



Application Form

Completing this form is your first step to becoming a member of GirlTalk Team. Submit this application and you are on your way to the final selection process. GirlTalk girls will be notified by April 5th, 2007 of their acceptance!

Who are you?

Name:	Address/City/State:
Date of Birth:	Caregivers Email:
Phone Number	
My T-Shirt Size:	My Favorite Website:
Name of My School:	
Grade:	My Email:
My Favorite Subjects:	

What do you think?

Science is:	<input type="checkbox"/> cool!	<input type="checkbox"/> okay	<input type="checkbox"/> boring	
In science class I am usually:	<input type="checkbox"/> awesome	<input type="checkbox"/> alright	<input type="checkbox"/> not so hot	
Compared to everyone else in class I am:	<input type="checkbox"/> a rock star	<input type="checkbox"/> keeping up	<input type="checkbox"/> hanging by a thread	
Who usually answers questions first?	<input type="checkbox"/> boys	<input type="checkbox"/> girls	<input type="checkbox"/> it's about the same	
Who usually does the lab experiments?	<input type="checkbox"/> boys	<input type="checkbox"/> girls	<input type="checkbox"/> it's about the same	
Who likes science better?	<input type="checkbox"/> boys	<input type="checkbox"/> girls	<input type="checkbox"/> it's about the same	
Who is better at taking notes?	<input type="checkbox"/> boys	<input type="checkbox"/> girls	<input type="checkbox"/> it's about the same	
Who is better at science?	<input type="checkbox"/> boys	<input type="checkbox"/> girls	<input type="checkbox"/> it's about the same	
Who uses their creativity more in science?	<input type="checkbox"/> boys	<input type="checkbox"/> girls	<input type="checkbox"/> it's about the same	
For me, science is:	<input type="checkbox"/> so easy it's a crime	<input type="checkbox"/> a good challenge	<input type="checkbox"/> difficult	<input type="checkbox"/> so hard I don't want to do it

What do you already know?

I think technology is:	<input type="checkbox"/> cool	<input type="checkbox"/> okay	<input type="checkbox"/> boring	
I have taken a computer or technology class:	<input type="checkbox"/> yes	<input type="checkbox"/> no		
I have used a cell phone:	<input type="checkbox"/> never	<input type="checkbox"/> once	<input type="checkbox"/> a few times	<input type="checkbox"/> a zillion times
I have used a computer:	<input type="checkbox"/> never	<input type="checkbox"/> once	<input type="checkbox"/> a few times	<input type="checkbox"/> a zillion times
I have been to a radio studio	<input type="checkbox"/> never	<input type="checkbox"/> once	<input type="checkbox"/> a few times	<input type="checkbox"/> a zillion times
I have - listened to a podcast:	<input type="checkbox"/> never	<input type="checkbox"/> once	<input type="checkbox"/> a few times	<input type="checkbox"/> a zillion times

Check all that apply to complete this sentence:

I use a computer for...

- writing papers
- surfing the internet
- programming
- playing games
- chat rooms
- downloading music
- blogging
- sharing pictures
- making web pages
- email
- instant messaging
- homework
- other stuff,
like: _____

What's your personality like?

When I am around people I don't know that well, I am outgoing am a little shy ask a bunch of questions prefer to listen to what they say

When I am with my friends, I talk a lot and share my opinion encourage everyone to share their ideas mostly listen to what they say

The idea that 10,000 people can hear my voice on the radio bring it on! I can talk all day, no matter how many people are listening they aren't in the room, right? scares me to death!

When I have a project to do, I prefer to wing-it I'm a natural brainstorm the night before work on it for weeks write everything out in outline form and pace myself
My best friend would say I am _____

I have an adult mentor in science: yes no I wish I did

My role model is: _____

My favorite memory in life so far is: _____

Keep going! You're doing a super job!

