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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?	

**Applicant  
Information**

**Applicant Name, Type, and Contact Information**

Applicant	Address	Phone	Email	Applicant Type
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Contact  
Representatives  
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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	Hartford-New Haven
	Web Home Page Address	www.ctnow.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	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(9)

Digital Core Program (1 of 9)	Response
Program Title	Animal Atlas
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Sundays at 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	
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.	(Digital Channel 31.1)Animal Atlas is an entertaining and educational half-hour program that explores the world of animal wildlife, promoting a better understanding of how various animal species live and what they need to survive. With an entertaining narrative, the series combines focused examinations of certain topics such as Animal Appetites (which explores the various diets of animals along with information about how animals catch and eat their food, how diets determine their lifestyle, etc.), Animal Antics, (a hilarious look at the crazy physical antics and talents of certain species), Animal Babies (an intimate look at babies of various species, how they are born, how they are raised and the difficulties and delights of growing up), along with shows which focus solely on certain animals such as elephants, bears, and monkeys. In these shows a thorough and entertaining exploration of the specific animal takes the viewer into that animal world as we see where it lives, how it eats, how it plays, how the family unit operates, and what threatens and supports its survival. Animal Atlas also promotes responsibility toward wildlife issues by educating the viewer about endangered species and wildlife habits, as well as informing viewers how to support wildlife conservation.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E /I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (2 of 9)		Response
Program Title	EKN Teen Kids News	
Origination	Syndicated	
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturdays at 12pm	
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13	
Total times aired	13	
Number of Preemptions	0	
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News		
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.	(Digital Channel 31.1)Teen Kids News meets FCC requirements for core childrens programming by producing each week educational features such as, "College and You (tips for choosing and getting into college), and "Word," (vocabulary skills training), as well as informational features for teens, such as reports about healthy eating; driving tips for new drivers, and internet predators. The show has been designed to meet needs of children and young adolescents with a unique curiosity about their world, with weekly headlines that present the news in a teen appropriate manner. The Program stimulates the 13 - 16 year olds curiosity, develops their learning and cognitive, listening and thinking skills, and serves as an enhancement of their academic and educational experience.	
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E /I?	Yes	

Digital Core Program (3 of 9)		Response
Program Title	Pets.TV	

Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Sundays at 11:30am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Total times aired	13
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	
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.	(Digital Channel 31.1)Pets.TV celebrates the pets we love and the people who love them through pet news, pet care, pet health and pet lifestyles. The purpose of each program is to provide a safe learning environment for young viewers to become more informed about animals and pets in a positive, pro-social atmosphere.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (4 of 9)		Response
Program Title	Eco Company	
Origination	Syndicated	
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturdays at 12:30pm	
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13	
Total times aired	13	
Number of Preemptions	0	
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News		
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.	(Digital Channel 31.1)Eco Company will explore all aspects of being green and understanding how we impact our world. The E-Co team will report on the latest technologies in energy, recycling, conervation and organics and will share stories of young people making a positive impact on the environment. Each week the show will also provide practical tips that teens, and people of all ages can use in their daily lives.	

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 9)	Response
Program Title	Awesome Adventures
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Sundays at 10am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Total times aired	
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	
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.	(Digital Channel 31.1)"AWESOME ADVENTURES" is designed to educate, inform and entertain children 16 and under (specific target audience is 13-16) about the world around them. Each journey is a lesson in the beauty of nature, its creatures, and the people who inhabit the land. The shows are not designed to be "preachy" or overly pedantic, but rather, the goal is to make the learning fun.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (6 of 9)	Response
Program Title	Wild About Animals
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Sundays at 10:30am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Total times aired	
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	



Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	
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.	(Digital Channel 31.1)As the producers of "WILD ABOUT ANIMALS," it is the objective of Steve Rotfeld Productions, Inc., to educate and inform children, specifically in the target age group, by bringing them entertaining and interesting stories about the world's most fascinating animals. Each episode will consist of four (4) different stories designed to teach children about both exotic and unique animals, as well as to educate them further about animals they see everyday.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (7 of 9)	Response
Program Title	Curiosity Quest
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturdays at 12pm & 12:30pm
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	26
Total times aired	
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	9 years to 12 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(Digital sub-channel 31.2)Curiosity Quest is an upbeat, family, educational program that explores what viewers are curious about. In each show, host Joel Greene ventures on a quest to answer viewer's letters of curiosity. Each quest takes the audience on location for an unscripted, hands-on, educational exploration. In addition, throughout each program, Joel will hit the streets to get real and often comical answers to questions pertaining to each episode. Joel's enthusiastic personality often lands him in hilarious situations in pursuit of the answer.

Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes
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Digital Core Program (8 of 9)	Response
Program Title	Critter Gitters
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturdays at 11am & 11:30am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	26
Total times aired	
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	9 years to 14 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(Digital sub-channel 31.2)Series features a non-violent, adventurous format that can be enjoyed by the entire family while stimulating creativity, promoting team work, and showcasing moral dilemmas and social values. A search and rescue, animal adventure-themed series with an entertaining twist of investigative and detective "super sleuthing" by a group of neighborhood kids, a veterinarian, a marine biologist, a zany professor, and colorful neighborhood characters. Action and stimulating story lines combined with compelling situations along with kids' natural curiosity and love for animals. Series features a diverse cast providing positive role models. To add variety to the series, episodes haven been produced in Costa Rica, Switzerland, the Florida Everglades, The Great Northwest, East Coast, Mid West... just about everywhere in the USA.

Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes
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Digital Core Program (9 of 9)	Response
Program Title	Mustard Pancakes
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturdays at 10am & 10:30am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	26
Total times aired	
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	3 years to 6 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(Digital sub-channel 31.2)Mustard Pancakes is a television series for children, featuring the loveable and talented Courtney Campbell, and her family of fun-loving friends. Each episode mirrors a slice of everyday life, from problems to celebrations and everything in between. Courtney lives with her cat, Mr. D., and her three dogs, Oogleberry Ink Dog, Tiny Tina Ten Toes and Mo - definitely an offbeat family! Courtney's home is warm, friendly and inviting. A cozy place, where all children feel comfortable hanging out, singing songs and hearing stories.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Non-Core Educational and Informational Programming (2)

Non-Core Educational and Informational Programming (1 of 2)	Response
Program Title	Student News
Origination	Local
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled:	Monday-Friday at 7:59am, 2:28pm & 5:26pm; Saturday at 6:28pm & 10:29pm; Sunday at 6:55am, 7:28am, 11
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time:	273
Number of Preemptions	0
Length of Program	1 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	6 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	This locally produced series of news breaks is intended to educate and inform children of a variety of topics including current events, politics, the environment, local and national news events as well as after school sports. These one-minute news stories are written, produced and videotaped by middle school and high school students. Student News promotes critical thinking skills, journalism skills and awareness of local current events.
Does the program have educating and informing children ages 16 and under as a significant purpose?	Yes
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	No
Does the Licensee provide information regarding the program, including an indication of the target child audience, to publishers of program guides consistent with 47 C.F.R. Section 73.673?	No

Date and Time Aired:

Questions	Response
Date Time	

Non-Core Educational and Informational Programming (2 of 2)	Response
Program Title	This Week in Baseball
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled:	Saturdays at 3:30pm
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time:	13
Number of Preemptions	6
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.	This Week In Baseball highlights the pro-social on-and-off the field activities of MLBs leading players and coaches. Working with the National Association for Sport and Physical Education (NASPE), This Week In Baseball seeks to provide todays youth with educational messages that can have an impact on development of positive lifestyle behaviors. The program portrays the positive outcomes that result from dedication, hard work, self-discipline, teamwork, practice and personal responsibilities. The program also relates the achievements and experiences of baseball players to potential achievements in life.
Does the program have educating and informing children ages 16 and under as a significant purpose?	Yes
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes
Does the Licensee provide information regarding the program, including an indication of the target child audience, to publishers of program guides consistent with 47 C.F.R. Section 73.673?	Yes

**Date and Time Aired:**

Questions	Response
Date Time	Sunday 4/10/11 at 12:30pm; Sunday 5/1/11 & 5/8/11 at 12pm; Saturday 5/14/11-5/28/11 at 1pm

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	Peter J. DiMatteo
Address	285 Broad Street
City	Hartford
State	CT
Zip	06115
Telephone Number	860-723-2142
Email Address	pdimatteo@tribune.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.	Please note that answers to Sections 2, 3 and 4 were left blank, as the station broadcast in digital only, as required by the rules and regulations of the FCC. The correct response to Question No. 7(b) is NO inasmuch as the station has ceased analog operation; however, a YES response is required in order to to enable the submission of this filing. PSA's run geared towards children that are educational and informational in content. See public inspection file for schedule and details. Community Affairs Director visits schools to give out information on Fox 61 Student News. See public file for schedules and details.

