2027 RULES AND IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- KGT is open to all current DWS students 6th-12th grades. All contestants must be enrolled DWS students.
- To register, applicants must present their submission form, questionnaire form, contestant photo, and signed rules & regulations form to Josh Chapel by Friday, November 20, 2026. Acts must be 2 minutes and 30 seconds or less in duration. Applicants are accepted on a first come basis and **must be received** by 11/20/2026.
- Acts are open, but not limited to: dance, vocal, instrumental, acting, gymnastics, comedy, magic, etc. However, no pyrotechnics and no animals.
- Participants may perform in up to 2 acts with approval of the KGT committee but must be part of a group for one performance and a solo for the other.
- All acts must abide by the DWS Code of Student Conduct and appropriate attire is required. Poor behavior of the participant at school or practices is subject to elimination of participation.
- Judges will choose 2nd runner up, 1st runner up and Winner. Acts will be judged by the areas: creativity, skill, and stage presence.
- A "People's Choice Award" winner will be selected by the audience through an online voting application via smartphone at the event. All talent show participants will be eligible for this award.
- Cash prizes are provided for 1st, 2nd, 3rd places and People's Choice Award.

Thank you for sharing your child on stage for this fantastic school event! Should you have additional questions please contact Stephanie Fountain at 229-344-3179 or email stephaniefountain@icloud.com.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Registration opens Monday, November 9, 2026 and cloese Friday, November 20, 2026.

MANDATORY DRESS REHEARSAL – SUNDAY 1/31/2027 *@ ALBANY MUNICIPAL AUDITORIUM*
Arrive at 5:00 pm. Pizza will be provided for dinner. Target time to be finished is 8:00pm.
Dress Rehearsal is a **CLOSED** rehearsal. Parents should DROP OFF students in the alley, at the backstage door, with a PA representative. Only parents who are KGT volunteers should attend the dress rehearsal.

SHOWTIME MONDAY 2/1/2027 *@ ALBANY MUNICIPAL AUDITORIUM*
Participants should arrive at 5:30 pm, dressed, make-up and hair ready!
Doors open at 6:30 pm and the show begins at 7 pm!

OTHER IMPORTANT DATES:
11/30/2026- T-SHIRTS GO ON SALE VIA SCHOOL EBLAST
1/9/2027 - AD OPPORTUNITIES ARE DUE FROM PARENTS
1/12/2027 TICKETS GO ON SALE AT 8AM FOR PARENTS OF PARTICIPANTS AND WILL GO ON SALE TO THE PUBLIC AT 6PM! CODE TO BE PROVIDED THE NIGHT BEFORE VIA EMAIL. MORE INFO TO FOLLOW.