



### 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:

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Traveling Science Shows  
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Philadelphia, PA 19103

**Please circle the title that best describes your position:**

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|----------------------|----------------------|-------------|
| 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:**

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|-------------------|------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| Chemistry         | Flight           | Life in Space       | Build It Up!         |
| Electricity       | Hot and Cold     | Motion and Machines | Water, Water, Water  |
| Energy            | Human Body       | Weather             | Library: Summer Read |
| Electricity Table | Structures Table |                     |                      |

**Please rate each of the following items on a scale of 1 to 5:**

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|----------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| 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!**

TSS now travels to camps, libraries, preschools, and other organizations.

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