

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

THE AMERICAN IDOL EXPERIENCE*

Disney's Hollywood Studios™** Park, Walt Disney World®** Resort, Florida
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General Information

1. Where is The American Idol Experience attraction located and when did it open?

The American Idol Experience is a new attraction within *Disney's Hollywood Studios*™ Park at the *Walt Disney World*® Resort in Florida. The American Idol Experience opened in early 2009 with grand opening currently scheduled for February 14, 2009.

2. What can I do at The American Idol Experience?

Guests inside Disney's Hollywood Studios who visit The American Idol Experience may, subject to capacity limitations, attend scheduled shows as members of the audience. As audience members, Guests will have the opportunity to experience live singing performances and use the keypads at each seat to vote once for the singer who the audience believes gave the best performance. The "Theater Audience Experience; Voting" section of these FAQs provides additional information.

In addition, eligible Guests inside Disney's Hollywood Studios may, subject to capacity and time limitations, audition for the opportunity to be selected as a singer in one of The American Idol Experience preliminary shows that day. Auditions will be judged based on singing talent and ability to sing in front of a live audience. Audition openings are limited, only a few singers will be chosen for each show and selections will likely be made early in the day. Guests who audition will have a brief initial screening audition (singing solo without live or recorded instruments) in front of a Disney's Hollywood Studios representative who will determine whether the Guest can proceed to a second audition. Guests who are invited to a second audition that same day will sing solo to a pre-recorded instrumental track (from a song selected by the singer from a list provided by Disney's Hollywood Studios) in front of another Disney's Hollywood Studios representative who will determine whether the Guest will be given the opportunity to sing onstage that day in one of The American Idol Experience preliminary shows. The "Audition Experience" section of these FAQs provides additional information.

The singer voted best by the audience of each of The American Idol Experience preliminary shows will be given the opportunity to sing live onstage in The American Idol Experience finale show that night. The "Singing On Stage: Preliminary Shows and Finale Show" section of these FAQs provides additional information. The singer voted best by the audience at each finale show will have the opportunity to receive a *Dream Ticket*™ which allows an eligible Dream Ticket holder to make a reservation to participate in one audition in the initial public round of auditions for the American Idol television program. ***Important note: The eligibility requirements to participate as an on stage singer in The American Idol Experience attraction are significantly different from eligibility requirements for use of the Dream Ticket to audition for the American Idol television show.*** The "Dream Ticket" section of these FAQs provides additional information.

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3. Is the information in these FAQs subject to change?

Yes. The information in these Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) may change at any time without notice. Visit the www.disneyworld.com/idol website to view the latest version of these Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs).

Audition Experience

4. In general, what is the Audition Experience?

The Audition Experience is the process that an eligible Guest inside Disney's Hollywood Studios may, subject to capacity and time limitations, go through to be evaluated and possibly selected as a singer in one of The American Idol Experience preliminary shows that day. Auditions will be judged based on singing talent and ability to perform in front of a live audience. Audition openings are limited, only a few singers will be chosen for each show and selections will likely be made early in the day. Guests who audition will have a brief initial screening audition (singing solo without live or recorded instruments) in front of a Disney's Hollywood Studios representative who will determine whether the Guest can proceed to a second audition. Guests who are invited to a second audition that same day will sing solo to a pre-recorded instrumental track (from a song selected by the singer from a list provided by Disney's Hollywood Studios) in front of another Disney's Hollywood Studios representative who will determine whether the guest will be given the opportunity to sing onstage that day in one of The American Idol Experience preliminary shows.

5. Who is eligible to participate in the Audition Experience?

In general, Guests validly admitted to Disney's Hollywood Studios who are **14 years of age or older as of the date of the Guest's visit** will be eligible to audition for the opportunity to sing on stage in one of the preliminary shows presented at The American Idol Experience that same day. However, "Restricted Individuals" will not be eligible to audition, sing on stage or receive a Dream Ticket (Restricted Individuals are prohibited from receiving the Dream Ticket as an original recipient and are also prohibited from receiving the Dream Ticket as a transferee, as described in the "Dream Ticket" section of these FAQs). Some special requirements apply to auditioning Guests who are 14 to 17 years old and there are certain restrictions on Guests who have already auditioned.

"Restricted Individuals" (defined below) will not be eligible to audition or sing on stage at The American Idol Experience. Accordingly, Restricted Individuals are prohibited from receiving a Dream Ticket.

"Restricted Individuals" are:

(a) Disney Personnel and Immediate Family. Officers, directors and employees and their "Immediate Family" (defined below) of Walt Disney World Co. and its parent, subsidiary, affiliated and related companies (the "Disney Companies"). "Immediate Family" is defined to mean: spouse, or biological, adoptive or step- parents, children, siblings and mothers and fathers-in-law, sons and daughters-in-law, brothers and sisters-in-law, as well as persons (other than household employees) who permanently reside in a person's home.

(b) Employees and Immediate Family of 19, FremantleMedia and Fox. Officers, directors, and employees and their Immediate Family of 19 TV Limited, FremantleMedia North America, Inc., Fox Broadcasting Company and/or Fox Interactive Media, Inc. and their respective parent, subsidiary, affiliated and related companies.

