



Prime Stage Theatre Literacy in ACTION Program Application

The Prime Stage Theatre Literacy in ACTION Program is designed to help teachers in underserved districts of our region transform their reluctant and struggling adolescent students into students who can read, are motivated, and find value and enjoyment in a variety of literature.

Participating schools often have very limited resources to provide new books and enriching literacy programs, along with minimal opportunities to include multiple arts and theatre programs in the curriculum. They must also have PSSA Reading scores that need improvement and a stated need to improve their students' reading proficiency levels from the administration. Teachers must also agree to implement the literature, the in-school workshops, professional development, and the field trips as designed. Participating schools are asked to make a commitment to the Literacy in ACTION Program, which extends throughout one school year.

Application Date: _____

School Name: _____

School District: _____

Educator Name: _____

Educator Email: _____

Educator Phone Number: _____

Please check one box for each of the following statements:

My school has a large population of students on the Free and Reduced Lunch Program. ___ Yes ___ No

My school has a large population of minority students. ___ Yes ___ No

My school is an urban school. ___ Yes ___ No

My school is a rural school. ___ Yes ___ No

My school has little access to professional performing arts opportunities. ___ Yes ___ No

My school is underfunded with regards to enrichment opportunities. ___ Yes ___ No

1. Why do you want you and your school to participate in the Literacy in ACTION Program?

2. Why do you think your school deserves to participate in the Literacy in ACTION Program? (Please provide as much specific information as possible, including PSSA test score information, Free and Reduced Lunch program information numbers, demographic percentages, etc.)

3. How did you hear about the Literacy in ACTION program?

Thank you for filling out the Literacy in ACTION application. The Education Director will be in contact within 30 days of receipt of the application to discuss the status of your application.

You may email the completed application to lhaston@primestage.com or mail to the following address:

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