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Children's Television Programming Report

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General Information

Section	Question	Response
Attachments	Are attachments (other than associated schedules) being filed with this application?	No

Applicant
Information

Applicant Name, Type, and Contact Information

Applicant	Address	Phone	Email	Applicant Type
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(1)

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Children's
Television
Information

Section	Question	Response
Station Type	Station Type	Network Affiliation
	Affiliated network	NBC
	Nielsen DMA	El Paso (Las Cruces)
	Web Home Page Address	www.elpasoproud.com

Digital Core
Programming

Question	Response
State the average number of hours of Core Programming per week broadcast by the station on its main program stream	2.9
State the average number of hours per week of free over-the-air digital video programming broadcast by the station on other than its main program stream	168.0
State the average number of hours per week of Core Programming broadcast by the station on other than its main program stream. See 47 C.F.R. Section 73.671:	3.0
Does the Licensee provide information identifying each Core Program aired on its station, including an indication of the target child audience, to publishers of program guides as required by 47 C.F.R. Section 73.673?	Yes
Does the Licensee certify that at least 50% of the Core Programming counted toward meeting the additional programming guideline (applied to free video programming aired on other than the main Yes No program stream) did not consist of program episodes that had already aired within the previous seven days either on the station's main program stream or on another of the station's free digital program streams?	Yes

Digital Core
Programs(7)

Digital Core Program (1 of 7)	Response
Program Title	Ruff Ruff Tweet & Dave
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 9:00am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	12
Total times aired	12
Number of Preemptions	1
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	1
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	0
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	2 years to 5 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Is a preschool adventure/activity show where the lead characters travel to faraway lands to have adventures with their guide, a hamster named Hatty. Ruff Ruff, the dog, is the most playful of the three; Tweet is a little bird who loves to fly and get creative with her suggestions; and Dave the Panda has a thing for bananas. RRTD might go to the beach, or the mountains, or to strange lands with pillows everywhere; just the sort of place where imagination and logic come together. The settings are always brightly colored and beautiful. And their transport vehicles are Roly-pods, artful go-carts that fit on a spiral ramp that folds in and out of the Spin-Again, a colorful round spinning top with special compartments designed to anchor each vehicle right on the outside rim during the journey
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E /I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (2 of 7)	Response
Program Title	Astroblast
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 9:30am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	12
Total times aired	13
Number of Preemptions	1
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	1
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	1
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	2 years to 5 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Based on the book series "Astroblast!" by author and illustrator Bob Kolar, is set on a space station in an unknown solar system. The station is populated by five animal characters and one 3-eyed octopus of unknown derivation. Each episode begins with an everyday conversation or incident that grows into a predicament of some sort needing a solution. While these predicaments take place on a space station populated by animal characters and aliens from different galaxies, the issues and resolutions resonate for a preschool audience. Through comedy and zippy action, our target audience sees how the characters learn lessons for practical living such as how to: keep track of things that belong to you, practice good habits, clean up a space when you've made a mess, rebound from a failure or embarrassing incident, or resist the urge to blame others for your mistakes.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Digital Preemption Programs #1

Questions	Response
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Title of Program	Astroblast
List date and time rescheduled	06/04/2016 04:00 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2016-06-04
Episode #	EATBR123DH
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Core Program (3 of 7)	Response
Program Title	Noodle & Doodle
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 10:30am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	6
Total times aired	13
Number of Preemptions	7
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	7
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	7
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	2 years to 5 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Is a show featuring the importance of health, fitness, and being good friends. Set in a fantasy world known as Lazy Town, which is populated by inactive residents, we meet a visitor named Stephanie who is determined to coax her friends and relatives into adopting a healthful, active life style. She wins over her new friends, Ziggy, Stingy, Trixie and Pixel, convincing them to leave their gaming consoles and candy stashes at home so they can go outside and play. She persuades her uncle, Mayor Milford Meanswell, and his friend Ms. Busy Body to support her efforts. Robbie Rotten, who lives underground, and is determined to return Lazy Town to its former state of inactivity and quiet, constantly foils the characters' efforts. The athlete Sportacus, who lives in a zeppelin-like aircraft and receives signals from the kids or the Mayor whenever they need help, frequently comes to their rescue. Sportacus has two goals, to keep the peace and to promote healthful, positive living. When Robbie Rotten is discovered and contained through comic pratfalls, he returns to his underground lair and all is well in Lazy Town, until another day and another time when Robbie will rise again

Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes
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Digital Preemption Programs #1

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Noodle & Doodle
List date and time rescheduled	04/02/2016 07:30 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2016-04-02
Episode #	ENADR101DH
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Preemption Programs #2

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Doodle & Noodle
List date and time rescheduled	04/09/2016 07:30 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2016-04-09
Episode #	ENADR102DH
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Preemption Programs #3

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Noodle & Doodle
List date and time rescheduled	04/16/2016 07:30 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2016-04-16
Episode #	ENADR103DH
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Preemption Programs #4

Questions	Response
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Title of Program	Noodle & Doodle
List date and time rescheduled	04/30/2016 07:30 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2016-04-30
Episode #	ENADR105DH
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Preemption Programs #5

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Noodle & Doodle
List date and time rescheduled	05/07/2016 07:30 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2016-05-07
Episode #	ENADR106DH
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Preemption Programs #6

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Noodle & Doodle
List date and time rescheduled	05/28/2016 07:30 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2016-05-28
Episode #	ENADR109DH
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Preemption Programs #7

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Noodle & Doodle
List date and time rescheduled	06/04/2016 05:00 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2016-06-04
Episode #	ENADR110DH
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Core Program (4 of 7)	Response
Program Title	La Chica Show
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday 10:00am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	12
Total times aired	13
Number of Preemptions	1
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	1
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	1
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	2 years to 5 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Earth to Luna is a Brazilian animated series specifically aimed at teaching 2-5 year old children how to ask questions about nature and science and vigorously pursue the answers. The show encourages curiosity, research, and critical thinking. Each episode of the show is focused on a particular creature, object, or phenomenon that would be of interest to the target audience. For example, Luna might wonder how she can grow a plant without a seed and finds the answer through her inquiry process. The characters, Luna, Jupiter (her brother), and Clive (their pet ferret) embark on a research effort that takes the audience through each step that answers their overarching question. The show uses recurring features, signature phrases, and songs to cue the audience when they need to do research, when they transition to the adventure, and when they have reached the ending to review all they've learned.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Digital Preemption Programs #1

Questions	Response
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Title of Program	The Chica Show
List date and time rescheduled	06/04/2016 04:30 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2016-06-04
Episode #	ETCSR110DH
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Core Program (5 of 7)	Response
Program Title	Reino Animal on Estrella TV (Multicast)
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Mon-Sat @ 7am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	79
Total times aired	79
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	0
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	6 years to 10 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	: an entertaining and educational program on wildlife and is made exclusively in High Definition (HD). The series teaches young viewers every conceivable animals, from the familiar to the amazing, including monkeys, giant lizards, sharks, tigers and all other animals in the Americas, Africa, Asia, Australia and elsewhere .
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (6 of 7)	Response
Program Title	Nina's World
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday 8:30am

Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	12
Total times aired	12
Number of Preemptions	1
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	1
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	0
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	2 years to 5 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Is an animated show based on a six-year-old Latina, who lives in San Antonio, Texas with her parents, who own the local bakery, and her Abuela (grandmother). Her Tio (Uncle) Javier lives nearby and there are lots of different children and adults from several different cultures in the apartment complex and neighborhood where she lives. Nina's best friend is Star, a stuffed starfish pillow character brought to life by Nina's imagination. Each episode features Nina taking on a challenge, solving a problem, or finding a way to help others. She is very confident about her abilities, which sometimes gets her into trouble. However, with encouragement and chiding from Abuela. Nina learns about how to plan her "work," take responsibility for her actions, and correct her mistakes.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (7 of 7)	Response
Program Title	Floogals
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 8:00am

Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	12
Total times aired	12
Number of Preemptions	1
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	1
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	0
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	2 years to 5 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Is an animated show starring three space aliens--Fleeker, Flo, and Boomer-- who have been sent to earth to explore, investigate, discover and report their findings to their superiors at Floogal headquarters. The diminutive Floogals are no taller than a large safety pin and their visual perspective is literally the point of view of the show. With the multiple challenges of their size and ignorance of all things Hooman [that's Floogal-speak for human], the Floogals have a lot of work on their hands. They are engaged in the dual processes of discovery and problem-solving as nothing on earth is familiar to them. Much like young children, they begin by encountering something new and then go through a comedic multi-step process of watching, listening, touching, and note-taking until they're figured out what and how their new discovery fits into the Hooman universe.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E /I?	Yes

Non-Core
Educational and
Informational
Programming (0)

Sponsored Core
Programming (0)

Liaison Contact

Question	Response
Does the Licensee publicize the existence and location of the station's Children's Television Programming Reports (FCC 398) as required by 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3526(e)(11) (iii)?	Yes
Name of children's programming liaison	Cecilia Ramirez
Address	801 N Oregon
City	El Paso
State	TX
Zip	79902
Telephone Number	(915) 532-5421
Email Address	cramirez@elpasoproud.com
Include any other comments or information you want the Commission to consider in evaluating your compliance with the Children's Television Act (or use this space for supplemental explanations). This may include information on any other noncore educational and informational programming that you aired this quarter or plan to air during the next quarter, or any existing or proposed non-broadcast efforts that will enhance the educational and informational value of such programming to children. See 47 C.F.R. Section 73.671, NOTES 2 and 3.	After due review of internal station records and documentation provided to us by program suppliers, the licensee hereby certifies as follows: (i) the only programs specifically designed for children ages twelve and under that the station broadcast this quarter are disclosed in this report and (ii) the licensee fully complied with the FCC's commercial limits in children's programs, as specified at 47 C.F.R. Section 73.670, with respect to these programs. With respect to Questions 7(b) and 7(c), the Station did not broadcast an analog signal this quarter.

Other Matters (7)

Other Matters (1 of 7)	Response
Program Title	Ruff Ruff Tweet & Dave
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 9:30am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	2 years to 5 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Is a preschool adventure/activity show where the lead characters travel to faraway lands to have adventures with their guide, a hamster named Hatty. Ruff Ruff, the dog, is the most playful of the three; Tweet is a little bird who loves to fly and get creative with her suggestions; and Dave the Panda has a thing for bananas. RRTD might go to the beach, or the mountains, or to strange lands with pillows everywhere; just the sort of place where imagination and logic come together. The settings are always brightly colored and beautiful. And their transport vehicles are Roly-pods, artful go-carts that fit on a spiral ramp that folds in and out of the Spin-Again, a colorful round spinning top with special compartments designed to anchor each vehicle right on the outside rim during the journey

Other Matters (2 of 7)	Response
Program Title	Terrific Trucks
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 8:00am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	2 years to 5 years

Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Is a live-action series that follows the exploits of five self-driving, heavy-duty construction trucks. They include Tork, the dump truck, Stotz, the flatbed, Dug, the digger, Blinker, the mini-digger, and Sparky, the front-end loader. The trucks reside in a fully equipped truck yard/rock quarry and work as a team on various building projects that require planning, collaboration and implementation. Each truck brings specific skills to the group. They get challenging job assignments from Mr. Bill Board, a digital outdoor screen that outlines and diagrams the problem to be solved. By allocating the role and duties each truck will perform during the project, the group merges those unique skills to fulfill their respective assignments. Unexpected problems that could compromise their success-- such as the weather, broken truck parts, or personal conflicts between the trucks--- are addressed and overcome so the job can be completed.
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Other Matters (3 of 7)	Response
Program Title	Reino Animal(Multicast)
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Mon-Sat @ 7:00am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	79
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	6 years to 10 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	: an entertaining and educational program on wildlife and is made exclusively in High Definition (HD). The series teaches young viewers every conceivable animals, from the familiar to the amazing, including monkeys, giant lizards, sharks, tigers and all other animals in the Americas, Africa, Asia, Australia and elsewhere .