(c) Commercial Establishment Personnel at the Walt Disney World® Resort. On-site directors, officers or employees of any commercial establishment at the *Walt Disney World®* Resort

(d) Entertainment Service Providers at the Walt Disney World Resort. Any individual who performs entertainment services at the *Walt Disney World*® Resort pursuant to an agreement with any of the Disney Companies.

Restricted Individuals are eligible to participate in The American Idol Experience as audience members and may vote. Restricted Individuals are also eligible to be an accompanying Guest who is present in the audition room during another eligible Guest's audition.

Operational tests, rehearsals and special events may be held from time to time during which Restricted Individuals may, at the discretion of Disney's Hollywood Studios, be permitted to audition and/or perform at The American Idol Experience; however, in no event will Restricted Individuals be eligible to receive a Dream Ticket.

6. I see that Guests 14 years of age or older are eligible to participate in the Audition Experience. Are there special things I need to know if I, or someone in my group, is less than 18 years old?

Yes.

For auditioning Guests between the ages of 14 and 17 (Guests below the age of 14 are not eligible to audition), one (1) accompanying guest who is a parent or legal guardian of the auditioning Guest must be present with the auditioning Guest inside the audition room during the initial screening audition and, if the auditioning Guest is selected, during the second audition as well. The accompanying Guest may observe the audition, but will not be permitted to sing or otherwise participate in the audition. Accompanying Guests of an auditioning Guest who is 14 to 17 years old must be in line, present and immediately available so as not to delay the initial screening audition or, if the auditioning Guest is selected, the second audition.

In addition, as a condition to participating in the second audition, each selected Guest will be required to sign a consent and release document (the "Consent") provided by Disney's Hollywood Studios. Among other things, the Consent grants to Disney's Hollywood Studios and others, the right to use the Guest's name and biographical information and, to make, edit and use photographs and recordings of the Guest's experiences in connection with The American Idol Experience. A parent or legal guardian of an auditioning Guest who is 14 to 17 years old will be required to sign the Consent. If any auditioning Guest (or the parent or legal guardian of an auditioning Guest who is 14 to 17 years old) does not sign the Consent in the required form, the Guest will not be eligible to participate in the second audition and will not have the opportunity to sing on stage or receive a Dream Ticket.

As described in more detail in the "Dream Ticket" section later in these FAQs, the eligibility requirements to sing on stage at The American Idol Experience attraction at Disney's Hollywood Studios are significantly different from the eligibility requirements for use of the Dream Ticket to audition for the American Idol television show. One difference, in addition to others, is that the minimum age to sing on stage at The American Idol Experience attraction is 14 years old, but the minimum age to audition for the American Idol television show (as of Season 8 of the television show) is 16 years old.

7. What if I have already auditioned, performed on stage or was voted the best singer in a finale show? Can I participate again?

There are "Block-Out Periods" (defined below) during which Guests who have already had the opportunity to audition, sing on stage or were voted the best singer during a finale show (in which case the Guest had an opportunity to receive a Dream Ticket) will not be eligible to participate in certain aspects of The American Idol Experience, as described in more detail below.

Block-Out Periods:

(a) Guests will not be eligible to participate in the audition process more than once each day.

(b) Guests who are selected to sing on stage will not be eligible to participate in the audition process for a period of thirty (30) days after the date of the Guest's most recent selection to appear on stage. With respect to Guests who are selected to sing on stage, but do not return on a timely basis for the preliminary show or finale show, as applicable, Disney's Hollywood Studios reserves the right to apply the 30-day Block-Out Period to such Guests.

(c) Guests who are voted the best singer during a finale show (and, as a result, had an opportunity to receive a Dream Ticket) will not be eligible to participate in the audition process for a period of one (1) year after the date of such finale show.

Operational tests, rehearsals and special events may be held from time to time during which individuals who would have otherwise been subject to Block-Out Period restrictions may, at the discretion of Disney's Hollywood Studios, be permitted to audition and/or perform at The American Idol Experience.

8. Are the eligibility requirements to sing on stage at The American Idol Experience the same as the requirements to audition for the American Idol television series?

No. The eligibility requirements to sing on stage at The American Idol Experience attraction at Disney's Hollywood Studios are significantly different from the eligibility requirements for use of the Dream Ticket to audition for the American Idol television show. The "Dream Ticket" section later in these FAQs provides additional information concerning the Dream Ticket and eligibility to audition for the American Idol television show.

9. If I do not satisfy the American Idol television program contestant requirements (such as the age requirement or the U.S. citizenship/residency requirement), am I still eligible to audition at The American Idol Experience attraction and, if selected, sing on stage and possibly receive the Dream Ticket?

Yes. Guests do not need to satisfy the American Idol television program contestant requirements to be eligible to audition, sing on stage and receive the Dream Ticket at The American Idol Experience attraction. As described earlier in these FAQs, Guests interested in auditioning for The American Idol Experience attraction need to satisfy the eligibility requirements for the attraction which require that Guests inside Disney's Hollywood Studios be age 14 or older, not be subject to any Block-Out Period restriction and not be a Restricted Individual.

