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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**

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**Children's
Television
Information**

Section	Question	Response
Station Type	Station Type	Network Affiliation
	Affiliated network	FOX
	Nielsen DMA	Grand Rapids-Kalamzoo-B. Crk
	Web Home Page Address	www.fox17online.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	3.0
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	338.0
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:	6.5
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(19)

Digital Core Program (1 of 19)	Response
Program Title	Xploration Awesome Planet (19.1)
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday 9a
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	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(19.1) Produced primarily for the 13-16 target audience, Xploration Awesome Planet will inspire and educate anyone interested in earth sciences. Our host, Philippe Cousteau, the grandson of legendary Jacques Cousteau, brings boundless energy to every location we visit. From magnificent mountains to violent volcanoes, this program takes an in-depth look at the unique and distinct features on planet Earth. We not only visit gigantic glaciers and behold their beauty but also discover why they formed, and how they shaped our landscape. Geological experts share their wisdom with Philippe, as we strive to understand places on the earth, inside the earth, and above the earth.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Digital Preemption Programs #1

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Xploration Awesome Planet (19.1)
List date and time rescheduled	12/17/2017 11:00 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No

Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2017-12-16
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Core Program (2 of 19)	
	Response
Program Title	Xploration Outer Space (19.1)
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday 9:30a
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	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(19.1) This new half-hour weekly series produced for the 13-16 target audience will certainly attract viewers of all ages. Each week our host Emily Calandrelli will take viewers on incredible journeys through space that will both entertain and educate. Ever wonder what it would be like to live in space or on a different planet? Watch our host try to perform every day responsibilities while floating in zero gravity. Explore the challenges that come along with living on a different planet as our host lives like an astronaut in a Mars-like habitat. We will have episodes on space robotics, commercial space tourism, asteroids, and our search for life, among many others. When appropriate, the host will highlight NASA related programs and internships for young students that are relevant to the content we have shown.

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	Xploration Outer Space (19.1)
List date and time rescheduled	12/17/2017 11:30 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2017-12-16
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Core Program (3 of 19)	Response
Program Title	Get Wild (19.2)
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 9a
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Total times aired	13
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	0
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	0
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	13 years to 16 years

Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	19.2 "Get Wild" is a weekly half-hour reality series featuring wild animals at the world famous San Diego Zoo. the series provides key information about each creature and teen viewers learn about their living habitats and unique behaviors. For Example, in one episode viewers learn how experts studying adult orangutans learn the ways they raise their young. Another episode highlights the Panda Bear and explains the animal's living patterns. "Get Wilds" is a series intended to educate and inform viewers about life in the animal kingdom.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (4 of 19) Response	
Program Title	Wild World (19.2)
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 9:30a
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Total times aired	13
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	0
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	0
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	19.2 "Wild World" is a weekly half-hour reality series showcasing all types of wild animals at the world famous San Diego Zoo. The series focuses on the dedicated people who care for these unique critters. The program also informs teen viewers about the living environments and key facts about each wild animal. Episodes also include stories on zoo enrichment programs that help animals initiate natural behavior. Whether it be following the life cycles of rhinoceros or understanding the eating habits of grizzly bears, "Wild World" is a series intended to educate and inform viewers all about life in the animal kingdom.

Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes
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Digital Core Program (5 of 19)		Response
Program Title	Get Wild (19.3)	
Origination	Syndicated	
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 10a	
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13	
Total times aired	13	
Number of Preemptions	0	
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	0	
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	0	
Length of Program	30 mins	
Age of Target Child Audience	13 years to 16 years	
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	19.3 "Get Wild" is a weekly half-hour reality series featuring wild animals at the world famous San Diego Zoo. the series provides key information about each creature and teen viewers learn about their living habitats and unique behaviors. For Example, in one episode viewers learn how experts studying adult orangutans learn the ways they raise their young. Another episode highlights the Panda Bear and explains the animal's living patterns. "Get Wilds" is a series intended to educate and inform viewers about life in the animal kingdom.	
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes	

Digital Core Program (6 of 19)		Response
Program Title	Wild World (19.3)	
Origination	Syndicated	

Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Sunday, 10a
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	14
Total times aired	14
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	0
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	0
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	19.3 "Wild World" is a weekly half-hour reality series showcasing all types of wild animals at the world famous San Diego Zoo. The series focuses on the dedicated people who care for these unique critters. The program also informs teen viewers about the living environments and key facts about each wild animal. Episodes also include stories on zoo enrichment programs that help animals initiate natural behavior. Whether it be following the life cycles of rhinoceros or understanding the eating habits of grizzly bears, "Wild World" is a series intended to educate and inform viewers all about life in the animal kingdom.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (7 of 19)	Response
Program Title	Xploration Nature Knows Best (19.1)
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 10a
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13

Total times aired	13
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	0
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	0
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(19.1) Produced primarily for the 13 to 16 target audience, Xploration Nature Knows Best will inspire and educate audiences of all ages. Host and marine biologist, Danni Washington, exudes energy as she relates how technology all around us was inspired by nature and how modern innovators are continuing with this practice. We will whirl around in airplanes inspired by birds, and in helicopters influenced by the dragonfly, and even jump from a few such vehicles to illustrate how wingsuits were invented based on the flying squirrel. But engineers aren't the only scientists looking toward nature. We will also meet with biologists studying the behavior patterns of ants, architects who design living buildings and roboticists who are making their designs bigger, stronger, and faster based on animals, This series will help kids understand how getting outside and taking a look around can help them make the next great discovery.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (8 of 19)		Response
Program Title		Xploration DIY SCI (19.1)
Origination		Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled		Saturday, 10:30a
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	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(19.1) Produced primarily for the 13 to 16 target audience, Xploration DIY Sci will inspire and educate audiences of all ages. Host, science educator and leader in the field of professional educational training, Steve Spangler, encourages the discovery of scientific concepts through experiments viewers can do at home. With a fun, relaxed attitude, Steve will take viewers through step by step demonstrations of do it yourself experiments that amaze but which also relate back to solid principles of science.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Digital Preemption Programs #1

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Xploration DIY Sci (19.1)
List date and time rescheduled	11/26/2017 11:00 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2017-11-25
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Core Program (9 of 19)	Response
Program Title	Xploration Earth 2050 (19.1)
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 11a
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	10
Total times aired	13
Number of Preemptions	3

Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	3
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	3
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(19.1) What will the world look like in 2050? Where will advancements in science, technology, engineering and mathematics lead us? Xploration Earth 2050 strives to answer these questions and more with scientists, inventors, doctors, science fiction writers and creative thinkers. This half hour weekly series, produced primarily for the 13 to 16 year old target audience will appeal to the whole family. Viewers will be taken on an educational adventure as the show tackles future challenges in everything from transportation to health care to the environment.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Digital Preemption Programs #1

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Xploration Earth 2050 (19.1)
List date and time rescheduled	11/05/2017 06:00 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2017-11-04
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Preemption Programs #2

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Xploration Earth 2050 (19.2)
List date and time rescheduled	11/12/2017 09:00 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2017-11-11
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Preemption Programs #3

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Xploration Earth 2050 (19.1)
List date and time rescheduled	11/26/2017 06:30 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2017-11-25
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Core Program (10 of 19)		Response
Program Title		Xploration Weird But True (19.1)
Origination		Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled		Saturday, 11:30a
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time		5
Total times aired		13
Number of Preemptions		8
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News		7
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled		8
Length of Program		30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience		13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.		(19.1) Produced primarily for the 13 to 16 target audience, Xploration Weird But True will inspire and educate audiences of all ages. This series, produced in partnership with National Geographic Kids, is hosted by the brother sister team of Charlie and Kirby Engleman. Charlie is an Ecologist and Kirby is an Artist and they are both National Geographic Junior Explores. Together they share a common curiosity to explore and understand the science behind the world and its wildlife.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?		Yes

Digital Preemption Programs #1

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Xploration Weird But True (19.1)

List date and time rescheduled	10/08/2017 09:00 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2017-10-07
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Preemption Programs #2

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Xploration Weird But True (19.1)
List date and time rescheduled	10/22/2017 06:00 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2017-10-21
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Preemption Programs #3

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Xploration Weird But True (19.1)
List date and time rescheduled	11/19/2017 06:30 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2017-11-04
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Other

Digital Preemption Programs #4

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Xploration Weird But True (19.1)
List date and time rescheduled	11/12/2017 09:30 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2017-11-11
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Preemption Programs #5

