Deadline: November 8

In Odyssey of the Mind, students work together in teams of five to seven to:

- ✓ Develop a solution to a complex problem in the form of an 8-minute skit to be presented at tournaments.
- ✓ Practice creative thinking and risk-taking without fear of criticism.
- ✓ Learn new skills and practice others, gaining confidence in their abilities.
- ✓ Do ALL the work themselves, without any outside assistance.
- ✓ Have FUN!!

Teams meet weekly for 1-2 hours until the March tournament date nears.
Days and times depend on availability of coaches. We can not form teams until coaches step forward to lead them.
Costs vary to cover materials and fees ($20-$40).

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TEAM MEMBER/COACH INTEREST FORM

Student's Name:_____________________________________Grade:_____Teacher'sName:_________________________

Parent/Guardian: _____________________________ Phone #:___ ____________Email: __________________________

MEETING AVAILABILITY: From late October through March, check all the days and times your student can meet:

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Afterschool/afternoons							
Evenings							
Mornings							

PROBLEM CHOICES: List problem numbers you are most interested in (in order). ___________________
Visit https://www.odysseyofthemind.com/2020ltproblems/ for more description:

#1 Longshot Solution vehicle type
#2 Networking technical type
#3 Classics…The Effective Detective art, literature, history type
#4 Balsa Limbo balsa wood construction type
#5 Gibberish or Not performance type
For K-2 only: **#6 The Fashion Bug** non-competitive type (will perform at competition but will not be scored)

OTHER INFORMATION: (teammate requests, special talents/skills/interest/needs, etc.)
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VOLUNTEERS: ***Placement on a team and number of teams depends on the number of coaches that volunteer.***
Everyone is needed; Please indicate how you will help.

- ☐ I am willing to coach. Best day/times_________________________________
- ☐ I am willing to co-coach with another parent. Best day/times_________________________________
- ☐ I can come to some team meetings to assist the coach. Best day/times___________________________
- ☐ I can be a judge the day of the tournament (about 8 hours).
- ☐ I can volunteer at the tournament (a few hours).
- ☐ I am willing to help the coach as needed/provide snacks/shopping trips/teach requested skills.

If you have questions about the program, please contact Katherine Kokta, Odyssey of the Mind Coordinator, at katherinekokta@yahoo.com or 503-475-6235.

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