However, Guests who receive the Dream Ticket and do not satisfy the American Idol television program contestant requirements will not be eligible to use the Dream Ticket to schedule an audition for the American Idol television show. Dream Ticket recipients who do not satisfy the American Idol television program contestant requirements may, as their only benefit of receiving the Dream Ticket (except for the limited circumstances described in the next paragraph of this answer), retain the Dream Ticket or transfer it one time to a permitted transferee (the "Dream Ticket" section of these FAQs provides additional information concerning the one-time permitted transfer of a Dream Ticket).

If a Dream Ticket recipient does not, as of the date of receiving the Dream Ticket, satisfy the American Idol television program contestant requirements, such Dream Ticket recipient may retain the Dream Ticket and, in certain limited circumstances, later satisfy the American Idol television program contestant requirements and then become eligible to use the Dream Ticket to schedule an audition for the American Idol television show. For example (assuming the American Idol television show maintains the current 16 year old minimum age requirement), a 14 or 15 year old Dream Ticket recipient may retain the Dream Ticket and later satisfy the age requirement and become eligible to use the Dream Ticket to schedule an

audition for the American Idol television show provided that the Dream Ticket holder satisfies all other American Idol television show contestant requirements. Similarly (assuming the American Idol television show maintains the current U.S. citizenship/residency requirement), a Dream Ticket recipient who satisfies the age requirement for American Idol television program (currently age 16 – 28), but does not satisfy the U.S. citizenship/residency requirement may retain the Dream Ticket and later satisfy such requirement, in which case the recipient would then be eligible to use the Dream Ticket provided that the Dream Ticket holder satisfies all other American Idol television show contestant requirements.

10. How will audition times be made available to eligible Guests?

When The American Idol Experience initially opens for operation in early 2009, eligible Guests inside Disney's Hollywood Studios who are interested in auditioning may obtain, subject to availability and at no additional cost, an "Audition Call Time" ticket. A limited number of Audition Call Time tickets will be available and will likely be distributed early in the day. Audition Call Time tickets will be distributed near the audition check-in area of The American Idol Experience (located on Commissary Lane across from the Sci-Fi Dine In Restaurant inside Disney's Hollywood Studios) or other location(s) within the Park at the discretion of Disney's Hollywood Studios. The Audition Call Time ticket will be printed with a span of time during the same day when the Guest must report to the audition check-in area and enter the line for a first audition, subject to eligibility and other requirements described in these FAQs. Late arrivals may not have the opportunity to audition. Audition Call Time tickets will be valid only on the date and during the time span printed on the ticket. Sale or transfer of Audition Call Time tickets is prohibited and will void the ticket.

In addition to the Audition Call Time ticket process described above, audition times may be assigned or made available in other ways from time to time at the discretion of Disney's Hollywood Studios, including, without limitation, in connection with special events. Additionally, a limited number of assigned audition times may be available in advance from time to time. Additional information concerning this subject may be included in a future version of these FAQs and/or on the www.disneyworld.com/idol website.

Audition openings are limited, only a few singers will be chosen for each preliminary show and selections will likely be made early in the day.

11. Are there timing and/or capacity limitations on how many Guests will be able to audition each day?

Yes. Audition openings are limited, only a few singers will be chosen for each preliminary show and selections will likely be made early in the day. The length of the initial screening auditions may vary; however, it is anticipated that each initial screening audition will be approximately two minutes, including feedback from the Disney's Hollywood Studios casting director.

12. Are there any restrictions on the song I can sing during the initial screening audition?

In general, any existing song may be vocally sung during the initial screening audition; however, no original material may be performed and for timing reasons it is likely that only a portion of the song will be performed.

13. During the initial screening audition, am I allowed to use an instrument, playback of recorded music or any other accompaniment?

No. During the initial screening audition Guests will be required to sing *a cappella* (without live or recorded vocal or instrumental musical accompaniment).

14. During the initial screening audition, will I be provided with written lyrics?

Because the auditioning Guest is permitted to sing any existing song (excluding original material) during the initial screening audition, Disney's Hollywood Studios will not be providing written lyrics for the initial screening audition.

15. What song can I sing during the second audition?

Only a song included on an approved list provided by Disney's Hollywood Studios may be vocally sung during the second audition. The approved list of songs may change from time to time. For timing reasons, only shortened versions of the song may be performed and Guests will not necessarily sing the entire shortened version. As currently designed (subject to change at the discretion of Disney's Hollywood Studios), the musical underscore for each approved song to be performed during a second audition and on-stage performance is approximately ninety seconds in length.

The initial version of the approved song will be posted on the www.disneyworld.com/idol website in early 2009.

16. During the second audition, am I allowed to provide my own musical accompaniment or lyrics?

No. During the second audition, the auditioning Guest will be vocally singing to a playback of a recorded instrumental track and will be provided with written lyrics (essentially a "karaoke" style performance within the audition room). Only instrumental audio playback and written lyrics provided by Disney's Hollywood Studios may be used during the second audition.

17. Will participants be required to sign anything to participate in The American Idol Experience?

Not for the initial screening audition, but as a condition to participating in the second audition, each selected Guest will be required to sign a consent and release document (the "Consent") provided by Disney's Hollywood Studios. Among other things, the Consent grants to Disney's Hollywood Studios and others the right to use the Guest's name and biographical information and, to make, edit and use photographs and recordings of the Guest's experiences in connection with The American Idol Experience. A parent or legal guardian of an auditioning Guest who is 14 to 17 years old will be required to sign the Consent. If any auditioning Guest (or the parent or legal guardian of an auditioning Guest who is 14 to 17 years old) does not sign the Consent in the required form, the Guest will not be eligible to participate in the second audition and will not have the opportunity to sing on stage or have the opportunity to receive a Dream Ticket.

18. Will any proof of identification, age or other information be required?

Disney's Hollywood Studios reserves the right to require proof of identification, age and other information as a condition to the Guest's audition, performance on stage and/or issuance of the Dream Ticket.

If required, acceptable identification for persons age 18 or older includes a driver's license, state-issued or government-issued photo identification or a government-issued passport. With respect to persons under age 18 who do not have any of the above mentioned identification, acceptable identification includes an original birth certificate and a notarized copy of a birth certificate.

19. **If I am selected to do a second audition, but I am unavailable or unwilling to do a second audition, may I transfer the opportunity to do the second audition to someone else?**

No, the opportunity to do a second audition is specific to the selected individual and may not be transferred.

20. **May a friend or family member join me in the audition room during the initial screening audition and, if I am selected, during the second audition?**

Yes, one (1) individual who is known to the auditioning Guest and has been validly admitted to Disney's Hollywood Studios may also be present in the audition room during the initial screening audition and the second audition. For auditioning Guests between the ages of 14 and 17 (Guests below the age of 14 are not eligible to audition), an accompanying Guest who is the parent or legal guardian of the auditioning Guest must be present with the auditioning Guest in the audition room during both the initial screening audition and, if the auditioning Guest is selected, during the second audition. The accompanying Guest may observe the audition, but will not be permitted to sing or otherwise participate in the audition. Accompanying Guests must be in line, present and immediately available so as not to delay the initial screening audition or, if the auditioning Guest is selected, the second audition.

21. **Am I (or is my accompanying Guest) allowed to take still photographs inside the audition rooms?**

Yes, taking still photographs inside the audition rooms for personal, non-commercial use is permitted.

22. **Am I (or is my accompanying Guest) allowed to make an audio recording, visual recording or audio/visual recording (film, tape, digital, etc.) inside the audition room during the initial screening audition or the second audition?**

No recording (audio, visual or audio/visual) will be permitted inside the audition rooms.

23. **I plan to visit Disney's Hollywood Studios a few days in a row. If I do an initial screening audition on Day 1 and I am selected to do a second audition but I'm not selected to sing on stage, can I do another initial screening audition on Day 2 of my visit? On Day 2 should I expect that I will be selected for a second audition because that happened on Day 1?**

In this situation, the Guest would be eligible to do another initial screening audition on Day 2.

On Day 2, there is no assurance that the Guest will be selected for a second audition. Each initial screening audition will be evaluated separately and, even though the Guest in this situation was selected to do a second audition on Day 1, that may not happen again when the Guest does another initial screening audition on Day 2.

Singing On Stage: Preliminary Shows and Finale Show

24. **Please give me an overview of the "shows" that will be performed at The American Idol Experience, specifically, the "preliminary shows" and "finale show."**

Two kinds of shows will be scheduled for performance each day that The American Idol Experience operates: multiple preliminary shows; and, one (1) finale show after completion of all of the preliminary shows that day.

Preliminary Shows. As currently designed (subject to change at the discretion of Disney's Hollywood Studios), each of the preliminary shows will include on-stage vocal singing

performances by three Guests selected through the Audition Experience process and each preliminary show is planned to have a twenty-five minute performance time. Once the grand opening of The American Idol Experience has occurred, Disney's Hollywood Studios intends to schedule up to seven preliminary shows for presentation each day. Audience members will have the opportunity to cast one (1) vote in favor of the preliminary show singer whom the audience member believes gave the best performance during the preliminary show. The preliminary show singer who receives the greatest number of audience votes during each preliminary show will have the opportunity to sing in the finale show.

Finale Show. The finale show will include on-stage vocal singing performances by each of the Guests who received the greatest number of audience votes during each respective preliminary show earlier that day and returned to perform in the finale show. As currently designed (subject to change at the discretion of Disney's Hollywood Studios), the finale show will include on-stage vocal singing performances by the up to seven Guest performers who received the greatest number of audience votes during each respective preliminary show earlier that day and each finale show is planned to have a forty-five minute performance time. Once the grand opening of The American Idol Experience has occurred, Disney's Hollywood Studios intends to schedule one finale show for presentation each day after completion of that day's preliminary shows. Audience members will have the opportunity to cast one (1) vote in favor of the finale show singer whom the audience member believes gave the best performance during the finale show. The finale show singer who receives the greatest number of audience votes during the finale show will have the opportunity to receive the Dream Ticket for that day.

