

Northwest Tri-County Intermediate Unit # 5 - 2023-2024 Program Application

TALENT SEARCH PROGRAM

PART 1: STUDENT INFORMATION (Please Print Using Ink)

Name: _____
LAST FIRST MIDDLE

Address: _____
STREET CITY STATE ZIP

Primary Phone for Contact: (____) _____ Home Parent/Guardian Cell Send Text

Student Phone: (____) _____ Cell Send Text

Gender: __ Male __ Female __ Other: _____ Student E-mail Address: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Social Security Number: _____

I am a U.S. Citizen: ____ Yes ____ No If you checked "No" for U.S. Citizen, please respond to one of the following:

____ I am a permanent resident* I have applied for citizenship** I am neither
(*Copy of your permanent resident card must be included) (**Copy of citizenship application must be included)

Ethnic Background: ____ Black / African American ____ Native Hawaiian / Pacific Islander ____ Asian
____ Hispanic / Latino ____ American Indian / Alaska Native ____ White

PART 2: SCHOOL AND ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Current Grade in School: ____ 6th ____ 7th ____ 8th ____ 9th ____ 10th ____ 11th ____ 12th

Current School: __ Erie High __ East Middle __ Wilson Middle __ Discovery __ Leadership __ Skills __ Other _____

If you have ever been enrolled in Talent Search, Upward Bound, Upward Bound Math / Science, GO College, or any other program that provides specialized educational programs / services, please complete the following:

Name of Program: _____ Name of Advisor: _____

PART 3: PARENT / GUARDIAN HOUSEHOLD INFORMATION

Father or Male Guardian: _____	
LAST	FIRST
Street Address: _____ City / State / Zip: _____	
Email Address: _____	
Occupation: _____	Employer: _____
Phone 1: (____) _____ Home Cell Send Text Phone 2: (____) _____ Cell Work Send Text	
Highest level of education father / male guardian achieved: (Check One)	
____ Did not complete high school ____ High School Diploma ____ Trade Cert ____ GED ____ 2-year College Degree ____ 4-year College Degree	

Mother or Female Guardian: _____	
LAST	FIRST
Street Address: _____ City / State / Zip: _____	
Email Address: _____	
Occupation: _____	Employer: _____
Phone 1: (____) _____ Home Cell Send Text Phone 2: (____) _____ Cell Work Send Text	
Highest level of education mother / female guardian achieved: (Check One)	
____ Did not complete high school ____ High School Diploma ____ Trade Cert ____ GED ____ 2-year College Degree ____ 4-year College Degree	

Complete Reverse Side of Application

I currently live with (check all that apply):

☐ Father ☐ Stepfather ☐ Male guardian Number of brother(s) _____ Number of sister(s): _____
☐ Mother ☐ Stepmother ☐ Female guardian ☐ Other (specify): _____

Do you have a sibling that would be interested in Talent search?

Name _____ School _____ Grade _____

PART 4: FINANCIAL INFORMATION (to be completed by Parent / Guardian)

**THE TALENT SEARCH PROGRAM IS A FEDERALLY FUNDED PROGRAM.
FOR THE APPLICANT TO QUALIFY, VERIFICATION OF INCOME IS NECESSARY.
ALL INFORMATION IS CONFIDENTIAL AND FOR PROGRAM USE ONLY**

Program eligibility is determined, and partially based on, **ANNUAL TAXABLE INCOME.**

Please indicate the level of your TOTAL FAMILY TAXABLE INCOME for 2022 (taken from the IRS Form 1040 line 43; 1040A line 27; or 1040EZ line 6). Note: This is not the same as your adjusted gross income – please use TAXABLE INCOME.

_____ Less than \$21,870	_____ Between \$45,000 and \$52,710
_____ Between \$21,870 and \$29,580	_____ Between \$52,710 and \$60,420
_____ Between \$29,580 and \$37,290	_____ Between \$60,420 and \$68,130
_____ Between \$37,290 and \$45,000	_____ Between \$68,130 and \$75,840

For families with more than 8 members, add the following amount for each additional member: \$7,710

How many people are supported by your household income? _____

PART 5: PARENT COMMITMENT / RECORDS RELEASE

I certify that the family and financial information is true, correct, and complete to the best of my knowledge. I hereby authorize the Northwest Tri-County Intermediate Unit #5 Talent Search Program Staff to:

- Access my son's / daughter's school or agency records to determine eligibility for the program, monitor his / her status and progress in middle, secondary, and post-secondary education, and determine eligibility for financial aid, including scholarships and grants.
- Access any of my son's / daughter's school health records when a medical condition has been disclosed.
- Use my son's / daughter's name and / or picture in any newsletter, Web pages, brochures, videos, CDs / DVDs, or other public relations materials that pertain to the Talent Search program and / or the Northwest Tri-County Intermediate Unit #5.
_____ **YES, Okay to Use** _____ **NO, Do Not Use**
- Provide in-school academic support services and career exploration in order to assist and encourage my son / daughter with choices regarding education beyond high school.
- Encourage my son / daughter to obtain before and / or after school tutoring services, if needed, as offered by his / her school district or the Talent Search program.

We understand that, if selected, our son / daughter will be required to attend and participate in meetings, activities, and field trips on an on-going basis, and attend tutoring classes, if needed, until his / her graduation from high school. If possible, he / she will participate in planned summer activities and we will also consider him / her attending, if invited, the five (5) day Summer College Campus Experience at Penn State Behrend. This application remains in effect until my son / daughter and I notify his / her Academic Specialist, in writing, that he / she no longer wishes to participate in the Talent Search Program.

Parent / Guardian Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Student Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

IU5 / TS Staff Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

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Erie High School

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For IU5 / TS Staff ONLY: CIRCLE STATUS LI / FG LI FG OTHER WAITLIST DATE: GPA: