

Perfect Pageants 2011

Leaders of Tomorrow!



“A child with a dream is a child with a future!”
~Wintley Phipps, US Dream Academy

★ **Selection of Contestants**

Young ladies can apply directly to the 2011 Perfect Miss Teen Charlotte, Perfect Miss Pre-Teen Charlotte and Perfect Little Miss Charlotte pageants by submitting completed application and application fee. The Perfect Pageants encourages each contestant to display their articulation, talent, confidence, poise and personality while gaining experience and friendships that will last a lifetime.

★ **Who can be a Contestant**

Anyone between the ages of 5-16:

Perfect Miss Teen	Ages 13-16
Perfect Miss Pre-Teen Charlotte	Ages 9-12
Perfect Little Miss Charlotte	Ages 5-8

Child must be exact age within a specific category by the pageant date. Contestant must be a resident of either North Carolina or South Carolina. Note: Winner in each category is obligated to attend all appearances regardless of where they live.

★ **Applications**

Contestant must complete and submit their applications to the Pageant Committee by the entry deadline, **May 20th 2011**.

Contestants selected will receive a follow-up via email by May 25th 2011. Early applications will be accepted **May 1st 2011** and will receive automatic entry and consideration. There are limited entries per title.

★ **Registration Fee**

There is a non-refundable registration fee for each title:

Perfect Miss Teen	\$100
Perfect Miss Pre-Teen Charlotte	\$75
Perfect Little Miss Charlotte	\$50

Fee must be included with application to be considered. Payment can be made via money order or certified check or online at www.madetoday.net made payable to MADE Today, Inc. No personal checks or cash will be accepted. This fee can also be paid by obtaining a sponsorship from businesses, family, friends or a combination of all three as long as received by application deadline.

★ **Program Book/Website Photo Requirements**

Each contestant must submit a total of 6- 3 x 5 photos (color and black & white for the judges. The photo will also appear in the program book. All photos must be identical. Include the contestants name exactly as it should appear in the program book on the back of all photos. The photos must be included with application and email a copy to ewilliamson@madetoday.net by deadline.

★ **Dress Requirements and Activities**

Each contestant is to provide her own attire for the following categories:

Opening Number:

Each contestant will be required to purchase the same **exact** dress for the opening number and provide her own black shoes. The dress will not exceed \$25 and location will be disclosed in acceptance letter May 25th. Contestants are not judged during the opening number.

Interview (20%):

Each contestant will have an interview the morning of the competition date. Each contestant will wear a dress or nice pants outfit and answer several questions from the judges. Interview is 5-7 minutes. Contestant must state full name, age, school, and grade at the beginning of their interview. Location will be disclosed May 25th. Perfect Little Miss Charlotte Contestants are exempt from the interview category.

Introduction (10%):

The theme is “Dreaming Now, Achieving Tomorrow: Inspiring the Future.”

Each contestant will mimic their role model in dress, mannerism, and attire. For example if your child’s role model is Oprah Winfrey, they could wear a business suit or dress and jacket, with microphone and heels and give a one line quote from Oprah Winfrey that means something to them or tell why Oprah Winfrey is their role model. Pageant Director can help with suggestions. Contestants are judged on articulation, creativity, attire, and their persuasive inspiration of the person they choose.

Talent (30%):

Each contestant must display a talent of their choice. All music must be submitted on 2 CD’s with application. Each contestant must be ready to display their talent day of practice. Talent submissions cannot be changed after May 20th. Please inform Pageant Director of

any special accommodations needed to make sure they can be met, for example: piano, mats, etc.

Talent Time Guidelines:

Perfect Miss Teen Charlotte	2 minutes
Perfect Miss Pre-Teen Charlotte	1 minute and 30 seconds
Perfect Little Miss Charlotte	1 minute

There is to be no assistance with Talent from anyone other than the contestant with the exception of the Perfect Little Miss Charlotte: an instructor or parent can assist them with their talent in the back of the audience or top of the stage in kneeling position in which does not distract the judges. Deductions apply if time guidelines exceed.

Fitness/Sportswear (15%):

Each contestant must show their favorite past time in which emphasizes their choice to stay physically fit and healthy. Contestant can include props: tennis racket, soccer ball, basketball, poms, etc. However contestant cannot throw, wave or bounce props. No routine is to be displayed.

Glamour Dress (25%):

This is the glitz and glamour portion in which each contestant displays their dress with grace and poise. Dresses can be short and long.

Escort:

Each contestant will need an escort during the Glamour Dress Category to escort them on and off the staff. Choose an escort approximately the same age as contestant. Escorts are required to come attend all practices. Proper dress and is required complimenting the contestants Glamour Dress. Escorts information must be submitted with application and cannot be changed after May 20th 2011. A picture of escort must be emailed to ewilliamson@madetoday.net by deadline.

★ **Other Awards**

Interview Award:	Contestant with highest Interview score
Talent Award:	Contestant with highest Talent score
Fitness/Sportswear Award	Contestant with highest Fit/Spor. score
Glamour Dress Award	Contestant with highest Glam. Dress score
Entrepreneur Award	Contestant with highest Sponsor/Ad sales
Photogenic Award	Contestant with best Program Headshot
Crowd Appeal Award	Contestant with highest bids at pageant
Exquisite Award	Best dressed and appealing male escort

★ **Crowns**

The winner of each title will receive a crown. The crown is not a toy and should be handled with care. It should only be worn during official appearances as a title holder. If the crown is broken it is the responsibility of the family to replace it immediately at a cost of \$30.00.

★ **Accommodations, Transportation and Meals**

All winners and their family and friends are responsible for their housing, transportation and meals during any appearance or representation as a title holder.

