



# WATER AWARENESS YOUTH ART CONTEST

Illustrate the importance of water in your life and be featured in our 2022 calendar!

## WHAT TO ENTER

Your original artwork on a single, horizontal **8.5-inch by 11-inch** piece of paper. Challenge yourself to learn about your public drinking water system! We're looking for entries that illustrate one or more of the following themes:

- Why you drink tap water
- How your community uses tap water
- How you use tap water efficiently
- Where your tap water comes from
- How tap water is treated

## PRIZES

Winning entries receive a \$50 gift card, original artwork framed with a certificate of appreciation, and copies of the calendar.

## ENTRY PERIOD

Submissions will be accepted through Friday, May 7. Winning entries will be announced in June. Submit entries online at [ccwater.com/calendarcontest](http://ccwater.com/calendarcontest)

See other side of this flyer for additional rules and details.

## PRIZES FOR TEACHERS!

Encourage your students to enter our contest for a chance to win water education supplies for your classroom. For details, visit [ccwater.com/calendarcontest](http://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 public health.
- Tap water is clean and safe to drink.
- Tap water costs about a penny per gallon.
- About half of all residential water use occurs outdoors in places like lawns.

## THINK ABOUT IT...

How would your life be different without tap water?



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## HOW TO ENTER

There are two easy ways to submit your artwork:

1. Online at [ccwater.com/calendarcontest](http://ccwater.com/calendarcontest)

**NOTE: IF SUBMITTING ARTWORK ONLINE, KEEP 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 to:

CCWD Calendar Contest  
1331 Concord Avenue  
Concord, CA 94520

Include a separate sheet of paper that lists the artist's name, age, home address, a parent or guardian's name, email address, and a phone number. Optional information to include: teacher's name and school.

## CONTEST RULES

The contest is open to children ages 8 to 18 years who reside or attend school in the Contra Costa Water District 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 child's name, age, address, a parent or guardian's name, email address, and a phone number. Optional information to include: teacher's name and school.
- Entries must be drawn by children. Please, no help from parents, adults or older siblings.
- Entries must be drawn horizontally on a single 8.5-inch by 11-inch piece of paper.
- Entries must be hand drawn. Acceptable mediums include pen, pencil, crayon, chalk, charcoal, marker, paint, or watercolor.
- If your entry is selected as a winner, you grant Contra Costa Water District 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.
- Entries must not promote the use of bottled water.
- Entries will only be accepted until 5 p.m. May 7, 2021.

## SELECTION PROCEDURE

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

## QUESTIONS?

For more information about this contest, visit [ccwater.com/calendarcontest](http://ccwater.com/calendarcontest)

