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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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Contact Representatives (1)

Contact Name	Address	Phone	Email	Contact Type
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Children's Television Information

Section	Question	Response
Station Type	Station Type	Network Affiliation
	Affiliated network	FOX
	Nielsen DMA	Shreveport
	Web Home Page Address	www.kmsstv.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	3.46
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	0.0
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:	0.0
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	Pets.TV
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday at 7:30am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	11
Total times aired	12
Number of Preemptions	2
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	2
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.	Pets.TV provides educational and informational segments exposing the target audience of young viewers to everything pets. pets from everyday to unique are showcased with information that shares how they evolved to become pets and their geographic origin. Professionals share personal experiences of excitement and love of working with pets and impart motivational and inspirational messages for viewers to pursue more information and education about everything concerning pets.
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	Pets.TV
List date and time rescheduled	06/21/2018 05:00 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	No
Date Preempted	2018-06-23
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Core Program (2 of 7)	Response
Program Title	Xploration Weird But True
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday at 7am
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.	Xporation 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 Explorers. They share a common curiosity to explore and understand the science behind the world and its wildlife. 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. This series objective is to increase and expand the interest of children in the field of STEM education.
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
List date and time rescheduled	06/13/2018 09:00 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	No

Date Preempted	2018-06-16
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Core Program (3 of 7)	Response
Program Title	Xploration Earth 2050
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Monday at 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	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Xploration Earth 2050 is a series produced with the intention of increasing and expanding the interest of children in the field of STEM education. 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. 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
List date and time rescheduled	06/25/2018 05:00 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No

Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	No
Date Preempted	2018-06-25
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Core Program (4 of 7)	**Response**
Program Title	Xploration Awesome Planet
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Tuesday at 9:30am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	11
Total times aired	13
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	2
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	2
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.	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. This series objective is to increase and expand the interest of children in the field of STEM education.
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
List date and time rescheduled	06/19/2018 05:00 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	No
Date Preempted	2018-06-19
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Preemption Programs #2

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Xploration Awesome Planet
List date and time rescheduled	06/26/2018 05:00 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	No
Date Preempted	2018-06-26
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Core Program (5 of 7)	Response
Program Title	Xploration Outer Space
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Wednesday at 9:30am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	11
Total times aired	13
Number of Preemptions	2
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	2

Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	2
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.	Xploration Outer Space 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 Emily Calandrelli will perform every day responsibilities while floating in zero gravity. Explore the challenges that come along with living on a different planet as our she 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. This series objective is to increase and expand the interest of children in the field of STEM education.
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 Outer Space
List date and time rescheduled	06/20/2018 05:00 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	No
Date Preempted	2018-06-20
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Preemption Programs #2

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Xploration Outer Space
List date and time rescheduled	06/27/2018 05:00 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	No
Date Preempted	2018-06-27
Episode #	

Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Core Program (6 of 7)	Response
Program Title	Xploration Nature Knows Best
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Thursday at 9:30am
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.	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 innovations are continuing with this practice. This series will introduce biologists, who are 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 and how getting outside and taking a look around can help them make the next great discovery! This program objective is to increase and expand the interest of children in the field of STEM education.
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 Nature Knows Best

List date and time rescheduled	06/11/2018 09:00 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	No
Date Preempted	2018-06-14
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Preemption Programs #2

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Xploration Nature Knows Best
List date and time rescheduled	06/18/2018 09:00 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	No
Date Preempted	2018-06-21
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Preemption Programs #3

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Xploration Nature Knows Best
List date and time rescheduled	06/28/2018 05:00 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	No
Date Preempted	2018-06-28
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Core Program (7 of 7)	Response
Program Title	Xploration DIY Sci
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Friday at 9:30am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	11
Total times aired	13
Number of Preemptions	2

Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	2
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	2
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.	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. This series objective is to increase and expand the interest of children in the field of STEM education.
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
List date and time rescheduled	06/12/2018 09:00 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	No
Date Preempted	2018-06-15
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Non-breaking News

Digital Preemption Programs #2

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Xploration DIY Sci
List date and time rescheduled	06/22/2018 05:00 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	No
Date Preempted	2018-06-22
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Non-breaking News

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	Isaac Turner
Address	3150 North Market St
City	Shreveport
State	LA
Zip	71107-4005
Telephone Number	(318) 629-6000
Email Address	isaac@mbgroup.tv
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 usby program suppliers, the licensee hereby certifies that the station 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 all programs specifically designed for children ages twelve #12# and under. In addition to the educational or informational programs listed in this report, the station broadcast the following programs specifically designed for children ages twelve #12# and under that were not"educational or informational:" none.

Other Matters (7)

Other Matters (1 of 7)	Response
Program Title	Xploration Earth 2050
Origination	Syndicated
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Length of Program	30 mins
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Origination	Syndicated
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Other Matters (4 of 7)	Response
Program Title	Xploration Nature Knows Best
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Thursday at 9:30am
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.	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 innovations are continuing with this practice. This series will introduce biologists, who are 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 and how getting outside and taking a look around can help them make the next great discovery! This program objective is to increase and expand the interest of children in the field of STEM education.

Other Matters (5 of 7)	**Response**
Program Title	Xploration DIY Sci
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Friday at 9:30am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	13 years to 16 years
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Other Matters (6 of 7)	**Response**
Program Title	Xploration Weird But True
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday at 7am
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.	Xporation 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 Explorers. They share a common curiosity to explore and understand the science behind the world and its wildlife. 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. This series objective is to increase and expand the interest of children in the field of STEM education.

Other Matters (7 of 7)	**Response**
Program Title	Pets.TV
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday at 7:30am
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.	Pets.TV provides educational and informational segments exposing the target audience of young viewers to everything pets. pets from everyday to unique are showcased with information that shares how they evolved to become pets and their geographic origin. Professionals share personal experiences of excitement and love of working with pets and impart motivational and inspirational messages for viewers to pursue more information and education about everything concerning pets.

Certification

Question	Response
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. **FAILURE TO SIGN THIS APPLICATION MAY RESULT IN DISMISSAL OF THE APPLICATION AND FORFEITURE OF ANY FEES PAID** 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. 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).	
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.	**Isaac Turner** *Director of Programming* 07/09/2018

Attachments

No Attachments.