If I pursued a career in science, I would be: (number your top 5)

- an astronaut walking in space
- a doctor delivering babies
- a chemist for Maybelline
- building computer or video games
- a nurse
- a physicist experimenting with hydrogen fuel storage
- testing new materials for manufacturers
- none, I'd rather be a _____
- an engineer designing water access in third world countries
- a biologist saving the rainforest
- an architect drafting green buildings
- a mathematician simulating AIDS epidemics on a computer
- a technology teacher teaching inner city students
- I'd do something else using science, like _____

What do you do?

I play on a sports team
What sport?

I take music lessons
What instrument?

- I am a Girl Scout
- I'm on the yearbook committee
- I work on the school newspaper
- I'm a cheerleader
- I'm an elected class officer
- I take dance classes
- I take art classes
- I do something else: _____

Check all the words that apply to how you feel about:

Science	Math	Technology	Return this application by mail to:
<input type="checkbox"/> practical <input type="checkbox"/> difficult <input type="checkbox"/> important <input type="checkbox"/> boring <input type="checkbox"/> it's what's happening around me <input type="checkbox"/> useful all the time <input type="checkbox"/> simple <input type="checkbox"/> creative <input type="checkbox"/> it's a way to connect and work with other girls <input type="checkbox"/> intuitive <input type="checkbox"/> not for me <input type="checkbox"/> makes me feel confident <input type="checkbox"/> makes me feel nerdy <input type="checkbox"/> makes me feel smart <input type="checkbox"/> makes me feel dumb <input type="checkbox"/> I pretend I don't like it when I'm with my friends. <input type="checkbox"/> I pretend I don't like it when I'm around boys.	<input type="checkbox"/> practical <input type="checkbox"/> difficult <input type="checkbox"/> important <input type="checkbox"/> boring <input type="checkbox"/> it's what's happening around me <input type="checkbox"/> useful all the time <input type="checkbox"/> simple <input type="checkbox"/> creative <input type="checkbox"/> it's a way to connect and work with other girls <input type="checkbox"/> intuitive <input type="checkbox"/> not for me <input type="checkbox"/> makes me feel confident <input type="checkbox"/> makes me feel nerdy <input type="checkbox"/> makes me feel smart <input type="checkbox"/> makes me feel dumb <input type="checkbox"/> I pretend I don't like it when I'm with my friends <input type="checkbox"/> I pretend I don't like it when I'm around boys	<input type="checkbox"/> practical <input type="checkbox"/> difficult <input type="checkbox"/> important <input type="checkbox"/> boring <input type="checkbox"/> it's what's happening around me <input type="checkbox"/> useful all the time <input type="checkbox"/> simple <input type="checkbox"/> creative <input type="checkbox"/> it's a way to connect and work with other girls <input type="checkbox"/> intuitive <input type="checkbox"/> not for me <input type="checkbox"/> makes me feel confident <input type="checkbox"/> makes me feel nerdy <input type="checkbox"/> makes me feel smart <input type="checkbox"/> makes me feel dumb <input type="checkbox"/> I pretend I don't like it when I'm with my friends <input type="checkbox"/> I pretend I don't like it when I'm around boys	<p>Return this application by mail to:</p> <p>The Girls, Math & Science Partnership Attn: GirlTalk Application One Allegheny Avenue Pittsburgh, PA 15212</p> <p>Or fax to 412.237.3375 Attn: Girls, Math & Science Partnership</p> <p>By March 20th, 2007</p>



GirlTalk is an innovative radio show program for teens ages 11 - 15.

GirlTalk connects girls with female mentors in all kinds of science, math, engineering and technology fields doing *really cool* stuff. The commitment to this program begins in April and lasts for approximately 10 weeks.

Each GirlTalk team will interview women scientists and edit their own interview into a podcast in the sound editing studio of Saturday Light Brigade. These podcasts will be played throughout the summer on the Saturday Light Brigade after a red carpet premiere at Carnegie Science Center. They will be posted on www.BrainCake.org, www.slbradio.org and PBS's DragonFly TV.