Other Matters (4 of 7)	Response
Program Title	Nina's World
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 9:00am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	2 years to 5 years

Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Nina's World is an animated show based on a six year old Latina, who lives in San Antonio, Texas with her parents, who own the local bakery, and her Abuela (grandmother). Her Tio (Uncle) Javier lives nearby and there are lots of different children and adults from several different cultures in the apartment complex and neighborhood where she lives. Nina's best friend is Star, a stuffed starfish pillow character brought to life by Nina's imagination. Each episode features Nina taking on a challenge, solving a problem, or finding a way to help others. She is very confident about her abilities, which sometimes gets her into trouble. However, with encouragement and chiding from Abuela, Nina learns about how to plan her "work," take responsibility for her actions, and correct her mistakes.
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Other Matters (5 of 7)	Response
Program Title	Floogals
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 8:30am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	2 years to 5 years
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Other Matters (6 of 7)	Response
Program Title	The Chica Show
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 10:00am

Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	2 years to 5 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Features a five-year-old "baby" chick that spends her days with her parents in their costume shop, the Coop. The Shop's one employee, Kelly, doubles as Chica's nanny and the ensemble is rounded out with Bunji, a large floppy eared rabbit and Stitches, a straw mannequin that sits in the window. Chica's parents were formerly entertainers in the vaudeville tradition and they regale the audience with stories and songs from their theatrical past. They enjoy and indulge Chica, who sometimes acts younger than her age and gets into all kinds of predicaments. Kelly uses fantasy play to transform herself, Chica , Bunji and Stitches into animated characters in another universe, who are struggling with a problem similar to the one Chica experienced in the Coop. Without fail, they find the problem can be solved and they carry that knowledge back to the Coop to use on another day.

Other Matters (7 of 7)	Response
Program Title	Noodle and Doodle
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 10:30am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	2 years to 5 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Is a live-action show hosted by Sean Roach that also blends animation and puppetry into the overall format. Sean drives a double-decker bus into various communities to meet children who have written to him with a problem that they would like to solve using an art and/or a food experience. Sean is accompanied by Noodle, a puppet character and Doodle, a digital character that lives inside a tablet computer, and Doggity, a faithful beagle. Doggity has a mini-show of his own through an animated alter ego that appears during diversionary segments set in a restaurant kitchen. The show demonstrates how recycled materials can become art and how food, art, and problem-solving can be combined to create a fun experience in everyday life. Every episode can be replicated at home with ease by parents and children playing together.

Certification

Question	Response
<p>The undersigned certifies that he or she is (a) the party filing the Children's Television Programming, or an officer, director, member, partner, trustee, authorized employee, or other individual or duly elected or appointed official who is authorized to sign on behalf of the party filing the Children's Television Programming; or (b) an attorney qualified to practice before the Commission under 47 C.F.R. Section 1.23 (a), who is authorized to represent the party filing the Children's Television Programming, and who further certifies that he or she has read the document; that to the best of his or her knowledge, information, and belief there is good ground to support it; and that it is not interposed for delay.</p> <p>FAILURE TO SIGN THIS APPLICATION MAY RESULT IN DISMISSAL OF THE APPLICATION AND FORFEITURE OF ANY FEES PAID</p> <p>Upon grant of this application, the Authorization Holder may be subject to certain construction or coverage requirements. Failure to meet the construction or coverage requirements will result in automatic cancellation of the Authorization. Consult appropriate FCC regulations to determine the construction or coverage requirements that apply to the type of Authorization requested in this application.</p> <p>WILLFUL FALSE STATEMENTS MADE ON THIS FORM OR ANY ATTACHMENTS ARE PUNISHABLE BY FINE AND/OR IMPRISONMENT (U.S. Code, Title 18, §1001) AND/OR REVOCATION OF ANY STATION AUTHORIZATION (U.S. Code, Title 47, §312(a)(1)), AND/OR FORFEITURE (U.S. Code, Title 47, §503).</p>	
I certify that this application includes all required and relevant attachments.	Yes
I declare, under penalty of perjury, that I am an authorized representative of the above-named applicant for the Authorization(s) specified above.	<p>Cecilia Ramirez <i>Programming liaison</i></p> <p>07/06/2016</p>

Attachments

No Attachments.