



Calling All Performers!

Serpentine Heights is having a Virtual Variety Show

Thursday, May 27, 2021 at 1p.m.

We are very excited to offer the first ever Virtual Variety Show at Serpentine! Variety shows are a great way for students to experience performing for others and a wonderful way to share the many talents we have at our school. Participating in a Virtual Variety Show will give our students the opportunity to share their talents that go beyond school walls!

Due to our current health and safety protocols, only **individual performances or small groups from the same cohort** may perform together. Students from separate cohorts have the option of submitting separate videos and the Virtual Variety Show committee will do their best to compile them together as one performance. Also, small groups can connect with a Variety Show committee member if they need help recording their final video with their cohorts at school.

Please limit submissions to **one** only, whether as a group or individual. Students will need to decide, plan and practice their act/demonstration **before** submitting their video as this would be the one used and shared within the school setting. Each performance must be parent/guardian approved and suitable for an elementary school audience.

This year, submissions for the Virtual Variety Show will need to be pre-recorded and sent in through an online platform. If a large number of videos will be submitted beyond the Variety Show's time limit, the Variety Show committee may need to make some difficult decisions to select performances. Students whose acts are selected will be notified by the middle of May.



What are we looking for?



- A video or photo showcasing your special talent. This can include, but isn't limited to: singers, dancers, musicians, magicians, poets, actors, martial arts, gymnasts, comedy routines (skits, jokes), art or craft-making demonstrations, bakers, sport skills, etc.
- Individuals or groups of up to 4 students are welcome to participate. Due to privacy, videos should showcase **only** this year's Serpentine Heights students!

- Each performance should stick to a minimum of half a minute and be no longer than three minutes.
- If singing, students should use instrumental tracks or karaoke tracks and not ones with the original artist singing. We want to hear your voices!
- Performances must be suitable in content matter and lyrics for a K-7 audience.

How do I enter?



- **Parent/Guardians fill out, "sign" and submit the following form by Monday, April 26 :**

<https://forms.office.com/r/NBhGZH11qQ>

- **Upload final performances to the following site by Monday, May 10** under the student's grade level. You will only be able to see your own submission and not anyone else's videos.
 - o <https://padlet.com/serpheights/bgrd7beedlg22yg2>
 - o Please include the **student's name, division and a title** of the performance.
 - o Clip the + button below the appropriate grade, type in name, division and title then press ↑ to upload the file.
 - Videos should have a plain/clear background and no other people in view.
 - Any questions or support about how to upload or navigate this site can be directed to Ms. Reimer or Ms. Woo.
- The chosen videos will be shared at a Virtual Variety Show assembly on Thursday, May 27 for the students of Serpentine Heights only.

We are looking forward to our first Virtual Variety Show at Serpentine Heights!

Sincerely, the Variety Show Committee,

Ms. Postnikoff, Ms. Posoukh, Ms. Reimer and Ms. Woo