During both the preliminary shows and the finale shows, on-stage host and judges (who will be performers employed by Disney's Hollywood Studios), may interact with the Guests selected to sing on stage and may provide commentary or feedback on their respective singing performances. While the on-stage host and judges may express opinions regarding the singing performances, the on-stage host and judges will not cast votes for the purposes of the audience vote which determines which singer gave the best performance during a preliminary show or finale show.

Disney's Hollywood Studios reserves the right to select or designate alternate or replacement singers if necessary.

25. Who will have the opportunity to sing on stage during The American Idol Experience shows?

For the multiple preliminary shows presented each day, a small number of Guests selected through the Audition Experience process will have the opportunity to sing on stage during each preliminary show.

For the one (1) finale show presented each day, the Guest performers who received the greatest number of audience votes during each respective preliminary show earlier that day will have the opportunity to sing on stage during that day's finale show.

Disney's Hollywood Studios reserves the right to select or designate alternate or replacement singers if necessary.

26. Will there be established show times for The American Idol Experience?

Yes, show times will be established by Disney's Hollywood Studios and may be changed.

27. If I am selected to sing on stage, when do I need to be back at The American Idol Experience to prepare for the show? What will happen during that pre-show preparation?

To be eligible to sing on stage, Guests selected to sing in preliminary shows and the finale show need to report to The American Idol Experience no later than one (1) hour before show time. Disney's Hollywood Studios reserves the right to select or designate alternate or replacement singers if necessary.

During the approximately 1-hour pre-show preparation, representatives of Disney's Hollywood Studios will discuss with Guests selected to sing on stage what to expect and various performance guidelines. In addition, some limited vocal (performance), hair and make-up support will be provided. All on-stage statements (including lyrics), actions (including gestures) and wardrobe must be appropriate, family-friendly entertainment, as determined by representatives of Disney's Hollywood Studios in their sole discretion.

28. If I am selected to sing on stage, how many people will I be performing in front of?

The theater holds a little over 1,000 audience members. The actual number of audience members in a particular show may vary.

29. If I am selected to sing on stage, will there be priority seating in the theater so my family and friends can see me perform during my designated show?

Yes, a limited number of seats will be made available on a priority basis for validly admitted friends and family of Guests scheduled to perform during a particular show. Operational requirements may be established by Disney's Hollywood Studios which may include, among other things, the requirement that all members of the group be in line, present and immediately available so as not to delay seating of the remaining audience members or performance of the show.

30. If I am selected to sing on stage, will I be required to sing the same song that I performed during my second audition?

Yes. A Guest selected to perform on stage must sing the same song during the second audition, the preliminary show and, if selected by audience vote, during the finale show.

31. Can I sing the same song on stage as another singer?

No, each Guest who sings during a preliminary show must sing a different song, i.e., two or more singers will not be allowed to sing the same song during a preliminary show. Similarly, each Guest who sings during the finale show must sing a different song, i.e., two or more performers will not be allowed to sing the same song during the finale show.

To ensure that each on stage performer sings a different song, songs on the approved song list may become unavailable throughout the day as singers are selected pursuant to the second audition process. There is no assurance that a particular song on the approved song list will be available for performance during any particular second audition and each Guest selected for a second audition should be prepared to select and sing more than one song from the approved song list in the event Guest's preferred song choice becomes unavailable. Disney's Hollywood Studios reserves the right to establish the process by which Guests chosen for a second audition have the opportunity to select the song to be performed from the then available list of approved songs.

- 32. If I am selected to sing on stage, but I am unwilling or unavailable to perform at the designated show time, may I be considered to sing at a different show time or may I transfer the performance opportunity to someone else?**

There is no assurance that a Guest selected to sing in a particular preliminary show will be considered for a different preliminary show time. Only one (1) finale show is performed each day so Guests selected to sing on stage will need to be available for the established finale show time.

Because selection to sing on stage is based on a Guest's personal performance ability, the opportunity to sing during a preliminary show and a finale show is specific to that individual and may not be transferred.

Disney's Hollywood Studios reserves the right to select or designate alternate or replacement singers if necessary.

- 33. If I am selected to sing on stage, but the show is cancelled will I be considered to sing in another show?**

If a show is cancelled, there is no assurance that a Guest will be rescheduled for another show.

Theater Audience Experience: Voting.

- 34. What is the seated capacity of The American Idol Experience theater where preliminary shows and finale shows will be presented? How will voting be accomplished?**

Maximum capacity will be a little over 1,000 seated audience members. Votes will be cast (one vote per audience member present and at his/her seat at the time the voting is conducted) using a keypad at each seat, however, Disney's Hollywood Studios reserves the right to modify, supplement and replace, from time to time, the specific voting mechanism and technology used to accomplish the audience vote. While the on-stage host and judges may express opinions regarding the singing performances, the on-stage host and judges will not cast votes for the purposes of the audience vote which determines which singer gave the best performance during a preliminary show or finale show.