Questions	Response
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Title of Program	Xploration Weird But True (19.1)
List date and time rescheduled	11/19/2017 06:00 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2017-11-18
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Preemption Programs #6

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Xploration Weird But True (19.1)
List date and time rescheduled	11/26/2017 11:30 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2017-11-25
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Preemption Programs #7

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Xploration Weird But True (19.1)
List date and time rescheduled	12/01/2017 12:00 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2017-12-02
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Preemption Programs #8

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Xploration Weird But True (19.1)
List date and time rescheduled	12/16/2017 06:30 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2017-12-16
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Core Program (11 of 19)		Response
Program Title	The Brady Barr Experience (19.2)	
Origination	Network	
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 11am	
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13	
Total times aired	13	
Number of Preemptions	0	
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	0	
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	0	
Length of Program	30 mins	
Age of Target Child Audience	13 years to 16 years	
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(19.2) "The Brady Barr Experience" is a weekly half-hour series that is designed to inform and educate viewers 13 to 16 years of age. In this action-packed series viewers will go behind the scenes with D. Brady Barr for a captivating ride through the world of wildlife and animal conservation. As a seasoned herpetologist, Dr. Brady Barr has traveled to five continents, worked with hundreds of scientists and has gotten up close and personal with some of the most misunderstood animals on the planet. Brady Barr has made it his life's work to study and protect some of the world's most dangerous and endangered land animals and in this series, he will share his knowledge and passion for the earth's wildlife with the audience.	
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes	

Digital Core Program (12 of 19)		Response
Program Title	Culture Click (19.2)	
Origination	Network	

Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 12:30p
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Total times aired	13
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	0
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	0
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(19.2) "Culture Click" is a weekly half-hour series that explores the genesis of and reasons behind cultural events that permeate our everyday lives. Developed and produced for viewers aged 13-16, host Nzinga Blake opens each episode from her virtual reality set with a list of what's trending on search engines that week. These topics will serve as a jumping-off point for a deep dive into the culture viewers 13 to 16 will embrace. Each week Nzinga will analyze and answer the questions that shape our society using the power and speed of the internet and user-generated questions and content. Experts in pop culture will join her to add insight and historical perspective. And most importantly, viewers will come away with a week's work of "aha" moments to share with their friends and family. Six degrees of separation takes on a whole new meaning, and there's no limit to what viewers will learn when they experience "Culture Click"
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (13 of 19)

Response

Program Title	Expedition Wild (19.2)
Origination	Network

Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 11:30a
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Total times aired	13
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	0
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	0
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(19.2) "Expedition Wild" is hosted by wildlife expert Casey Anderson and showcases his charismatic animal companions on an innovative and action-packed odyssey through North America's wild places, revealing a rare glimpse into the beauty and complexity of the natural world. Viewers will follow Casey on a series of breathtakingly wild adventures, he will paddle the Grand Canyon, ski with Wolverines in British Columbia, observe Mountain Lions in Montana, stake out the scavengers of Yellowstone, investigate a raven's nest, observe Polar Bears on Alaska's northern slope and climb to rugged extremes in pursuit of Northern Main's Black Bears, bringing audiences a rare and personal experience with endangered species, some deadly, others dashing, in the stunning natural ecosystems that they call home.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (14 of 19)

Response

Program Title	Food for Thought with Claire Thomas (19.2)
Origination	Network

Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 12p
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Total times aired	13
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	0
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	0
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(19.2) Young, enthusiastic and passionate about food, Claire Thomas is the 22 year old host who opens viewers' eyes to how everyday life can inspire culinary creations in Food for Thought. Each weekly half hour, produced for kids ages 13 to 16, informs and educates teens about the power of food as a tool for exploring new places, meeting new people and learning about different cultures. Claire serves as a role model 12 to 16 year old viewers by showing her passion for her family, life, and healthy living by sharing stories in the kitchen. Creative inspiration can come from any place at any time, sometimes from family, sometimes from friends, or even bloggers needing her help. No matter how exotic or local the location, she's always in search of new tastes and places to explore. Based on her unique perspective gathered throughout each episode, Claire will teach the audience how to prepare the "inspired" dish while promoting a healthy attitude towards food life.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (15 of 19) Response

Program Title	The Wildlife Docs (19.2)
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday 10a and 10:30a

Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	26
Total times aired	26
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	0
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	0
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(19.2) The half-hour weekly series, "The Wildlife Docs", produced for ages 13 to 16 follows the surprising, exotic, and challenging lives of a veterinary staff that cares for over 2,000 animals. From nutrition to treatments, x-rays for surgery, preventative care to emergencies, this educational and information program will allow viewers to witness a kaleidoscope of wild experiences through the eyes of our Veterinary Team. Unpredictable events unfold giving viewers a glimpse of the enormity, variety, and quality of treatment that sets the standard for animal care.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (16 of 19) Response	
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Program Title	Animal Outtakes (19.3)
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 10:30a
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Total times aired	13
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	0

Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	0
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(19.3) Animal Outtakes visits all types of animal sanctuaries and zoos in the United State to explore the world of animals, from camels to lemurs, from rhinos to handicapped pets. Teen viewers learn about the care and living habitats of these various animals and how they survive in the world, In each episode, a detailed explanation of an animal species is provided as well as information on the animal's daily nutrition and other living habits. Animal Outtakes is educational, informative and entertaining, while providing teens with up close televised visits of wild and exotic creatures.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (17 of 19)	Response
Program Title	So You Want To Be (19.3)
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 11a
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Total times aired	13
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	0
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	0
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	19.3) So You Want To Be features teen learning about a wide variety of jobs and career paths as well as what it takes to get ahead in the working world. Each week So You Want To BE goes on location to an actual working job site, allowing teens an up close and personal experience with a particular occupation, whether it be a dentist or a truck driver or an entertainer. So You Want To Be is educational, informative and entertaining, while providing teen viewers with a personal experience in an actual job environment.

Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes
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Digital Core Program (18 of 19)	Response
Program Title	Make: (19.3)
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Sunday, 11a
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	14
Total times aired	14
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	0
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	0
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(19.3) Make TV is a weekly series showing how people transform ordinary junk into amazing creations. While introducing a whole new generation of makers, the program features extraordinary individuals developing extraordinary things. From Tesla coils to t-shirt cannons, from cigar box guitars to giant video projectors, imagination is turned into reality! Teen viewers get to see practical math, science, technology and engineering concepts combined wot create incredible new inventions.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E /I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (19 of 19)	Response
Program Title	Living Greener (19.3)
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Sunday, 10:30a

Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	14
Total times aired	14
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	0
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	0
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(19.3) Living Greener is a weekly half hour series showcasing the latest inventions and new ideas to help teen viewers work towards a more sustainable future. Living Greener talks to inventors, visionaries, scientists and activists to find out where the planet is headed. Whether it is recycling cigarette butts into clothing, monitoring endangered species or creating a rooftop farm in New York City, Living Greener gives young viewers a unique insight into our future way of life while educating and informing them about life on earth.
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	Claudia Bell
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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.	

Other Matters (19)

Other Matters (1 of 19)	Response
Program Title	Xploration Awesome Planet
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 9-9:30a
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(19.1) Produced primarily for the 13-16 target audience, Xploration Awesome Planet will inspire and educate anyone interested in earth sciences. Our host, Philippe Cousteau, the grandson of legendary Jacques Cousteau, brings boundless energy to every location we visit. From magnificent mountains to violent volcanoes, this program takes an in-depth look at the unique and distinct features on planet Earth. We not only visit gigantic glaciers and behold their beauty but also discover why they formed, and how they shaped our landscape. Geological experts share their wisdom with Philippe, as we strive to understand places on the earth, inside the earth, and above the earth.

Other Matters (2 of 19)	Response
Program Title	Xploration Outer Space
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 9:30-10a
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	13 years to 16 years

Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(19.1) This new half-hour weekly series produced for the 13-16 target audience will certainly attract viewers of all ages. Each week our host Emily Calandrelli will take viewers on incredible journeys through space that will both entertain and educate. Ever wonder what it would be like to live in space or on a different planet? Watch our host try to perform every day responsibilities while floating in zero gravity. Explore the challenges that come along with living on a different planet as our host lives like an astronaut in a Mars-like habitat. We will have episodes on space robotics, commercial space tourism, asteroids, and our search for life, among many others. When appropriate, the host will highlight NASA related programs and internships for young students that are relevant to the content we have shown.
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Other Matters (3 of 19)

