

Odyssey of the Mind Application

Student Name _____ Birthday _____

Grade _____ Teacher _____

Parents Names _____

Parent E-mail _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

We (student and parents) all understand that OM is an important time commitment to the school and the team. Once the team members are chosen and start practicing together, no team member can be replaced. We will commit to attending weekly practices and supporting the team. We will be available Sunday February 22, 2015 to participate in the Odyssey of the Mind Coastal Regional Tournament and also available March 28th for the State Tournament if the team qualifies. I understand that all travel costs to participate in OotM are the responsibility of my family.

Student Signature _____

Parent Signature _____

This is a parent run program. The number of students selected to participate depends on the number of parents who commit to being coaches. If your child is selected for a team, you will be expected to help in some way. Please indicate your preference below.

I am interested in:

_____ coaching my son/daughter's team

_____ judging at the tournament

_____ preparing materials for practices

_____ support behind the scenes (t-shirts, travel accommodations, etc.)

My child is available to practice for 1-2 hours after school on the following days:

_____Monday _____Tuesday _____Wednesday _____Thursday _____Friday

**Applications are due by 2:45pm on Sept. 22nd.
Tryouts will be held Sept 23rd and Sept 29 from 2:45-3:45 pm in Rm 702.**

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Please answer the following questions (while you can help your child understand the question, please refrain from giving them ideas – Odyssey is based on “no outside assistance” and we want the responses to be genuine)

1. Why would you like to participate in Odyssey of the Mind?

2. Do you prefer to work alone or as part of a team? Why?

3. Rank your strengths/ preferences below in order from 1-5 (#1 is what you are best at and #5 is your least)

Performing in front of an audience/ Drama _____

Artistic Quality (drawing, painting, art, etc) _____

Building & Construction (use of tools, building props, etc) _____

Creative Writing (stories & skits) _____

Problem Solving (“think on your feet”) _____

Be creative!!:

4. What do you do with your feet besides walk or run?

5. At what time would you like the clock to stop and why?

6. In what ways could you recycle your desk?