Other Matters (9)

Other Matters (1 of 9)	Response
Program Title	Animal Atlas
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Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	13 years to 16 years
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Other Matters (2 of 9)	Response
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Length of Program	30 mins
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Other Matters (3 of 9)	Response
Program Title	Wild About Animals



Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Sundays at 10:30am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Length of Program	30 mins
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Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Sundays at 12:30pm
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 (5 of 9)	Response
Program Title	Pets.TV
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Sundays at 11:30am

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.	(Digital Channel 31.1)Pets.TV celebrates the pets we love and the people who love them through pet news, pet care, pet health and pet lifestyles. The purpose of each program is to provide a safe learning environment for young viewers to become more informed about animals and pets in a positive, pro-social atmosphere.

Other Matters (6 of 9)	Response
Program Title	Eco Company
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturdays at 12:30pm
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.	(Digital Channel 31.1)Eco Company will explore all aspects of being green and understanding how we impact our world. The E-Co team will report on the latest technologies in energy, recycling, conervation and organics and will share stories of young people making a positive impact on the environment. Each week the show will also provide practical tips that teens, and people of all ages can use in their daily lives.

Other Matters (7 of 9)	Response
Program Title	Critter Gitters
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturdays at 11am & 11:30am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	26
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	9 years to 14 years

Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(Digital sub-channel 31.2)Series features a non-violent, adventurous format that can be enjoyed by the entire family while stimulating creativity, promoting team work, and showcasing moral dilemmas and social values. A search and rescue, animal adventure-themed series with an entertaining twist of investigative and detective "super sleuthing" by a group of neighborhood kids, a veterinarian, a marine biologist, a zany professor, and colorful neighborhood characters. Action and stimulating story lines combined with compelling situations along with kids' natural curiosity and love for animals. Series features a diverse cast providing positive role models. To add variety to the series, episodes haven been produced in Costa Rica, Switzerland, the Florida Everglades, The Great Northwest, East Coast, Mid West... just about everywhere in the USA.
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Other Matters (8 of 9)	Response
Program Title	Curiosity Quest
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturdays at 12pm & 12:30pm
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	26
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	9 years to 12 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(Digital sub-channel 31.2)Curiosity Quest is an upbeat, family, educational program that explores what viewers are curious about. In each show, host Joel Greene ventures on a quest to answer viewer's letters of curiosity. Each quest takes the audience on location for an unscripted, hands-on, educational exploration. In addition, throughout each program, Joel will hit the streets to get real and often comical answers to questions pertaining to each episode. Joel's enthusiastic personality often lands him in hilarious situations in pursuit of the answer.

Other Matters (9 of 9)	Response
Program Title	Mustard Pancakes
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturdays at 10am & 10:30am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	26
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	3 years to 6 years

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Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	(Digital sub-channel 31.2)Mustard Pancakes is a television series for children, featuring the loveable and talented Courtney Campbell, and her family of fun-loving friends. Each episode mirrors a slice of everyday life, from problems to celebrations and everything in between. Courtney lives with her cat, Mr. D., and her three dogs, Oogleberry Ink Dog, Tiny Tina Ten Toes and Mo - definitely an offbeat family! Courtney's home is warm, friendly and inviting. A cozy place, where all children feel comfortable hanging out, singing songs and hearing stories.
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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><b>FAILURE TO SIGN THIS APPLICATION MAY RESULT IN DISMISSAL OF THE APPLICATION AND FORFEITURE OF ANY FEES PAID</b></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>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><b>Tribune Television Company, Debtor-in- Possession</b></p>

**Attachments**

No Attachments.