Response

Program Title	Get Wild
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 9a
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	13 years to 16 years

Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(19.2) Get Wild is a weekly half-hour reality series featuring wild animals at the world famous San Diego Zoo. The series provides key information about each creature and teen viewers learn about their living habitats and unique behaviors. For example, in one episode viewers learn how experts studying adult orangutans learn the ways they raise their young. Another episode highlights the Panda bear and explains the animal's living patterns. Get Wild is a series intended to educate and inform viewers all about life in the animal kingdom.
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Other Matters (4 of 19)

Response

Program Title	Wild World
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 9:30a
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	13 years to 16 years

Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(19.2) Wild World is a weekly half-hour reality series showcasing all types of wild animals at the world famous San Diego Zoo. The series focuses on the dedicated people who care for these unique critters. The program also informs teen viewers about the living environments and key facts about each wild animal. Episodes also include stories on zoo enrichment programs that help animals initiate natural behavior. Whether it be following the life cycles of rhinoceros or understanding the eating habits of grizzly bears, Wild World is a series intended to educate and inform viewers all about life in the animal kingdom.
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Other Matters (5 of 19)

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Program Title	Get Wild
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Origination	Network
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Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 10a
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Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
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Length of Program	30 mins
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Age of Target Child Audience from	13 years to 16 years
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Other Matters (6 of 19)

Response

Program Title	Wild World
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Origination	Network
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Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Sunday, 10am
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Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	12
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Length of Program	30 mins
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Age of Target Child Audience from	13 years to 16 years
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Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(19.3) Wild World is a weekly half-hour reality series showcasing all types of wild animals at the world famous San Diego Zoo. The series focuses on the dedicated people who care for these unique critters. The program also informs teen viewers about the living environments and key facts about each wild animal. Episodes also include stories on zoo enrichment programs that help animals initiate natural behavior. Whether it be following the life cycles of rhinoceros or understanding the eating habits of grizzly bears, Wild World is a series intended to educate and inform viewers all about life in the animal kingdom.
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Other Matters (7 of 19)

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Program Title	Xploration Nature Knows Best
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Origination	Syndicated
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Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 10am
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Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
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Length of Program	30 mins
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Age of Target Child Audience from	13 years to 16 years
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Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(19.1) Produced primarily for the 13 to 16 target audience, Xploration Nature Knows Best will inspire and educate audiences of all ages. Host and marine biologist, Danni Washington, exudes energy as she relates how technology all around us was inspired by nature and how modern innovators are continuing with this practice. We will whirl around in airplanes inspired by birds, in helicopters influenced by the dragonfly and even jump from a few such vehicles to illustrate how wingsuits were invented based on the flying squirrel. But engineers aren't the only scientists looking toward nature. We will also meet with biologists studying the behavior patterns of ants, architects who design "Living Buildings" and roboticists who are making their designs bigger, stronger, and faster based on animals. This series will help kids to understand how getting outside and taking a look around can help them make the next great discovery! Xploration Nature Knows Best is a half-hour weekly E/I series produced with the intention of increasing and expanding our target audience' interest in the field of STEM education.
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Other Matters (8 of 19)

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Program Title	Xploration DIY Sci
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Origination	Syndicated
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Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 10:30am
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Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
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Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(19.1) Produced primarily for the 13 to 16 target audience, Xploration DIY Sci will inspire and educate audiences of all ages. Host, science educator, and leader in the field of professional educational training, Steve Spangler, encourages the discovery of scientific concepts through experiments viewers can do at home. With a fun, relaxed attitude, Steve will take viewers through step-by-step demonstrations of do-it-yourself experiments that amaze but which also relate back to solid principles of science. For instance, Steve Spangler, became nationally known with a video showing him dropping the candy "Mentos" into a bottle of diet soda. It erupts in a geyser of soda. On Xploration DIY Sci, Spangler demonstrates the experiment and also explains the science of why, on a molecular level, the soda reacts that way to the candy. Xploration DIY Sci is a half hour weekly E/I series produced with the intention of increasing and expanding our target audience's interest in the field of STEM education. This series will help kids understand how they can discover the principles of science with items they can find in their very own home.

