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December 3, 2021

TO: School Board Chair

Division Superintendents

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FROM: Gina Patterson, Executive Director

RE: Student Art for Regional Forums

Your school division is invited to participate in the VSBA Student Art Contest held in conjunction with the annual VSBA Spring Regional Forums. PLESE PASS THIS INFORMATION ALONG TO YOUR DIVISION'S ART COORDINATOR AND/OR DIRECTOR. Enclosed are:

- 1. 2022 VSBA Regional Spring Network Forum Schedule
- 2. 2022 VSBA Regional Spring Network Forums Art Contest Guidelines
- 3. 2022 VSBA Regional Spring Network Forums Art Contest Permission Slip (please duplicate as needed)
- 4. List of 2021 Regional Art Contest First Place Winners

Please make sure that artwork is submitted to brittany@vsba.org no later than 2 weeks prior to your Regional Forum.

We look forward to seeing your school division represented in the Student Art Contest. Information on the exact dates of the 2022 VSBA Regional Spring Network Forums can be found on the next page. If you have any questions about the Regional Spring Network Forums, please contact Mikaela Coffey at 434-295-8722 or mikaela@vsba.org. Thank you for your participation.



2022 Regional Spring Network Forum Schedule

<u>Region</u>	<u>Date</u>
Central	March 2, 2022
Southside	March 3, 2022
Southern	March 8, 2022
Eastern	March 9, 2022
Valley	March 23, 2022
Tidewater	April 25, 2022
Southwest	April 28, 2022
Northeastern	May 2, 2022
Blue Ridge	May 4, 2022



2022 VSBA Regional Spring Network Forums Art Contest Guidelines

Each school division is requested to submit <u>three</u> pieces of student art (one per category: Elementary, Middle, and High School). Below are the guidelines for submission of the art to the 2022 Student Art Contest, which is held in conjunction with the Spring Regional Forums:

- 1. **Acceptable entries must be art or photography** that was created by a student during participation in a school art program. Sorry, no sculptures or 3-D objects.
- 2. Each piece of work must include the student's name, age, school name, school division, and category (elementary, middle or secondary as defined by the local school division).
- 3. All art pieces are to be submitted via email to Brittany Moore, Membership Services Coordinator, at brittany@vsba.org, no later than two weeks prior to the regional meeting. Please make sure that the submission includes a complete permission form, and that the image of the artwork is a clear image, or scan of the artwork. Please remove any plastic covering or film that may impede viewing.
- 4. Judging is to be done by a 3 to 5-member jury and may be the regional officers, other school board members of the region, art teachers, or others as selected by the vice chair.
- 5. Judging will be completed prior to the live Regional Meeting. Ribbons will be provided and mailed out by VSBA.
- 6. The winners will be announced during the business meeting.

It is recommended that the art contest winners be honored at a special ceremony held in conjunction with a school board meeting. Parents and teachers can attend and be included. This is an excellent public relations opportunity for the board and the superintendent.

If you have questions regarding the art contest, please contact Brittany Moore, VSBA coordinator of membership services, at 434-295-8722 or brittany@vsba.org.



2022 VSBA Regional Spring Network Forums Art Contest Permission Slip

If my child's artwork is selected as a winner during the Spring Regional Forum Art Contest, I give permission for the artwork to be displayed for purposes deemed appropriate by the VSBA related to the Art Contest.

Parent Signature (required)			
Student's Name (please print LEGIBLY and fill all blanks)				
Home Phone:				
Age:				
School:				
School Division: _				
Title of Artwork (m	ust have a title):			
Category:	Elementary	Middle	High	

IMPORTANT

This form <u>must</u> accompany the artwork to be eligible for judging. Artwork without this form will not be included in the competition.



2021 VSBA Regional Art Contest Winners

BLUE RIDGE

First Place Elementary School Noah Deisher Alleghany County Public Schools

First Place Middle School Abby Wanek Roanoke County Public Schools

First Place High School Margaret Walsh Roanoke County Public Schools

CENTRAL

First Place Elementary School Charlotte Dontanville Charlottesville City Public Schools

First Place Middle School Diane Tornel Louisa County Public Schools

First Place High School Kate McLearen Madison County Public Schools

EASTERN

First Place Elementary School Isabella Landauer King George County Public Schools

First Place Middle School Julianna Lewis Westmoreland County Public Schools

First Place High School Ellie McMinn Middlesex County Public Schools

NORTHEASTERN

First Place Elementary School Liberty Koval Fauquier County Public Schools

First Place Middle School Concepcion Williams Spotsylvania County Public Schools

First Place High School Quinn Hassan Fairfax City Public Schools

SOUTHERN

First Place Elementary School James R. Hamlet, III Lunenburg County Public Schools

First Place Middle School Kendall Copeland Mecklenburg County Public Schools

First Place High School
Diem Trinh
Bedford County Public Schools

<u>SOUTHSIDE</u>

First Place Elementary School Luke Forkey Powhatan County Public Schools

First Place Middle School Cadence Martin Colonial Heights City Public Schools

First Place High School Melanie Lloyd Chesterfield County Public Schools

SOUTHWEST

First Place Elementary School Addison Quillen Tazewell County Public Schools

First Place Middle School Abby Lineberry Carroll County Public Schools

First Place High School Ashlyn Wermann Norton City Public Schools

TIDEWATER

First Place Elementary School Zauhrey Carraway Portsmouth City Public Schools

First Place Middle School Sara Zhang Newport News City Public Schools

First Place High School Stella Petty Virginia Beach City Public Schools

<u>VALLEY</u> First Place Elementary School Saphira Hoover Page County Public Schools

First Place Middle School **Grace Robinson** Augusta County Public Schools

First Place High School Rachel Murie Augusta County Public Schools