

Miss Fulton County & Miss Montgomery County Scholarship Organization

2019 Bright Stars Application

The Bright Stars is a non-competitive, mentorship program for girls and boys that allows them to perform onstage during the 2019 Miss Fulton County & Miss Montgomery County Competition. As a Bright Star, your child will get to work with the ever talented Ayecia Simpson (BFA SUNY Brockport 2014) and Baylee Simpson (BFA SUNY Brockport 2016; Miss Fulton County 2015), who will supervise and entertain your child, while teaching them a routine they will perform onstage during the competition. The other benefits include the following:

- Their photo in the official Miss Fulton County & Miss Montgomery County Competition Program Book
- Their name will be announced from the stage during the competition by the emcees.
- A pizza party with Miss Fulton County, Chelsea Cirillo, Miss Montgomery County, Sara James.
- Meet and greet with Miss New York, Rahmeka Cox.
- Complimentary admission to the competition. (This ticket covers the Bright Star only. Family and friends must purchase their own tickets.)
- Reserved seating during the competition. (This seating is for the Bright Star only.)
- A professional photo with the newly crowned titleholders. (A digital copy will be provided to each parent once it is received by the photographer.)
- Access to purchase professional photos of the stage performance once the photos are posted by the photographer.

Eligibility

To participate in the Bright Stars program, you must agree to these terms and meet these requirements:

1. The child must be at least 5 years of age as of December 1, 2018, and must not turn 13 before April 1, 2019.
2. The child must live or attend school in Fulton or Montgomery County.
3. You must pay a \$25 application fee by check or money order payable to The Miss Fulton County Scholarship Program, which is due with this completed application.
4. You must submit a photo of your child to be used in our promotional material. Headshots are preferred but they do not need to be professional photos (and if they are professional photos, please include the photographer's written permission that the photo may be reproduced for this purpose.
5. The application Due Date is December 28, 2018. The application and payment must be signed but may be submitted via email to missfultoncountyny@gmail.com no later than the Due Date. The fee must be mailed to Miss Fulton County and Miss Montgomery County Scholarship Organization, % Jessica Fielding, PO Box 891, Caroga Lake, NY 12032 and must be postmarked no later than the Due Date. The photo must be sent to missfultoncountyny@gmail.com no later than the Due Date.
6. The child must be able to attend the mandatory rehearsal on Friday, January 18, 2019, from 5:30 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. and the show Saturday, January 19, 2019, from 4:00 p.m. until it ends. Both the rehearsal and the show will be held at the Gloversville Middle School.
7. Your child should wear "fancy dress" attire to the competition. We ask that girls wear knee or tea-length dresses, jumpsuits, or pants and a blouse. Boys should wear dress pants or chinos with a collared shirt. Ties and jackets are optional.
8. You may submit Salute Pages for your Bright Star, which will be included in the program book. The Salute Page Form is a separate form that can be downloaded from our website. Completed forms and payment in full are due (in hand) no later than December 31, 2018.

Child's Information:			Parent/Guardian Information:	
Name*:			Name:	
Current age*:			Phone:	
Birthdate:			Email:	
Home address:	Street:		Mailing Address:	
	City/Town:			
	County:			
School*:			Emergency Contact:	
Eligible based on [check one]:	<input type="checkbox"/> residency <input type="checkbox"/> school <input type="checkbox"/> both		Name:	
Child's Passion or Favorite thing*:			Phone:	
*These items will be announced from the stage.				

Schedule

Fri., January 18, 2018 Gloversville Middle School	Sat., January 19, 2018 Gloversville Middle School
<p><u>Arrival:</u> 5:30 p.m., meet Ayecia and Baylee in the Gathering Area, drop off children</p> <p><u>Pick-up:</u> 8:00 p.m., meet Ayecia and Baylee in the Gathering Area</p> <p><u>Events:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Learn and rehearse stage routine - Pizza party - Meet and Greet with Miss New York (TBD) - Buy presale tickets for family - Get pass for escort drop of on Saturday night <p><u>Attire:</u> comfortable, casual clothes (but the child may want to bring his or her dress shoes to practice in)</p>	<p><u>Arrival:</u> 5:45 p.m.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - use the escort pass to meet Ayecia and Baylee in the Gathering Area - the escort may remain in the lobby area but will not be allowed in the auditorium until the doors are opened <p><u>Pick-up:</u> post-show, meet Ayecia and Baylee in the cafeteria</p> <p><u>Events:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Practice stage routine - Meet and Greet with Miss New York (TBD) - Take seats in reserved seating - Perform on stage - Go backstage after crowning for photos <p><u>Attire:</u> Children should arrive stage-ready in their fancy-dress attire.</p>

Legal Details

By signing this application, you agree to the following additional terms:

- The Miss Fulton County & Miss Montgomery County Organization (the “Organization”) may take photographs or audio recordings of your child and use these photographs and recordings in for advertisements or other purposes in perpetuity. In addition, the Organization may use any photographs you have submitted to the Organization in the same manner.
- The application fee is non-refundable after December 28, 2018.
- We expect that your child will maintain good behavior throughout the weekend events. If your child misbehaves, he or she will be given one warning. If your child misbehaves again or does anything that puts him or herself or others at risk of harm, we will contact you to pick up your child immediately, your child will not participate in any further events, and your application fee will not be refunded.

Guardian Signature

Guardian Signature: _____

Printed Name: _____