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General	Section	Question	Response
Information	Attachments	Are attachments (other than associated schedules) being filed with this application?	

Applicant	Applicant Name, Typ	e, and Contact Info	rmation		
Information	Applicant	Address	Phone	Email	Applicant Type

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Contact Representatives (0)

Children's	Section	Question	Response	
Television Information	Station Type	Station Type	Network Affiliation	n
		Affiliated network	NBC	
		Nielsen DMA	Parkersburg	
		Web Home Page Address	www.wtap.com	
Digital Core	Question			Response
Programming	State the average number of hours of Core Programming per week broadcast by the station on its main program stream			4.0
	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			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
	•	at least 50% of the Core Programming counted toward meeting ed to free video programming aired on other than the main Yes N		Yes

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?

Digital Core Programs(7)

Digital Core Program (1 of 7)	Response
Program Title	Noodle and Doodle
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday 10:00-10:30a
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Total times aired	13
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	5
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	2 years to 5 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Noodle and Doodle is an instructional series that features creating art projects and cooking projects around a specific theme. The show is hosted by Sean, who drives around in a double-decker bus fully equipped with art supplies, and a kitchen, all ready for any assignment. The projects encourage parent engagement and often feature families working together to make something for display in the child's home. Sean is accompanied by Doggity, an every-faithful Beagle dog, who transforms into an animated character during interstitial trips to a parallel universe and kitchen full of prank playing animated characters. While the show will be enjoyed by preschoolers, the projects are very practical and engaging to implement for children ages 5-8. The art projects typically feature lessons on recycling materials for re-use in making art and always demonstrate that creativity can transform something intended for one purpose into something useful to achieve a completely different goal.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E /I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (2 of 7)	Response
Program Title	Teen Kids News
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday 9:30-10:00a
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	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.	Created by Eyewitness News and Weekly Reader, a team of young journalists report from profession news set. Teachers download television news scripts from the Weekly Reader web site to use in the classroom. This program gives students a clear voice into the adult-dominated media and provides a unique perspective to the news that is not currently available on television. The lead story each week takes a kid sensitive approach to serious news topics such as terrorism, bullying and cliques as well the alarming increase in diabetes in children. In addition, various segments will be shot around the world on location.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (3 of 7)	Response
Program Title	Pajanimals
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday 10:30-11:00a

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	5
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	2 years to 5 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	The Pajanimals are a group of four preschool aged puppets who live together in house with their off-scremother and father. We meet them in the bedroom, a dormitory of sorts, where they show us their nighttim routine of brushing their teeth and having quiet conversation before falling off to sleep. The quiet time, always turns into a discussion that results in a dream-like adventure to solve a problem, such as overcoming shyness, making a new friend, or dealing with a bully. The adventure takes place in several nighttime dream locales where special friends help them work through the socio-emotional problem of the day. Specific approaches to managing the problem are demonstrated and practiced during the adventure and the children return home confident, getting ample rest for today and facing their issues tomorrow.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E /I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (4 of	
7)	Response
Program Title	Poppy Cat
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday 11:00-11:30a

Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Total times aired	13
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	5
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	2 years to 5 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Poppy Cat is based on the book series by Lara Jones and uses embedded lessons on imagination and storytelling to encourage creating thinking for preschool children. In each story the narrator, Lara reads a story about Poppy Cat, to her own cat named Poppy. She makes up a story that will be exciting and just follows her imagination to distant lands reached by boat, plane or train. Poppy Cat is the leader of his group of animal friends, and the story always features an underlying message about being nice to yet ignoring the antics of the resident bully, a badger named Egbert. The lesson is always to think creatively and exercise your mind through reading because it will always lead to enjoyment and adventure.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (5 of 7)	Response
Program Title	Justin Time
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday 11:30-12:00p
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	4
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	2 years to 5 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Justin Time features and little boy, Justin, who wants very much to master his destiny, have great adventures, and solve problems. He begins with a problem that vexes him and daydreams his way into an adventure that takes him to different places around the world, but also provides him with an experience that helps him solve his problem when he returns home. While on the adventure he is accompanied by Olive, a knowledgeable imaginary playmate, and Squidgy the morphing flying sponge, who provides commentary and comedy along the way. Justin's lessons involve learning, for example, that it takes focus to achieve success, failure can teach what we need to do to succeed next time, or when one path to solve a problem doesn't work, you can find another way to get to your goal. Justin is all about self-directed learning from the young child's perspective and imagination.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E /I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (6 of 7)	Response
Program Title	Lazy Town
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday 12:00-12:30p
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Total times aired	13

Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	5
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	2 years to 5 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Lazy Town promotes fitness and healthful habits for children of preschool and primary grades. It takes place in an imaginary setting, Lazy Town, and most episodes relate children's eating and fitness habits to problem solving in their "real world." The lead character, Stephanie, guides the audience through the story. She and her best friends, a group of "human" puppets reside in Lazy Town, where her uncle is the Mayor Milford Meanswell. The underground spy and influencer who defines the ethos of Lazy Town is Robbie Rotten, and he determined to ruin the health and fitness practices of Stephanie and her friends. When the kids get into difficulties with Robbie Rotten, it is Sportacus, gymnast/athlete who comes to the rescue from his home in a spaceship that hovers over earth, prepared to answer to any call for help. The ever-present theme of Lazy Town is to eat "sports candy" which consists of fruits and vegetables, get sufficient sleep, and go outside and engage in a wide range of physical activities, from playing games, holding athletic competitions, to building forts and play structures.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E /I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (7 of 7)	Response
Program Title	The Wiggles
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday 12:30-1:00p
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	8
Total times aired	13
Number of Preemptions	0

Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	5
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.	The Wiggles is a musical variety show specifically designed for children ages 3-6. Starring Tony, Murray Greg and Jeff, the Wiggles offers a montage of skits that are specifically designed for teaching and entertaining the preschool audience. Supported by an ensemble of characters, larger than life animals (humans dressed as animal characters) and a pirate, Captain Feathersword, the Wiggles teach number letters, colors, matching and classifying what belongs together (or not), and following directions. There's dancing, occasional guest artists, and lots of visual interest for the viewer, while the lessons are broken down into easily understandable elements for the preschool viewer.
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	D.J. Kreiss
	Address	One Television Plaza
	City	Parkersburg
	State	WV
	Zip	26101
	Telephone Number	304-485-4588
	Email Address	programming@wtap. 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.	

Other Matters (7)

Other Matters (1 of 7)	Response
Program Title	Teen Kids News
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Satuday 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.	Created by Eyewitness News and Weekly Reader, a team of young journalists report from professional news set. Teachers download television news scripts from the Weekly Reader web site to use in the classroom. This program gives students a clear voice into the adult-dominated media and provides a unique perspective to the news that is not currently available on television. The lead story each week takes a kid sensitive approach to serious news topics such as terrorism, bullying and cliques as well as the alarming increase in diabetes in children. In addition, various segments will be shot around the world on location.

Other Matters (2 of 7)	Response
Program Title	Noodle and Doodle
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday 10:00a
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	2 years to 5 years

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

Program Title

Poppy Cat

Noodle and Doodle is an instructional series that features creating art projects and cooking projects around a specific theme. The show is hosted by Sean, who drives around in a double-decker bus fully equipped with art supplies, and a kitchen, all ready for any assignment. The projects encourage parent engagement and often feature families working together to make something for display in the child's home. Sean is accompanied by Doggity, an every-faithful Beagle dog, who transforms into an animated character during interstitial trips to a parallel universe and kitchen full of prank playing animated characters. While the show will be enjoyed by preschoolers, the projects are very practical and engaging to implement for children ages 5-8. The art projects typically feature lessons on recycling materials for re-use in making art and always demonstrate that creativity can transform something intended for one purpose into something useful to achieve a completely different goal.

Other Matters (3 of 7)	Response
Program Title	Pajanimals
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	2 years to 5 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	The Pajanimals are a group of four preschool aged puppets who live together in house with their off-screen mother and father. We meet them in the bedroom, a dormitory of sorts, where they show us their nighttime routine of brushing their teeth and having quiet conversation before falling off to sleep. The quiet time, always turns into a discussion that results in a dream-like adventure to solve a problem, such as overcoming shyness, making a new friend, or dealing with a bully. The adventure takes place in several nighttime dream locales where special friends help them work through the socio-emotional problem of the day. Specific approaches to managing the problem are demonstrated and practiced during the adventure, and the children return home confident, getting ample rest for today and facing their issues tomorrow.
Other Matters (4 of 7)	Response

Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Satuday 11:00a

Total times aired at regularly	13
scheduled time	
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	2 years to 5 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Poppy Cat is based on the book series by Lara Jones and uses embedded lessons on imagination and storytelling to encourage creating thinking for preschool children. In each story the narrator, Lara reads a story about Poppy Cat, to her own cat named Poppy. She makes up a story that will be exciting and just follows her imagination to distant lands reached by boat, plane or train. Poppy Cat is the leader of his group of animal friends, and the story always features an underlying message about being nice to yet ignoring the antics of the resident bully, a badger named Egbert. The lesson is always to think creatively and exercise your mind through reading because it will always lead to enjoyment and adventure.
Other Matters (5 of 7)	Response
Program Title	Justin Time
Origination	Network
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	2 years to 5 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core	Justin Time features and little boy, Justin, who wants very much to master his destiny, have great adventures, and solve problems. He begins with a problem that vexes him and daydreams his way into an adventure that takes him to different places around the world, but also provides him with an experience the helps him solve his problem when he returns home. While on the adventure he is accompanied by Olive, a knowledgeable imaginary playmate, and Squidgy the morphing flying sponge, who provides commentary and comedy along the way. Justin's lessons involve learning, for example, that it takes focus to achieve success, failure can teach what we need to do to succeed next time, or when one path to solve a problem doesn't work, you can find another way to get to your goal. Justin is all about self-directed learning from the young child's perspective and imagination.

Matters (6 of

Response

7)

	Lazy Town
Origination	Network
Days/Times	Satuday 12:00p
Program	
Regularly	
Scheduled	
Total times	13
aired at	
regularly	
scheduled	
time	
Length of	30 mins
Program	
Age of	2 years to 5 years
Target Child	
Audience	
from	
Describe the	Lazy Town promotes fitness and healthful habits for children of preschool and primary grades. It tak
educational	in an imaginary setting, Lazy Town, and most episodes relate children's eating and fitness habits to
and	solving in their "real world." The lead character, Stephanie, guides the audience through the story.
informational	her best friends, a group of "human" puppets reside in Lazy Town, where her uncle is the Mayor Mi
objective of	Meanswell. The underground spy and influencer who defines the ethos of Lazy Town is Robbie Rot
the program	he determined to ruin the health and fitness practices of Stephanie and her friends. When the kids g
and how it	difficulties with Robbie Rotten, it is Sportacus, gymnast/athlete who comes to the rescue from his he
meets the	spaceship that hovers over earth, prepared to answer to any call for help. The ever-present theme of
definition of	Town is to eat "sports candy" which consists of fruits and vegetables, get sufficient sleep, and go or
Core	and engage in a wide range of physical activities, from playing games, holding athletic competitions
Programming.	building forts and play structures.
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Other Matters (7 of 7)	Response
Program Title	The Wiggles
Origination	Network
Dave/Timos	Saturday 12:30n
Days/Times	Saturday 12:30p
Program	Saturday 12:30p
Program Regularly	Saturday 12:30p
Program	Saturday 12:30p
Program Regularly Scheduled Total times	Saturday 12:30p 13
Program Regularly Scheduled Total times aired at	
Program Regularly Scheduled Total times	
Program Regularly Scheduled Total times aired at	
Program Regularly Scheduled Total times aired at regularly	
Program Regularly Scheduled Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Program Regularly Scheduled Total times aired at regularly scheduled time Length of	13

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

The Wiggles is a musical variety show specifically designed for children ages 3-6. Starring Tony, Murray, Greg and Jeff, the Wiggles offers a montage of skits that are specifically designed for teaching and entertaining the preschool audience. Supported by an ensemble of characters, larger than life animals (humans dressed as animal characters) and a pirate, Captain Feathersword, the Wiggles teach numbers, letters, colors, matching and classifying what belongs together (or not), and following directions. There's dancing, occasional guest artists, and lots of visual interest for the viewer, while the lessons are broken down into easily understandable elements for the preschool viewer.

Programming.

Question

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.	
I declare, under penalty of perjury, that I am an authorized representative of the above-named applicant for the Authorization(s) specified above.	Gray Television Licensee, LLC

Attachments No Attachments.