

Source Water Protection Themed Art Contest 2022

Scoring Rubric

Theme of Art Contest

- The submitted piece should tell a clear and creative message about source water protection. This means the artist highlighted one or all of the following:
 - The connection between human actions on land impacting water quality
 - A community's connection to local waterways – in terms of drinking water sources as well as places for recreation and enjoyment
 - The role of water utilities to protect our sources of water through environmental stewardship and responsible wastewater treatment

Technical Quality of Medium – (Are they good at art)	Composition/Creativity - (Does the art piece tell a compelling story)	Overall Impact/Expression of theme (Does the piece capture the theme of the contest)
20 points	20 points	40 points
The piece demonstrates excellent and technical grasp of selected medium as appropriate for a high school student. 16-20	Superior degree of originality exhibited throughout. The piece is thoughtfully arranged and composed and contributes to the message of the artwork. 16-20	The message of the artwork is clear, impactful, and immediately related to the theme of the art contest. 31-40
Piece demonstrates good technical grasp of medium for a high school student. 11-15	Clear degree of originality exhibited throughout. The piece is well arranged and composed and relates to the message of the artwork. 11-15	The message of the artwork is clear, impactful, and generally related to the theme of the art contest. 21-30
Piece demonstrates some understanding of the chosen medium. 6-10	The piece is neatly composed and holds some relevance to the message of the artwork. 6-10	The message of the artwork is somewhat impactful and somewhat related to the theme of the art contest. 11-20
Piece demonstrates basic familiarity with the chosen medium. 1-5	The piece is neatly composed but holds little relevance to the message of the artwork. 1-5	Demonstrates little impact and is minimally related to the theme of the art contest. 1-10
Artwork demonstrates no artistic effort, is not one of the allowable choices of media, or is not original work. 0	The image is not clearly composed, and it is difficult to discern the subject. 0	Holds no relevance to the theme of the art contest. 0

Total Score _____

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