Other Matters (9 of 19)	Response
Program Title	Xploration Earth 2050
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 11a
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(19.1) What will the world look like in 2050? Where will advancements in science, technology, engineering and mathematics lead us? Xploration Earth 2050 strives to answer these questions and more with scientists, inventors, doctors, science fiction writers and creative thinkers. This half hour weekly series, produced primarily for the 13 to 16 year old target audience will appeal to the whole family. Viewers will be taken on an educational adventure as the show tackles future challenges in everything from transportation to health care to the environment. Xploration Earth 2050 is a half hour weekly E/I series produced with the intention of increasing and expanding our target audience's interest in the field of the STEM education.

Other Matters (10 of 19)	Response
Program Title	Xploration Weird But True
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 11:30a

Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(19.1) Produced primarily for the 13 to 16 target audience, Xploration Weird But True will inspire and educate audiences of all ages. This series, produced in partnership with the National Geographic Kids, is hosted by the brother-sister team of Charlie and Kirby Engleman. Charlie is an Ecologist and Kirby is an Artist, and they are both National Geographic Junior Explorers. Together, they share a common curiosity to explore and understand the science behind the world and its wildlife. In this series, Charlie and Kirby explore a new topic each week to uncover the "Weird But True" science at play all around us. With a mix of graphics and a handmade art, this E/I series is fun, playful and educational. For instance, in the first episode, our hosts are curious to learn about asteroids and so they set off to explore the biggest meteor crater in the US and meet a real-life meteorite hunter. They also try their hand at tracking down space rocks. Along the way they discover that meteor crash sites can turn into quicksand! On Xploration Weird But True, Charlie and Kirby inspire teens to question the HOW and WHY behind the way our world works, and encourage them to discover answers to their most curious questions. Xploration Weird But True is a half-hour weekly E/I series produced with the intention of increasing and expanding our target audience' interest in the field of STEM education. This series will help teens and viewers of all ages learn to question the world around them.

Other Matters (11 of 19)	
	Response
Program Title	The Brady Barr Experience
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 11a
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(19.2) "The Brady Barr Experience" is a weekly half-hour series that is designed to inform and educate viewers 13 to 16 years of age. In this action-packed series viewers will go behind the scenes with D. Brady Barr for a captivating ride through the world of wildlife and animal conservation. As a seasoned herpetologist, Dr. Brady Barr has traveled to five continents, worked with hundreds of scientists and has gotten up close and personal with some of the most misunderstood animals on the planet. Brady Barr has made it his life's work to study and protect some of the world's most dangerous and endangered land animals and in this series, he will share his knowledge and passion for the earth's wildlife with the audience.

Other Matters (12 of 19)	
	Response
Program Title	Culture Click
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 12:30p
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(19.2) "Culture Click" is a weekly half-hour series that explores the genesis of and reasons behind cultural events that permeate our everyday lives. Developed and produced for viewers aged 13-16, host Nzinga Blake opens each episode from her virtual reality set with a list of what's trending on search engines that week. These topics will serve as a jumping-off point for a deep dive into the culture viewers 13 to 16 will embrace. Each week Nzinga will analyze and answer the questions that shape our society using the power and speed of the internet and user-generated questions and content. Experts in pop culture will join her to add insight and historical perspective. And most importantly, viewers will come away with a week's work of "aha" moments to share with their friends and family. Six degrees of separation takes on a whole new meaning, and there's no limit to what viewers will learn when they experience "Culture Click"

Other Matters (13 of 19)	
	Response
Program Title	Expedition Wild
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 11:30a
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	13 years to 16 years

Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(19.2) "Expedition Wild" is hosted by wildlife expert Casey Anderson and showcases his charismatic animal companions on an innovative and action-packed odyssey through North America's wild places, revealing a rare glimpse into the beauty and complexity of the natural world. Viewers will follow Casey on a series of breathtakingly wild adventures, he will paddle the Grand Canyon, ski with Wolverines in British Columbia, observe Mountain Lions in Montana, stake out the scavengers of Yellowstone, investigate a raven's nest, observe Polar Bears on Alaska's northern slope and climb to rugged extremes in pursuit of Northern Main's Black Bears, bringing audiences a rare and personal experience with endangered species, some deadly, others dashing, in the stunning natural ecosystems that they call home.
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Other Matters (14 of 19)

