



WATER AWARENESS YOUTH ART CONTEST

The theme of this year's contest is
“Reliable Water for Today and Tomorrow”

Write that phrase in your preferred language and draw what it means to you.

WHAT TO ENTER

Your artwork with “Reliable Water for Today and Tomorrow” clearly visible on a single, horizontal **8.5-inch by 11-inch** piece of paper. Challenge yourself to learn about your public drinking water system and the ways water is used in our community!

PRIZES

Winning entries receive a \$75 gift card, their artwork framed with a certificate of appreciation, and advance copies of the calendar.

ENTRY PERIOD

Submissions will be accepted through 5 p.m. Friday, May 6. Winning entries will be announced in June. Submit entries online at ccwater.com/calendarcontest

HEY KIDS!

Did you know that Contra Costa Water District provides tap water for more than 500,000 people? We treat nearly 40 million gallons of water per day to be used for drinking and washing, growing lawns and food, filling pools and putting out fires.

TAP WATER FACTS:

- Tap water promotes health.
- Tap water is clean and safe to drink.
- Tap water costs about a penny per gallon.
- Tap water is used by people, businesses, animals and more!

THINK ABOUT IT...

How would your life be different without tap water?

IMPORTANT!

All entries must follow the rules listed on the back side of this paper and include the parental/guardian approval form.

For complete details, visit ccwater.com/calendarcontest



**CONTRA COSTA
WATER DISTRICT**

HOW TO ENTER

There are two easy ways to submit your artwork:

1. Online at ccwater.com/calendarcontest

NOTE: Keep your original artwork. Original artwork must be turned in if it is selected as a winner.

2. Submit by mail or in person the original, unfolded artwork **and the completed consent form below to:**

CCWD Calendar Contest

1331 Concord Avenue

Concord, CA 94520

CONTEST RULES

The contest is open to children ages 8 to 18 years who reside or attend school in the Contra Costa Water District (CCWD) service area, which includes Antioch, Bay Point, Brentwood, Clayton, Clyde, Concord, Martinez, Oakley, Pacheco, Pittsburg, Pleasant Hill, Port Costa and Walnut Creek.

- Entries must include the completed information and consent form below.
- Entries must include the tagline “Reliable Water for Today and Tomorrow” in your preferred language.
- Entries must be drawn by the named artist. Please, no help from parents, adults or older siblings.
- Entries must be drawn on a single landscape 8.5-inch by 11-inch piece of paper.
- Entries must be hand drawn. Acceptable mediums include but are not limited to pen, pencil, crayon, chalk, charcoal, marker, paint, or watercolor.
- If your entry is selected as a winner, you grant CCWD a royalty-free, nonexclusive right, in perpetuity, to:
 - Use the artwork in its calendar and other print publications.
 - Use the artwork in its internal and external communications, including, but not limited to, websites, advertising, presentations, and printed and digital materials.
 - Use, in connection with the contest, the artist’s first name, city of residence and age. Winning artwork will be credited in the calendar with the artist’s first name and city.
 - Retain a digital copy of the artwork.
- Entries must not include trademarked or copyrighted materials, and should not promote bottled water.
- Entries will only be accepted until 5 p.m. May 6, 2022.

SELECTION PROCEDURE

CCWD will screen all entries based on message, merit, creativity and originality. Finalist entries will be posted online for voting and CCWD, with community input, will select 12 winning entries.

QUESTIONS?

For more information about this contest, visit ccwater.com/calendarcontest



INFORMATION AND CONSENT FORM

(Detach and include with hard copy submission)

Artist’s full name: _____ Artist’s age: _____

Artist’s address: _____

Parent/guardian’s full name: _____

Email address: _____ Phone number: _____

I understand my child’s artwork may be used in CCWD’s 2023 calendar as well as other promotional items.

Parent/guardian’s signature: _____