



Mississippi Public Broadcasting

## 2018 MPB Writers Contest Entry Form

Type or print legibly

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Mailing Address

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Check Grade ☐ K ☐ 1st Grade ☐ 2nd Grade ☐ 3rd Grade ☐ 4th Grade ☐ 5th Grade Gender: ☐ F ☐ M

Title of Story \_\_\_\_\_

**Only one entry per child • Must be a member of MPB Kids • Club Only single author stories (no co-authors) • Story must be original work of the child • Original art can include drawings, collages, 3-D and photos taken by the author • Story may be fact or fiction, prose or poetry • Use only one side of the paper • Number each • Text must be printed/written legibly or typed • Children who can't write may dictate their story to be printed or typed • Invented spelling is accepted • Story text may be on pages with illustrations or on separate pages • Non-English text must be translated into English text on the same page and the translated English text must adhere to the word count • Word count includes "a" "an" "the" but not words on nonstory pages (e.g. title page) or those that enhance illustrations.**

I acknowledge that I have read the Contest rules & regulations prior to signing this and that I understand the rules.

Required:

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

If different than the above address:

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Optional for School-Related Entry:

Teacher Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_

School Name \_\_\_\_\_

School Mailing  
Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
School \_\_\_\_\_

Phone(\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Dates for entry:

**February 20, 2018 – April 20, 2018**

Mailing Address:  
MPB Kids Club Writer's Contest  
3825 Ridgewood Rd.  
Jackson, MS 39211