- 35. Are validly admitted friends and family of Guests selected to sing on stage permitted to attend the show as audience members and vote?**

Yes.

- 36. Are validly admitted "Restricted Individuals" and Guests who are subject to "Block-Out Period" restrictions permitted to attend the show as audience members and vote?**

Yes.

- 37. Will the voting results be announced on stage at the end of each show?**

The singer receiving the most audience votes in each show will be identified as part of the conclusion of the on-stage show; however, specific vote counts will not be disclosed.

- 38. What happens if the audience vote results in a tie?**

If an audience vote results in a tie, the tie breaking process will be explained to the audience and implemented during the show in which the tie vote occurred.

39. Are guests of Disney's Hollywood Studios allowed to take still photographs during a Preliminary Show or Finale Show?

Yes, non-flash still photography for personal, non-commercial use is permitted. For operational reasons, Disney's Hollywood Studios reserves the right to restrict such photography during certain portions of the show.

40. Are guests of Disney's Hollywood Studios allowed to make or use audio/visual recordings (film, tape, digital, etc.) of all or a portion of a Preliminary Show or Finale Show?

Because of music rights, intellectual property considerations and other restrictions, no portion of any Preliminary Show or Finale Show may be recorded in any manner or used for any purpose.

Dream Ticket

41. How many Dream Tickets will be presented each day?

One (1) Dream Ticket will be issued for each finale show. No more than one (1) Dream Ticket will be issued each day that The American Idol Experience operates.

42. Who will receive the Dream Ticket?

The finale show singer who receives the greatest number of audience votes during the finale show will have the opportunity to receive that day's one (1) Dream Ticket. As a condition to issuance of the Dream Ticket, certain signed documentation will be required which relates to, among other things, the recipient's agreement to comply with Dream Ticket terms of use, contact information for the recipient, and acknowledgement that the recipient has received physical possession of the Dream Ticket.

43. Will any proof of identification, age or other information be required?

Disney's Hollywood Studios reserves the right to require proof of identification, age and other information as a condition to the Guest's audition, performance on stage and/or issuance of the Dream Ticket.

If required, acceptable identification for persons age 18 or older includes a driver's license, state-issued or government-issued photo identification or a government-issued passport. With respect to persons under age 18 who do not have any of the above mentioned identification, acceptable identification includes an original birth certificate and a notarized copy of a birth certificate.

44. What does the Dream Ticket allow me to do?

Each eligible Dream Ticket holder will be allowed to participate in the initial round of auditions open to the public held by representatives of the American Idol television series for prospective contestants in the American Idol television series. The Dream Ticket allows the eligible Dream Ticket holder to schedule, in advance and subject to availability of particular times and audition locations, a time during which the eligible Dream Ticket holder will be escorted to the front, or near the front, of the line of prospective American Idol television show contestants and have the opportunity to audition for the producers of the American Idol television show (or such producer's designees, if such designees are generally conducting the auditions for all individuals at that audition location). The Dream Ticket allows the eligible Dream Ticket holder to participate one (1) time (i.e., one audition) in the American Idol television series auditions. The Dream Ticket is for one (1) person only.

Other than the opportunity to schedule, on a priority basis, participation in the initial round of auditions open to the public as described above, the eligible Dream Ticket holders will participate in auditions for the American Idol television series on the same basis as the general public and must meet all requirements imposed on the general public in order to participate in the auditions and the American Idol television series. There is no guarantee or assurance that eligible Dream Ticket holders will be seen by the judges that appear on televised versions of the American Idol television series and there is no guarantee or assurance that eligible Dream Ticket holders will appear in any episodes of the American Idol television series.

All costs associated with use of the Dream Ticket, including, but not limited to, any transportation, accommodations, meals and any other expenses shall be the sole responsibility of eligible Dream Ticket holders and neither the Disney Companies nor any organization associated with American Idol television series shall have any obligation or liability in connection with use of the Dream Ticket or expenses incurred by eligible Dream Ticket holders.

45. If I am an original Dream Ticket recipient, but I don't satisfy the eligibility requirements to audition as a contestant for the American Idol television series, am I permitted to transfer the Dream Ticket to someone else?

Yes, a one-time transfer is permitted subject to conditions and limitations.

If the original Dream Ticket recipient does not, as of the date of proposed transfer of the Dream Ticket, satisfy the eligibility requirements of the American Idol television series in effect as of the proposed transfer date, the original Dream Ticket recipient will be permitted to transfer the Dream Ticket to another individual who, as of the date of proposed transfer of the Dream Ticket, is not a Restricted Individual and satisfies the eligibility requirements of the American Idol television series in effect as of the proposed transfer date (the permitted Dream Ticket transferee). Restricted Individuals are prohibited from receiving a Dream Ticket by original issuance and through transfer of the Dream Ticket from the original recipient. The Dream Ticket may be transferred only one (1) time, may only be transferred to a permitted Dream Ticket transferee, and, once transferred, the Dream Ticket may neither be transferred back to the original Dream Ticket recipient nor transferred again by the permitted Dream Ticket transferee to anyone else. The permitted transfer from original Dream Ticket recipient to permitted Dream Ticket transferee shall be accomplished without any direct or indirect payment, compensation, obligation or promise of any kind for the benefit of the original Dream Ticket recipient or others.

