

***Miss Tennessee Valley/  
Miss Tennessee Valley's Teen 2027  
An official Miss Alabama/Miss America Preliminary***

Thank you for your interest in joining us!

The 2027 Miss Tennessee Valley competition will be held on July 18, 2026, at Norton Auditorium on the campus of the University of North Alabama. Arrival time will be announced later. We will be limiting the number of candidates to 25 combined. Your paperwork is due July 11, 2026.

**A detailed itinerary will be sent prior to the competition.**

**AGE ELIGIBILITY:**

MISS CONTESTANTS – must be no older than 28 years of age as of 09/30/2027 and no younger than 18 on 12/01/2027  
TEEN DELEGATES - must be no younger than 14 years of age as 09/01/2027 and no older than 18 on 09/30/2027

Please email all necessary items to [mtvjanet@gmail.com](mailto:mtvjanet@gmail.com) and this signed local contract. Email talent music in MP3 format (must bring back up on competition day) to [emhill57@gmail.com](mailto:emhill57@gmail.com)

**DEADLINE FOR ALL PAPERWORK IS JULY 11, 2026.** We will be accepting a limited number of contestants so be sure and get your paperwork in early!

**Requirements of Miss Tennessee Valley/Miss Tennessee Valley's Teen**

**Statement of Understanding Between:**

Miss Tennessee Valley/Miss Tennessee Valley's Teen 2027 Scholarship Organization

**Relationship:**

The Miss Tennessee Valley Scholarship Organization is organized as a not for profit organization whose express purposed includes:

1. The provision of scholarship funds.
2. The representation of the Tennessee Valley area in the Miss Alabama/Teen Pageant.
3. The representation of the sponsors of the Miss Tennessee Valley Organization
4. The promotion of the Miss Tennessee Valley Pageant.

As a result, there are several important premises, which are basic to Miss Tennessee Valley' Year of Service. Miss Tennessee Valley must recognize that for her year of service she will represent the Tennessee Valley area, the Miss Tennessee Valley Scholarship Organization, and its sponsors. It is important that she maintain immaculate personal grooming whether on campus, going shopping, or any public appearance.

**Miss Tennessee Valley/Miss Tennessee Valley's Teen will:**

To ensure efficient management of Miss Tennessee Valley/Teen and their appearances –

- Refer all appearance requests to their Director
- Refer all press, radio, or television requests to their Director
- Honor and fulfill all scheduled appearances for Miss Tennessee Valley/Teen
- Prepare herself to successfully meet the requirements of the approved appearances
- Prepare herself in conjunction with the Miss Tennessee Valley/Teen Director to adequately and successfully compete in the Miss Alabama/Teen Pageant
- Provide their Director with a budget in regard to clothing needs for the Miss Alabama/Teen Pageant and meet with their Director within two weeks of winning the title of Miss Tennessee Valley/Teen 2027

***The Miss Tennessee Valley/Miss Tennessee Valley's Teen Scholarship Organization will:***

- Confirm all appearances and requirements pertaining thereto
- Forward to Miss Tennessee Valley/Teen an itinerary of each contracted appearance
- Screen all appearance requests and protect against undesirable appearances
- Provide time for study, rest, and vacations in regard to the interest of Miss Tennessee Valley/Teen good health and mental well-being
- Provide for adequate coaching, rehearsal, etc. for the role of Miss Tennessee Valley/Teen and their participation in the Miss Alabama/Teen Pageant

***In addition, Miss Tennessee Valley/Teen is required to appear at the following events during her year of service:***

- Miscellaneous appearances requested by Miss Tennessee Valley/Teen sponsors
- Miss Alabama Candidate Orientation and Workshop
- Miss Alabama Fashion Show (if in the Top 10)

**If for any reason Miss Tennessee Valley/Miss Tennessee Valley's Teen is unable to complete her reign, she will return all awards and prizes to the Director. These will be given to the next eligible runner-up who will then represent Miss Tennessee Valley at the Miss Alabama/Teen pageant.**

***Miss Tennessee Valley/Miss Tennessee Valley's Teen will:***

- Never have any type of coaching or outside help, advice, or influences in preparing for the Miss Alabama/Teen Pageant without the approval from their Director
- Understand that all decisions will be made between her and their Director. Parents are to provide support for their daughter but will not play a part in the decision-making process in preparing for the Miss Alabama/Teen Pageant
- Provide her own wardrobe for appearances and all phases of competition in the Miss Alabama/Teen Pageant
- Select her own wardrobe for the Miss Alabama/Teen Competition, but their Director **must** approve all competition and production clothing before clothing is purchased
- Select her own talent to be performed at the Miss Alabama/Teen Pageant, but their Director **must** approve talent
- Maintain wardrobe in a cleaned and pressed condition
- Always maintain personal grooming, which reflects positively, i.e. a conservative wardrobe – no tattoos or body piercing (other than earrings) should be obvious to the public
- Show appreciation and write thank-you notes to contracting party for all appearances and to all sponsors
- Have a behavior that is always beyond reproach
- Provide her own transportation to and from scheduled appearances, unless the Miss Tennessee Valley Board has made other arrangements
- BE PROMPT. There is never an excuse for being late for any engagement. This will not be permitted at any time
- Never take advantage of the hosts' hospitality. She must never give the impression that she is sick, tired, or bored. She must maintain interest, enthusiasm, and sparkle during the entire appearance

***Miss Tennessee Valley/Teen 2027 Candidates will:***

- Miss contestants will provide a \$50.00 check to the Miss Tennessee Valley Pageant in a good faith effort to secure my spot as a candidate. I am aware that the \$50.00 check will be refunded to me the day of the pageant (July 18, 2026). I also understand if I am unable to compete, the \$50.00 check will not be returned if I fail to notify the director of my decision not to compete at least 72 hours before the day of the preliminary (9:00 a.m. July 15, 2026).
- Teen contestants will provide a \$100 entry fee payable to Miss Tennessee Valley Pageant
- Allow the Miss Tennessee Valley/Teen Pageant to post photographs and biographical information on the Miss Tennessee Valley/Teen web sites.
- Agree that the Miss Tennessee Valley Board, Executive Director, Sponsors, and anyone working with the Miss Tennessee Valley/Miss Tennessee Valley's Teen Pageant shall not be held liable should any accident occur during any rehearsals or during the pageant activities or during the community appearances as Miss Tennessee Valley/Miss Tennessee Valley's Teen 2027.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, a Miss Tennessee Valley/Miss Tennessee Valley's Teen Candidate, have read the agreement, and understand all conditions, rules, and regulations set forth by the Miss Tennessee Valley Organization, and if selected Miss Tennessee Valley/Teen 2027 will be able to follow and fulfill all the rules and regulations set forth in the Requirements of Miss Tennessee Valley/Miss Tennessee Valley's Teen. I understand that if found in violation of any part of this contract, the Director has the authority to pull my title of Miss Tennessee Valley/Miss Tennessee Valley's Teen 2027 and a successor will be named to compete in the Miss Alabama/Teen Pageant as Miss Tennessee Valley/Miss Tennessee Valley's Teen 2027. In addition, all awards and prerequisites pertaining thereto will be passed on to the successor, who will receive all the benefits to which I would have otherwise been entitled.

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Signature of Candidate Date

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Signature of Parent (if candidate is under the age of 18) Date

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Director's Signature Date