

Miss Hispanidad Virginia

Pageant Entry Form

Please read

Parents and contestants must read and agree with the entire application before entering the pageant. The contestant must be currently enrolled and attending high school or College the Year the pageant is taking place.

Applicant's Name		D.O.B.		
Age	Eye Color	Hair Color	Height	Weight
Home Address				
City/County		State	Zip Code	
Phone (H)		Cell	Other	
E-Mail				
School			Grade	
Year of Graduation		Current GPA		
Country of Origin				
Hobbies		Talents		

Guardian's Information

Mother's Name				
Home Address				
Phone (H)		Cell	Other	
E-mail				
Father's Name				
Home Address				
Phone (H)		Cell	Other	
E-mail				

The Miss Hispanidad Virginia Beauty Pageant is organized and hosted by H.A.S.A. Hispanic American School for Advancement All contestants must agree to obey all of the organization's rules and regulations. A legal status is not required to participate, but must be a resident of the State of Virginia. All applicants must submit two color photos. 1-head shot with a solid color background and 1-full length. These photos will be kept in your personal folder and may not be returned.

Fees: All contestants must pay a \$100.00 tuition fee. This fee will not be waived and is not refundable.
 Identification: All applicants must provide proof of residence. Virginia Driver's License, State IDs and School IDs are acceptable

Please include the following with your completed package:

For HASA Staff Use Only

- Application Fee Paid
- Identification
- Photos (2)
- Completed form
- Approved by: _____

AGREEMENT

1. I will be attending High School the year I participate in the Miss Hispanidad Virginia Pageant and I am not currently participating in any other Pageant.
2. I am not married, have never been married and have never had a marriage annulled. I have never given birth to a child and am not now pregnant nor am I a parent. If any of these conditions change, I will notify Miss Hispanidad Virginia Pageant directors immediately, and I understand that this may affect my eligibility.
3. I am of good health and moral character, and free from any current legal proceedings. I am a naturally born female, of a Hispanic heritage, and a resident in the State of Virginia.
4. I understand and agree that the Miss Hispanidad Virginia pageant directors shall determine all issues as to eligibility and I agree to abide by that determination both as myself and other applicants.
5. I further understand that Miss Hispanidad Virginia will inform and communicate with me and my parents/guardians of all events issues that may arise.
6. I will subscribe to all the rules and regulations pertaining to said pageant. The undersigned further agree to participate in all functions, event, fundraising and promotional activities as required and assigned, conducted and managed under Miss Hispanidad Virginia Pageant and to govern myself in accordance with the regulations set forth by said organization at all events before and on the date of the pageant.
7. I further understand that my expense and fees related to the Pageant will derive from my participating in all fundraising as assigned, conducted and managed by Miss Hispanidad Virginia Pageant directors and I am not expected to provide out-of-pocket expenses except for personal incidents such as: meals, transportation, personal hygiene, makeup, clothes, etc.
8. I further agree to hold Miss Hispanidad Virginia and HASA organization and any persons conducted thereto in whatever capacity free and harmless from all claims and liabilities for loss, damages or injuries suffered by me from any cause what-so-ever during my participating in any and all activities relating to the Pageant.
9. I further agree, if selected as one of the title-holders, to participate in all functions, events, fundraising and promotional activities as required, assigned, conducted and arranged by Miss Hispanidad Virginia Pageant and HASA and their members, officers, directors and agents and to govern myself in accordance with the rules and regulations set forth by said organization throughout the duration of my reign and for a period of one (1) year.
10. I further understand that I may choose to withdraw my participation in the Pageant at any time, and I am not obligated or legally bound in any way by Miss Hispanidad Virginia pageant and HASA organization, members, sponsors or assigns.
11. I further understand that if I choose to withdrawal from the pageant, my tuition fee will not be refunded, and I will not be able to participate in any other pageants that would take place in the State of Virginia during Hiss Hispanidad Virginia pageant's fiscal year.
12. By submitting this application, I affirm that the facts set forth in it are true and complete. I understand that if I am accepted as a contestant, any false statements, omissions, or other misrepresentations made by me on this application may result in my immediate dismissal.

RELEASE OF LIABILITY

I FURTHER RELEASE, UNCONDITIONALLY AND FOREVER, ANY CLAIM AGAINST THE MISS HISPANIDAD VIRGINIA PAGEANT AND THEIR MEMBERS, OFFICERS, DIRECTORS AND AGENTS OR RELATED ORGANIZATIONS AND RESPECTIVE PARTNERS, SPONSORS OR OTHERWISE ASSIGNS, WHICH I MAY HAVE BY VIRTUE OF MY PARTICIPATION IN THE MISS HISPANIDAD VIRGINIA PAGEANT, OR BY ANY USE OF MY NAME, PHOTO, LIKENESS, VOICE AND/OR BIOGRAPHY IN CONNECTION WITH THE MISS HISPANIDAD VIRGINIA PAGEANT INCLUDING USE IN PROMOTIONAL AND ADVERTISING MATERIAL.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT

DATE

PRINTED NAME

SIGNATURE OF PARENTS/GUARDIAN

DATE

PRINTED NAME

GUIDELINES

1. As a condition of supporting the organization, the contestant is responsible of selling at least 20 admission tickets for each of the following events, **Talent Show and Crowning Event**. The contestant can be sponsored by a business, family or friends. Parents/contestants are accountable for every ticket sold and devolutions are not acceptable. If the contestant is sponsored by a business a representative from HASA will make the final agreement for their sponsorship.
2. Contestants **MUST** have a strong family support during the process of training; parents and guardians play a big role during their daughters' journey in supporting her reaching for the crown. HASA is not responsible for transportation before and after every event. Parents must provide transportation if the contestants does not drive.
3. Contestants **MUST** complete the application release form along with the \$100.00 Pageant tuition fee payable to HASA.
4. Contestants **MUST** attend all events as scheduled by the Miss Hispanidad Virginia Pageant directors.
5. Contestants **MUST** contact the Miss Hispanidad Virginia Pageant directors or Pageant assistants via telephone, text and/or email, no later than one (1) day in advance and prior to any event, if there is any conflict with scheduled events.
6. Contestants will be expected to be at event site no later than 15 minutes prior to the commencement of such events and/or according to the instructions given by the Miss Hispanidad Virginia directors.
7. Contestants will be expected to arrive two (2) hours before the finale and crowning day.
8. Contestants will be expected to arrive prepared with all necessary equipment, appropriate dress code for each event.
9. Contestants will not be permitted the use of any personal electronics including, but not limited to: cellphones, iPods, computers, etc. during any of the events.
10. Contestants will obtain permission from Pageant directors prior to use of their cellphone and only under emergency circumstances. All devices that are not used for the purpose of the event will be confiscated and returned at the end of the event.
11. Contestants will refrain from the use of foul language, gestures, or derogatory comments toward fellow contestants, Pageant directors, pageant assistants or any other person before, during or after any of the events while in the Pageant.
12. Contestants will agree to abide by the Dress code as directed by Miss Hispanidad Virginia directors or assistants.
13. Contestants will return all items borrowed and used during any of the events immediately after each event has finished.
14. Contestants will not engage in illegal activities before, during or after any of the events and will be subject to immediate dismissal from the pageant.
15. Contestants will not directly or indirectly engage in communications with Judges, Media or other representatives in the community without prior authorization and instruction from HASA's Directors.
16. Contestants will participate in their regular school activities, church and community related activities. However, contestants are expected to inform Miss Hispanidad Virginia pageant directors of these activities in preparation for calendar schedules and to avoid any conflicts.
17. Contestants must cover all visible tattoos with cosmetics. Visible piercing should be limited to the ears. All body piercing needs to be removed before competition.

PARENTS-GUARDIANS

Parents, Guardians, Family member, friends or any other person who is not approved by the Miss Hispanidad Virginia Pageant or HASA to participate during training at events are not allowed to participate, interrupt or interfere with training. Any comment, complaint or inquiry must be submitted in writing to HASA Executive Board at: **Hispanic American School for Advancement P. O. Box 74755 North Chesterfield, VA 23236**

I HAVE READ, ACKNOWLEDGED AND UNDERSTAND THE RULES AND REGULATIONS SET FORTH BY THE MISS HISPANIDAD VIRGINIA PAGEANT AND THE HISPANIC AMERICAN SCHOOL FOR ADVANCEMENT.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT

DATE

SIGNATURE OF PARENT/GUARDIAN

DATE

Parents Release Form for Media Recording

I, the undersigned, do hereby grant or deny permission to Miss Hispanidad Virginia to use the image of my child _____ as marked by my selection(s) below. Such use includes the display, distribution, publication, transmission, or otherwise use of photographs, images, and/or video taken of my child for use in materials that include, but may not be limited to, printed materials such as brochures and newsletters, videos, and digital images such as those on the Miss Hispanidad VA website. I, the undersigned, further understand that if I should DENY permission for Miss Hispanidad Virginia to use my child's image at all, it may affect her eligibility and consideration for election as finalist.

I Grant permission to use my child's image within the Miss Hispanidad Virginia organization and larger community for education materials and marketing and give unrestricted permission for my child's image to be used in print, video and digital media. I agree that these images may be used by Miss Hispanidad Virginia for a variety of purposes and that these images may be used without further notifying me. I further understand that my child's last name and personal contact information will not be used in conjunction with any video or digital images and all personal information will be kept confidential

I Deny permission to use my child's image at all.

SIGNATURE OF PARENT/GUARDIAN

DATE

Parents Release Form for Events

Name of Event: VARIOUS Date of Event: _____ Departure: _____ Return: _____

Location: _____ Phone: _____ Method of Travel _____

Date: _____

Permission Slip for Field Trips

Participant's Name _____ I give permission for my child to attend with Miss Hispanidad Virginia on a field trip to _____ on _____. I can be reached at (____) _____ during the hours of the Field trip.

SIGNATURE OF PARENT/GUARDIAN

DATE

I grant permission to my child to participate in all Miss Hispanidad Virginia events as part of the commitment I have made. I further understand that I am responsible to my child with all transportation.

Email Application to:
Elaine.Cupeles@hasavirginia.org
or contact Elaine at (855) 442-4272 ext. 4