TRAVELING SCIENCE SHOWS

Evaluation Form
To help us better gauge your impression of our show, please take a few minutes to respond to these questions. Your detailed comments are taken seriously as they help us to improve the quality of future performances. When finished, please return this form to:

Supervisor, Traveling Science Shows
The Franklin Institute
222 North 20th St.
Philadelphia, PA 19103

Please circle the title that best describes your position:
School Administrator Other school staff Camp Staff
Teacher Parent or PTA Member Other _______

Name of your school/organization: _____________________________________________
City and state: _____________________________________________________________
Date of show: __________________________________________________________________
Name of presenter: ___________________________________________________________
How many students attended the show in total? ___________________________________________________________________
What grades attended the show? ___________________________________________________________________

Please circle the name of the show(s) you saw today:
Chemistry Flight Motion and Machines Build It Up!
Electricity Hot and Cold Scientific Method Silly Shadows, Crazy Colors
Energy Human Body Weather Stop That Ball!
Eye to Sky Life in Space Water, Water, Water
Electricity Table Structures Table

Please rate each of the following items on a scale of 1 to 5:
1=Unacceptable 2=Needs improvement 3=Satisfactory 4=Good 5=Excellent NA=Not applicable

The presenter was loud enough and spoke clearly (exclusive of any problems with audio equipment) ____
The presenter held the attention of the audience ____
The presenter had a strong rapport with the audience ____
The presenter’s explanations and examples related to a central theme or educational objective ____
Definitions and explanations were clear and correct ____
Demonstrations were explained effectively ____
Demonstrations were conducted safely and the presenter used safety warnings when appropriate ____
The presenter moved smoothly among science concepts ____
The show was conducted as science education, not as a magic show ____
The presenter made science and science learning fun ____
Overall rating of the show ___

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Please answer the following questions:

1. What did you especially like about the show?

2. What was your students’ favorite part of the show?

3. What aspects of the show would you like to see improved? Please explain.

4. Was the intellectual level of the show too high, too low, or appropriate for the audience?

5. Did the show reflect curriculum standards for your students’ grade level(s)? Yes No

6. Did you receive pre-show materials? Yes No
   Did you find them useful? Please explain.

7. Did you receive post-show materials? Yes No
   Did you find them useful? Please explain.

8. How will you incorporate this show in your science curriculum, if applicable?

9. How does today’s show compare with other Franklin Institute shows that you have seen (if any)? Please mention which other Franklin Institute shows you have seen.

10. Please list any other science topics you like to see us offer in the future.

Any additional comments? (Please attach more sheets if necessary.)

Thank you for your time!

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