



WaterFest 2018 Poetry & Art Competition Eligibility Theme Living the Stream



Open to students in grades K-5.

Art entries:

- ❖ must be submitted on white, **8 1/2" X 11"** paper
- ❖ must be in color and completed
- ❖ crayons, colored pencils, water colors, tempera paint or markers may be used
- ❖ paints such as oils, pastels or latex **cannot** be used
- ❖ glitter is **not** to be used

Poetry entries:

- ❖ all poetry forms are accepted
- ❖ must not exceed 20 lines or 100 words

All entries:

- ❖ Will be judged on how well each reflects the essence of the theme. The artwork and poem that best reflect the theme will be honored at *WaterFest* and placed on an event t-shirt.
- ❖ Need to be submitted to Ijams Nature Center by **Thursday, April 5th** with a completed entry form.
- ❖ Entries can be hand delivered to Ijams Nature Center at 2915 Island Home Ave, Knoxville **OR** e-mail Forrest at forrest.burks@waterqualityforum.org before the due date to pick up entries from your school.
- ❖ Become the property of WaterFest and may be used by WaterFest and the Water Quality Forum in displays and publications.
- ❖ Will be exhibited at Ijams until the end of May. After that time, any students may come get their entries if they wish.

There will be a grand prize winner in both the Art and the Poetry Competitions. These winners may be from any grade. The grand prize entries will be reprinted on a shirt that will be given to each WaterFest participant at this year's WaterFest celebration on Monday May 7th, 2018. Award presentations will take place at WaterFest at 11am.

For any question, e-mail Forrest at forrest.burks@waterqualityforum.org.

Please note that youth are NOT required to come to WaterFest to participate in the Poetry & Art Competition!