



Ovation! USD 497 Talent Show 2027 Application

Thank you for your interest in auditioning for the eleventh annual USD 497 Talent Show! This event celebrates the diverse talents of Lawrence students and serves as a fundraiser for the Lawrence Schools Foundation.

Eligibility & Expectations

- Participants must be enrolled in a **USD 497 middle or high school** in 2026-2027.
- Each student must complete this application and obtain a parent/guardian signature.
- Due to time limitations, only a select number of acts will be chosen to perform.
- If selected, participants must:
 - Attend the mandatory dress rehearsal on **Sunday, February 7, 2027**, at an assigned time between **12-4:00 PM**.
 - Perform in the talent show on **Sunday, February 7, 2027**, at **7:00 PM**.
 - Complete all preparations for their act prior to the event.

Failure to meet these commitments may result in removal from the USD 497 Talent Show

Performer Information

Performer/Group Name (if applicable): _____

Brief Act Description & Technical Requirements: _____

Recommended performance length: 3–5 minutes. All talents are welcome!

Student Signature: _____

Student Email: _____

School/Grade: _____

Student Phone Number: _____

Parent/Guardian Consent

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- Complete all necessary preparations for their act prior to the event.

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Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Parent Email: _____

Parent Phone Number: _____

Submission Details

Completed applications must be submitted by **Wednesday, November 11, 2026, at 5:00 PM** to: **ovation497@gmail.com**. Due to limited audition slots, it's advised to submit your application early. Once your application is received, you will be contacted with instructions to schedule your audition time. Auditions will be held at the **Lied Center Pavilion** from **1-5:00 PM on Saturday, November 14, 2026**, and **Sunday, November 15, 2026**. We look forward to seeing your talent shine!

Questions? Please reach out to **ovation497@gmail.com**

