech Week and Performances. Cast members who choose to be disrespectful and ignore repeated requests (by any adult involved with the production) will be sent home early from rehearsal and ***may be dropped from the production if addressed behavior does not improve.*** LEAP encourages our students to participate and have fun while learning, however please keep in mind that unruly behavior affects the entire cast, not just one child.

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8. We commit to encourage the performer to practice their role and meet the “off book” deadlines. We understand that there will be 3-4 milestones of “off book” to meet during the duration of the production. This can be accomplished by making “Cue Cards” as well as other study tactics which will be explained by the Directors during the Mandatory Parent Meeting.

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9. We understand the cost associated with the production is **\$200 materials fee PER CHILD CAST IN THE PRODUCTION.** Costs included materials fee to cover 13 weeks of instruction in performing arts, royalties, facilities, supervision, show t-shirt, costumes, props, set pieces, mics, etc). **Fees are due no later than December 1, 2023.** We understand if payment is not received by the due date, LEAP reserves the right to drop the performer from the production. We also understand this fee is **NON-REFUNDABLE.**

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10. We understand that attendance to rehearsals is extremely important as the entire cast is affected by excessive absences. Please note there will be a **\$50.00 Rehearsal Deposit for each performer** that is required no later than December 1, 2023. Rehearsal Deposits will be forfeited if a performer has **2 UNEXCUSED ABSENCES**. We understand that if the performer has 2 or more unexcused absences from rehearsal, the performer WILL be dropped from their role and the production. If a conflict arises that we did NOT list on the audition form, we will contact the Directors as soon as we are aware of it. We understand the absence(s) will count as an Unexcused Absence(s). Failure to provide the Rehearsal Deposit will result in your child being dropped from the production.

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11. We understand that this production does not go on without help from parents. Please note a **\$50.00 per performer, Volunteer Deposit** is required no later than November 29, 2023. Deposit will be forfeited if volunteer hours are not fulfilled. Failure to pay the Volunteer Deposit will result in your child being dropped from the production. Volunteer opportunities include (but are not limited to): Load-in, decorations, costuming, props, ushers, dressing room chaperones, gift table, concessions, clean up/strike, etc.

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12. We understand that rehearsals will be ***Wednesdays (1:50 PM-3:20 PM) AND/OR Thursdays (1:50 PM-3:20 PM) and some Tuesdays as needed (1:50-3:20PM)***. We also understand there is no supervision past rehearsal end time and the parent must pick up the performer on time (or make arrangements). For the safety of our children, **ALL cast members are required to be signed out, in person, with Ms. Diane**. Furthermore, please be advised, a child will never be left alone in the front of the school to wait for a parent, grandparent, aunt, etc. alone, and a child will never be allowed to walk and get into a car parked at the curb. Ms Diane or LEAP Board members will wait with your child until you pick them up.

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13. We understand there will be a charge of **\$1.00 per minute for late pick-ups** after a 5-minute grace period based on the Leal's clock. Enforcement begins on our first rehearsal November 29, 2023. Payment for late pick-ups is due to the front office with the slip attached prior to the following rehearsal or your child will not be able to rehearse with the cast and will be sent home.

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14. We understand that there will be a small break between the end of school and the start of rehearsal on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays. Cast members are encouraged to use this break to either use the restroom or eat a snack (please ensure a snack is sent on rehearsal day in a separate bag marked "Rehearsal snack").

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15. We understand that in an effort to keep the MPR carpet and stage clean there is **NO FOOD/DRINKS allowed in the MPR. Bottled water ONLY please.** We will discuss this rule with the performer and ensure they understand why this rule is in place.

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16. **We understand that Auditions, Rehearsals and Tech Week Rehearsals are CLOSED TO PARENTS/GUARDIANS.** We will respect this request and wait outside and/or will inform those picking up my child to wait outside of the MPR (or Cerritos High School) until rehearsal is finished and performers are dismissed.

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17. We understand it is our responsibility to stay up to date with any/all information regarding the production by joining the BAND thread as ALL communication and updates will come via BAND. MANDATORY parent meetings will be scheduled prior to show dates to ensure all families have current information. *First Mandatory Parent meeting will be held on **Wednesday, November 29 @ 2:45PM** in the LEAL MPR.*

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18. We understand that in order to ensure my child's safety as well as that of the entire cast, it is my responsibility to provide LEAP any/all contact information for any/all parents and/or Guardians who will be picking up my child. LEAP strives to keep our cast members safe and our Directors and Ms Diane will only release the children to the approved parent/Guardians.

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19. We understand that there might be additional costs associated with the production that fall under my responsibility. Some of those costs include but are not limited to: (additional costume pieces, tickets, telegrams, concessions, etc). LEAP will make efforts to notify parents of any additional costs with as much notice as possible.

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20. We understand that each performer **MUST** provide: **BLACK JAZZ SHOES, BLACK or NUDE shorts and a NUDE tank-top (not white, black, green etc)** to be used as “under dressings.” This is mandatory for modesty, as all performers share one dressing room. If under dressings are not worn the performer will not be allowed to change into their costume and will not be allowed to go on stage. Performers will not be allowed to put their mics on without under dressings.

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21. We understand that Tech Week dates are **March 16 through March 20, 2024 at Cerritos High School (Brewer Theater)**. Tech Week is **MANDATORY FOR THE ENTIRE CAST, INCLUDING SATURDAY AND SUNDAY REHEARSALS**. We understand that ALL cast members are **REQUIRED** to attend every tech week rehearsal or the performer will be dropped from the production. We understand that it is **OUR** responsibility to arrange transportation to and from rehearsals at Cerritos High School during Tech Week. **EXTREMELY IMPORTANT: NO ABSENCES DURING TECH WEEK!!** In order to properly place actors in the right spots, it is **essential that ALL cast members attend EVERY TECH WEEK REHEARSALS**. We also understand that if my child misses a tech rehearsal, they run the risk of being dropped from the scene/song placed on the tech rehearsal missed.

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22. We understand that **Show dates are March 21, 22, 23 & 24 at Cerritos High School**. Attendance to all shows is **MANDATORY** for the entire cast. We also understand that my child is expected to arrive **ON TIME** and prepared for every show (make-up, under dressings, fed, etc.).

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23. We understand that **PHOTOGRAPHY and VIDEO** recording of Peter Pan is strictly **PROHIBITED** for all performances. We understand that it is **OUR** responsibility to inform and ensure family and friends adhere to this policy. Failure to comply with the Photo/Video Policy, can result in our show being canceled by the Royalty company and/or hefty fines incurred by the performer's family.

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24. **MEDIA RELEASE**: LEAP reserves the right to photograph and video record performers during rehearsals and performances. I/We hereby give permission to Leal Elementary School and LEAP, to use and reuse photos, video footage, news footage, and other media information of my/our child(ren).

(_____) **Initial**

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ **Date:** _____



- 1. Please make sure you have checked your calendar for conflicts.***
- 2. One form per student***
- 3. Please make sure the contract is initialed and form fully completed***
- 4. Incomplete forms will NOT be accepted and your child will not be able to audition (missing initials, signatures, roles, conflicts)***
- 5. Please ensure to provide payment for the following:***
 - \$200 - Costume/Materials Fee (Non-Refundable)***
 - \$50 - Rehearsal Deposit (1 Check)***
 - \$50 - Volunteer Deposit (1 Check)***
- 6. No form = No audition***