Except as expressly provided above, the Dream Ticket may not be: transferred in any other way; sold; offered for sale or auction; or otherwise marketed, advertised, promoted, used for solicitation of any kind or exploited in any manner.

All eligible Dream Ticket holders who choose to participate in auditions for the American Idol television series will be required to satisfy the eligibility requirements then in effect and shall also be required to comply with the terms and conditions of American Idol and sign documentation and agreements required of all other individuals auditioning.

46. Who are considered to be eligible Dream Ticket holders?

An eligible Dream Ticket holder is (a) a finale show singer who receives the greatest number of audience votes during the finale show and is issued that day's Dream Ticket and satisfies the eligibility requirements of the American Idol television series in effect when such individual uses the Dream Ticket to audition for the American Idol television series; and (b) an individual who has received a Dream Ticket from an original Dream Ticket recipient through a permitted Dream Ticket transfer and satisfies the eligibility requirements of the American Idol television series in effect when such individual uses the Dream Ticket to audition for the American Idol television series.

47. **If I become an eligible Dream Ticket holder, I understand that I need to satisfy the contestant eligibility requirements of American Idol television series if I want to use the Dream Ticket to schedule an audition for the American Idol television series. What are the general eligibility requirements of American Idol television series?**

The eligibility requirements for the American Idol television series are established by the producers of the American Idol television series and are not established by, or within the control of, Disney's Hollywood Studios or its affiliates and such eligibility requirements may change from time to time.

Set forth below is a summary of general eligibility requirements to be a contestant for Season 8 of the American Idol television series (auditions held on various dates during 2008 with the television show broadcast premiering in January 2009). The following summary of Season 8 American Idol television series general eligibility requirements is provided for information purposes and as a convenience to prospective Dream Ticket holders; **however, additional requirements will apply, the Season 8 general eligibility requirements described below may change, and the eligibility requirements for any future American Idol television programs may be different from the Season 8 information summarized below.** Dream Ticket holders will be solely responsible for verifying his or her compliance with the then applicable eligibility requirements for the American Idol television series before using the Dream Ticket to schedule an audition.

All Dream Ticket holders who choose to participate in auditions for the American Idol television series will be required to satisfy the eligibility requirements then in effect and shall also be required to comply with the terms and conditions of American Idol and sign documentation and agreements required of all other individuals auditioning.

General Eligibility Requirements for Season 8 of American Idol television series. As of the date of these FAQs, the eligibility requirements for Season 8 of the American Idol television series included, among other things, the following requirements: (a) contestant must have been a legal U.S. citizen or a permanent U.S. resident who is eligible to work full-time in the United States; (b) contestant must be 16 to 28 years old on July 15, 2008 (which means the contestant must have been born between July 16, 1979 and July 15, 1992); (c) if the contestant participated in any previous season of the American Idol television series and progressed to the following levels, such individuals are ineligible to participate in Season 8 of American Idol television series - Season 1 (top 30 contestants), Season 2 (top 32 contestants), Season 3 (top 36 contestants), Season 4 (top 44 contestants), Season 5 (top 44 contestants), Season 6 (top 40 contestants) and Season 7 (top 24 contestants); and (d) if asked to audition for one (1) or more of the semi-final rounds of the competition (currently scheduled for November 2008), the contestant must be able to demonstrate to the satisfaction of the American Idol television series producers at that time that the contestant does not have any of the following agreements in effect (written or oral) - a contract for talent representation (for example, a talent agent or manager), a music recording contract, an agreement relating to the use of contestant's name, voice and/or likeness, an exclusive acting contract, or any other contractual arrangement that would prohibit contestant from fully participating in the show and/or entering into any contracts required by the American Idol television series producer, including an exclusive management contract, recording contract and merchandising contract; and (e) a prospective contestant is ineligible for Season 8 of the American Idol television series if the contestant, or any member of contestant's immediate family and/or anyone living in contestant's household, is an employee, officer, director, agent and/or representative of Fox Broadcasting Company, Fox Interactive Media, Inc., American Idol Productions, Inc., FremantleMedia North America, Inc., 19 TV Limited., CKX, Inc., AT&T Mobility, LLC, Telescope, Inc., Coca-Cola, the Ford Motor Company, Sony/BMG, production personnel for the television program, participating television stations, advertising agencies, corporate sponsors or any person or entity connected with the production, administration or judging of the auditions, or any of the parent companies, affiliates, subsidiaries, agents or representatives of any of the foregoing entities.