★ **Backstage General Rules**

No one is permitted backstage at any time, except security, stage personnel and pageant officials. No one may enter the Miss Pageant area at any time, except authorized personnel. Each contestant must assign **ONE PERSON** in which will assist them the day of the competition in the dressing rooms.

★ **Arrival & Departure**

Contestant will need to arrive Friday AND Saturday for practice. The pageant will be held on a Sunday. Attendance is **REQUIRED** for all rehearsals and meetings. Friday will be check-in, orientation and practice. Saturday will also be practice and sound check. A detailed schedule will be sent at a later date.

★ **Ad Sales**

Each contestant is **required** to sale at least \$100 in ad sales for the program book/souvenir. Ads range from:

¼ Page	\$25
½ Page	\$50
¾ Page	\$75
Full Page	\$100

This can be paid via family, friends, sponsors, etc. by application deadline. All proofs of the ad/logo/layout will be due by May 20th to be published in program via email.

Application Process

To become a contestant the following steps must be followed:

- ★ Complete the Official Application Form
- ★ Complete and sign the Statement of Understanding
- ★ Complete and sign the Website & Photo Release Form
- ★ Send 6- 3 x 5 photo (color and black & white) for program book;
email photo along with escort photo
- ★ \$100 Ad Sales
- ★ Mail the completed forms, photos, membership fee **AND**
sponsorship ad to:

Eiesha Williamson
Miss Perfect Pageants
2010 Water Walk Lane
#105
Charlotte, NC 28208

Winner Receives:

- ★ Crown
- ★ Sash
- ★ Trophy
- ★ Flowers
- ★ Goody Bag
- ★ \$100 Mary Kay Gift Set
- ★ \$250 Model Consulting Gift Certificate
- ★ Group photo with contestants and 2011 title holders
- ★ Appearance Calendar & Autograph Signing
- ★ Professional Headshots and Photo Shoot
- ★ (1) Complimentary copy of the Program Book

All Contestants Receive:

- ★ Trophy
- ★ Flowers

Official Application Form

Contestant Name, (As you wish it to appear in program book):

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(First) (Middle) (Last)

Age: _____ Birth date: _____ School: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Parents E-mail Address: _____

Home # () _____ Cell # () _____ Work # () _____

Mother's Name: _____ Father's Name: _____

Contestant Sponsor(s) (if applicable- must complete sponsorship packet)

Title in which contestant is competing for: _____

Talent in which will be displayed: _____

Props in talent portion (if applicable): _____

Talent Description (to be read competition day when contestant takes stage) not to exceed 2 sentences:

Escort Full Name: (First) _____ (Last) _____

Statement of Understanding

As parents of _____ we are submitting her application for approval. We agree to conduct ourselves at all times in a professional manner. We will ensure that our daughter will conduct herself in a proper manner at all times and will be prompt to all pageant winner activities. We understand that this **IS** a competition, but a mentoring and learning experience conducted by the Pageant Committee and I agree to all decisions made by the judges and committee relative to pageant.

Transportation, Housing & Meals

I further understand that I will furnish transportation while participating in the Program. All winner and their families are responsible for their own housing and meals during all activities.

I have submitted a application fee of (circle one)

Perfect Miss Teen	\$100
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I have submitted \$100 in Ad Sales

Mail Forms, photos, ad sales, and fee to:

Eiesha Williamson
Miss Perfect Pageants
2010 Water Walk Lane
#105
Charlotte, NC 28208

Additional contact information for Pageant Executive Director-
Eiesha Williamson:
704-333-4062
ewilliamson@madetoday.net
www.madetoday.net

Parents Signatures _____, _____

Date _____

Website & Photographer Release

I hereby grant permission to the Miss Perfect Pageants to use my photograph on their respective website or in other official printed publications without further consideration, and I acknowledge the board's right to crop or treat the photo at its discretion.

I also understand that once my image is posted on the Miss Perfect Pageant website, any computer user can download the image. Therefore, I agree to indemnify and hold harmless from any claims the following:

- Miss Perfect Pageant and its Board of Directors

WEBSITE RELEASE

CONTESTANT NAME <small>Please Print</small>	
NAME OF PARENT OR GUARDIAN	
DATE	
ADDRESS	
PHONE	
PARENT OR GUARDIAN SIGNATURE	

PERMISSION TO USE COPYRIGHT NEGATIVE OR PRINT

PHOTOGRAPHER NAME <small>Please Print</small>	
PHOTOGRAPHER ADDRESS	
PHOTOGRAPHER PHONE	
<p>As photographer and copyright owner of the attached negative(s) or print(s), I grant permission for my negative(s) or print(s) to be used for the purpose of producing photo cards, invitations, announcements or miscellaneous social or commercial stationary items as selected by one or more of the principals in the photograph(s). The negative(s) or print(s) are to be used solely for the purpose of publicity for all activities sponsored by the Miss Perfect Pageants.</p>	
PHOTOGRAPHER SIGNATURE	
DATE	

Miss Perfect Pageant "Future" Contestant Referral Form

Do you have family or friends that would love to be a Miss Perfect contestant next year? If so, please complete this form so we can include them in our mailings! A ***trophy*** will be awarded to the contestant submitting the most verified referrals (4 referral minimum for award consideration). It could be you!! **All referrals must be submitted with your Application.**

Future Contestant Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____
Address City State Zip

Parents Names: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Future Contestant Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____
Address City State Zip

Parents Names: _____

E-mail Address: _____

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Mailing Address: _____
Address City State Zip

Parents Names: _____

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Parents Names: _____

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