



SIT NEXT TO ME FESTIVAL SCRIPT SUBMISSION FORM

HOW DOES THIS COMPETITION WORK?

WVIA and Box Of Light are accepting film scripts for the Sit Next To Me Film Festival. A maximum of six films will be chosen for Box Of Light production support. This means that, if your film is chosen, we will work with you to see that your script is filmed, edited, scored and included in the Festival's public showing. PLEASE NOTE: We will be sure your script is well filmed but we can't do it for you. Films that are not completed for any reason cannot be included in the festival.

SCRIPT COMPETITION AGE RANGE: Middle and High School aged students (14-18 yrs.)

SCRIPT TOPICS:

Scripts submitted to the festival should explore the challenges and opportunities of our being different from one another. Do not feel your film has to be serious or preachy. The Sit Next To Me Film Festival is a positive, interesting, heartfelt, sad, weird and even funny exploration of what separates us and what brings us together. Your film can explore these ideas in any way you choose.

Film topics in last year's festival included anti-bullying, cultural differences, special needs, gender issues and a pre-school class that wanted others to know that not all sea monsters are scary. Sit Next To Me Films are as diverse as their topic.

You may submit a script for an animated or live action film.

APPROPRIATE CONTENT:

Your content needs to be PG rated. The festival will not include films with nudity, gratuitous violence or language used simply for shock value.

LENGTH OF FILM:

Your film should be between 5 and 8 minutes. One page of a script = 1 minute of film (more or less).

PERMISSIONS:

All entrants and performers must agree that their work can be posted online, broadcast and used for promotional purposes by WVIA and Box Of Light. Beyond this, all rights to the films remain with the filmmakers.

SUBMISSION DEADLINE: March 1, 2019

FESTIVAL DATE: June 1, 2019

ENTRY FORM:

Each script must be accompanied by a Submission Form. (Downloadable here: [\(link\)](#))

HOW TO SUBMIT YOUR SCRIPT:

Please submit your script as a Word or Pages document. Email your script and Submission Form to: boxoflightstudio@gmail.com

If you are unsure of how to accomplish your submission, please contact boxoflightstudio@gmail.com.

Email: boxoflightstudio@gmail.com

Telephone: 570-764-3288

Sit Next To Me Film Festival Script Competition email: boxoflightstudio@gmail.com



SIT NEXT TO ME FESTIVAL SCRIPT SUBMISSION FORM:

Name(s) of Scriptwriter(s): _____

Contact Address (Scriptwriter, parent or teacher): _____

Contact Telephone (Scriptwriter, parent or teacher): _____

Contact Email (Scriptwriter, parent or teacher): _____

Grade Category: _____

School: _____

Teacher's Name (if done as a school project.): _____

Script Title: _____

Please email or mail this form to:

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