48. **If I become an eligible Dream Ticket holder, how do I use the Dream Ticket to schedule an audition for the American Idol television series?**

To use the Dream Ticket to schedule an audition appointment, an eligible Dream Ticket holder will be required to contact, in advance, a representative of the American Idol television series producers. A limited number of audition slots will be available at certain American Idol television show auditions for use by eligible Dream Ticket holders. Eligible Dream Ticket holders will need to consider alternate audition locations if no audition slots remain available at the desired audition location. ***All Eligible Dream Ticket Holders must confirm the specific audition date and location with the American Idol television series producers before making any travel arrangements or commitments related to the audition.*** Dream Ticket holders will be solely responsible for monitoring the location and dates of American Idol television series auditions that may be scheduled from time to time and neither the Disney Companies nor any organization associated with American Idol television series will have any obligation to communicate with Dream Ticket holders regarding the availability of American Idol television series auditions. Additional information concerning the audition scheduling process and Dream Ticket terms of use will be provided to eligible Dream Ticket holders.

49. **Does the Dream Ticket have an expiration date?**

The Dream Ticket will not have a fixed expiration date and will be valid as long as the American Idol television series is being produced and auditions are being conducted for the American Idol television series. However, there is no guarantee or assurance as to how long the American Idol television series will be produced or auditions will be conducted. Dream Ticket holders will be solely responsible for monitoring the location and dates of American Idol television series auditions that may be scheduled from time to time and neither the Disney Companies nor any organization associated with American Idol television series will have any obligation to communicate with Dream Ticket holders regarding the availability of American Idol television series auditions.

50. **If I do not wish to receive a Dream Ticket, may I decline it? Could I receive something else instead?**

The finale show singer who receives the greatest number of audience votes during the finale show may decline the Dream Ticket; however, nothing else will be provided in its place. Out of courtesy to other Guests who may be interested in having the opportunity to receive the Dream Ticket, Guests who participate in the Audition Experience are encouraged to do so with the intent of accepting the Dream Ticket.

51. **If I accept a Dream Ticket, may I later exchange it for something else?**

The Dream Ticket may not be exchanged for something else.

Miscellaneous

52. **Once it opens, will The American Idol Experience be operating every day? Will there be occasions when access is limited or restricted?**

Once Disney's Hollywood Studios announces that The American Idol Experience is open for regular operation, the intent is to operate The American Idol Experience on a daily basis until further notice. However, events beyond the control of Disney's Hollywood Studios may result in cancellation of individual shows or temporary closure of The American Idol Experience (such cancellations or closure may result in the Dream Ticket not being issued). In addition, planned maintenance, refurbishment, operational tests, rehearsals and/or special events may also result in cancellation of individual shows or temporary closure of The American Idol

Experience. Disney's Hollywood Studios reserves the right, in its discretion, to adopt from time to time (including, without limitation, in connection with special events) alternate procedures for The American Idol Experience that vary from these FAQs, provided that: a Dream Ticket will only be issued to an individual who satisfies the minimum age requirement for The American Idol Experience and was selected by audience vote; and, only one (1) Dream Ticket will be issued each day.

53. Once I have been validly admitted to the Park, is there a separate charge for The American Idol Experience?

No, a validly admitted Guest may, subject to capacity and time limitations, participate in The American Idol Experience without additional payment. From time to time products or services associated with The American Idol Experience (such as merchandise) may be offered at, or in close proximity to, The American Idol Experience for an additional payment.

54. By participating in the Audition Experience or performing on stage, will I be considered for employment by Disney's Hollywood Studios or its affiliates?

The American Idol Experience is solely an entertainment experience and not an opportunity to seek employment. Any employment opportunities with Disney's Hollywood Studios or its affiliates will be subject to compliance with the applicable employment application process.

55. Is The American Idol Experience attraction a television production or broadcast?

The American Idol Experience is themed to resemble a television studio show experience and The American Idol Experience may include certain elements, such as scenic design, décor, lighting, on-stage judges and host, similar to, or based on, the American Idol television show. Similarly, these FAQs may use words or phrases (such as "audition") that are often associated with the entertainment industry. The inclusion of certain elements in The American Idol Experience and/or use of certain words or phrases in these FAQs solely reflect the creative theme of The American Idol Experience and no portion of The American Idol Experience shall be construed as a television production or broadcast.

56. Is it possible that persons other than on stage performers will be photographed or recorded while at The American Idol Experience?

Yes. For example, persons waiting in line for the Audition Experience or audience members attending shows at The American Idol Experience may be photographed or recorded and displayed for others to see. By visiting The American Idol Experience, a Guest is irrevocably consents to the Guest's likeness, voice and behavior being recorded, photographed, edited, publicly displayed or otherwise used for any purpose by Disney's Hollywood Studios and its affiliates in any manner or medium without compensation or other limitation.

57. If any issues arise concerning The American Idol Experience, including the Audition Experience, selection of preliminary show singers, finale show singers, voting and the Dream Ticket, how will those issues be addressed?

Disney's Hollywood Studios reserves the right to resolve any issues associated with The American Idol Experience in its sole and absolute discretion, including, without limitation, issues related to the Audition Experience, selection of preliminary show singers, finale show singers, voting and the Dream Ticket. All decisions made by Disney's Hollywood Studios will be final. Without limiting its rights, in the event of any misconduct or misbehavior Disney's Hollywood Studios may disqualify individuals from further participation in The American Idol Experience and/or void a Dream Ticket, if applicable.