

JHS THEATRE CREW LEADER APPLICATION

CREW Leadership Positions: COSTUMES PROPS/RUNNING CREW
ASST. DIRECTOR LIGHTING
SET/DECK CREW MAKE UP
SOUND (2) ASST. STAGE MANAGER
SCENIC ARTIST

* Crew Leader: Junior or Senior (whenever possible) with at least one year prior crew experience, an excellent work ethic, and proven skill in the chosen area.

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NAME: _____ GRADE: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ Zip: _____

YOUR email: _____ Approx. overall GPA: _____

Parent/guardian email: _____ P/G phone: _____

DESIRED LEADERSHIP POSITION: _____

CONFLICTS: Look over that attached rehearsal/tech schedule and specifically list ALL conflicts on the attached form.

ANSWER THE FOLLOWING questions on a separate piece of paper with a typed, short paragraph (100 words or less for each paragraph):

1. List all prior theatre experience (both onstage and backstage)
2. Why are you interested in this leadership position?
3. What strengths/experience do you have to offer?

I understand that the position of crew leader is on a "per show" basis. I will do my best and be available to assist the JHS Thespians, Jenison Jr. High Thespians, and maybe other groups or activities coming into the JHS Auditorium or JCA. I understand the commitments associated with the position for which I am applying and, if selected, agree to put forth my best efforts in fulfilling the duties of this position. I AGREE that EVERYONE under my leadership WILL be taught all there is to know regarding their position as well as my own. If I fail to fulfill my commitment as a crew leader for the JHS Thespians, I understand that I may be dismissed after a careful review of my actions or lack thereof. I understand that a crew leader must stay positive, be encouraging to those students under my care, and be the hardest working member of my crew. I have read and agree to the commitments as listed on this form and JHS Theatre Acting/Crew Contract.

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