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Program Title	Food for Thought with Claire Thomas
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Origination	Syndicated
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Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 12p
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Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
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Length of Program	30 mins
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Age of Target Child Audience from	13 years to 16 years
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Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(19.2) young, enthusiastic and passionate about food, Claire Thomas is the 22 year old host who opens viewers' eyes to how everyday life can inspire culinary creations in Food for Thought. Each weekly half hour, produced for kids ages 13 to 16, informs and educates teens about the power of food as a tool for exploring new places, meeting new people and learning about different cultures. Claire serves as a role model 12 to 16 year old viewers by showing her passion for her family, life, and healthy living by sharing stories in the kitchen. Creative inspiration can come from any place at any time, sometimes from family, sometimes from friends, or even bloggers needing her help. No matter how exotic or local the location, she's always in search of new tastes and places to explore. Based on her unique perspective gathered throughout each episode, Claire will teach the audience how to prepare the "inspired" dish while promoting a healthy attitude towards food life.
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Other Matters (15 of 19)

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Program Title	The Wildlife Docs
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Origination	Syndicated
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Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 10a and 10:30a
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Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	26
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Length of Program	30 mins
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Age of Target Child Audience from 13 years to 16 years

Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.

(19.2) The half-hour weekly series, "The Wildlife Docs", produced for ages 13 to 16 follows the surprising, exotic, and challenging lives of a veterinary staff that cares for over 2,000 animals. From nutrition to treatments, x-rays for surgery, preventative care to emergencies, this educational and information program will allow viewers to witness a kaleidoscope of wild experiences through the eyes of our Veterinary Team. Unpredictable events unfold giving viewers a glimpse of the enormity, variety, and quality of treatment that sets the standard for animal care.

Other Matters (16 of 19)

Response

Program Title Animal Outtakes

Origination Network

Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled Saturday, 10:30a

Total times aired at regularly scheduled time 13

Length of Program 30 mins

Age of Target Child Audience from 13 years to 16 years

Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.

(19.3) Animal Outtakes visits all types of animal sanctuaries and zoos in the United State to explore the world of animals, from camels to lemurs, from rhinos to handicapped pets. Teen viewers learn about the care and living habitats of these various animals and how they survive in the world, In each episode, a detailed explanation of an animal species is provided as well as information on the animal's daily nutrition and other living habits. Animal Outtakes is educational, informative and entertaining, while providing teens with up close televised visits of wild and exotic creatures.

Other Matters (17 of 19)

Response

Program Title So You Want To Be

Origination Network

Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled Saturday, 11am

Total times aired at regularly scheduled time 13

Length of Program 30 mins

Age of Target Child Audience from 13 years to 16 years

Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(19.3) So You Want To Be features teen learning about a wide variety of jobs and career paths as well as what it takes to get ahead in the working world. Each week So You Want To BE goes on location to an actual working job site, allowing teens an up close and personal experience with a particular occupation, whether it be a dentist or a truck driver or an entertainer. So You Want To Be is educational, informative and entertaining, while providing teen viewers with a personal experience in an actual job environment.
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Other Matters (18 of 19)	Response
Program Title	Living Greener
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Sunday, 10:30a
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	12
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(19.3) Living Greener is a weekly half hour series showcasing the latest inventions and new ideas to help teen viewers work towards a more sustainable future. Living Greener talks to inventors, visionaries, scientists and activists to find out where the planet is headed. Whether it is recycling cigarette butts into clothing, monitoring endangered species or creating a rooftop farm in New York City, Living Greener gives young viewers a unique insight into our future way of life while educating and informing them about life on earth.

Other Matters (19 of 19)	Response
Program Title	Make:
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Sunday, 11am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	12
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(19.3) Make TV is a weekly series showing how people transform ordinary junk into amazing creations. While introducing a whole new generation of makers, the program features extraordinary individuals developing extraordinary things. From Tesla coils to t-shirt cannons, from cigar box guitars to giant video projectors, imagination is turned into reality! Teen viewers get to see practical math, science, technology and engineering concepts combined wot create incredible new inventions.

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>	
<p>I certify that this application includes all required and relevant attachments.</p>	<p>Yes</p>
<p>I declare, under penalty of perjury, that I am an authorized representative of the above-named applicant for the Authorization(s) specified above.</p>	<p>Claudia Breaux Bell <i>Program Assistant</i></p> <p>01/09 /2018</p>

Attachments

No Attachments.