



## Ms President US Presenter Guidelines

- ✓ The participants are ages 8 to 14 (in grades 4th through 8th) so communication should match the audience as much as possible.
- ✓ The panel sessions are only 30 to 45 minutes in length so please try to keep your replies brief so that we can cover all the questions and give all speakers a chance to reply.
- ✓ We are a non-partisan, non-profit organization so we need to avoid any endorsement of specific candidates and political parties. When providing data or citing examples, please attempt to provide a balanced view supported by facts whenever possible.
- ✓ We will be encouraging the girls to address how they feel about issues without demeaning any individuals, and without reference to any personal characteristics. We hope our panel will exemplify this for the girls.
- ✓ We will encourage the girls to be respectful of one another by teaching listening skills, and avoiding unnecessary interruptions. We hope our panel will model this behavior as well.
- ✓ We will be filming the panel presentations and posting the video on our website. This is essential to help other towns replicate the program locally so please complete the [authorization form](#) before your session.
- ✓ We have a gift of appreciation for each speaker in the program. If you require any reimbursement for travel or related expenses, please provide receipts and mailing address within a week of participation.
- ✓ We hope you will remain involved in the program as a supporter and/or contributor. You can do this by following the program on [Facebook](#) and/or by joining the Friends of Ms President US [distribution list](#).

***Thank you* for playing such an important role in the  
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