

Principal's Report

2026 Conservation Writing Contest

County _____

School _____

School Address _____

School Phone _____

IMPORTANT: Total number of writing entries in this school _____

Attach this report to the TOP THREE Conservation **writing entries** from your school and deliver to your local conservation district no later than December 1. PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT.

The creators of the TOP THREE WRITING ENTRIES in this school in the **Conservation Writing Contest** are:

Name _____ Home Phone _____

Address _____ ZIP Code _____

Age _____ Grade _____ Parents _____

Teacher's Name _____

Name _____ Home Phone _____

Address _____ ZIP Code _____

Age _____ Grade _____ Parents _____

Teacher's Name _____

Name _____ Home Phone _____

Address _____ ZIP Code _____

Age _____ Grade _____ Parents _____

Teacher's Name _____

Signed _____ Date _____

Principal

THE CONSERVATION DISTRICT WILL SELECT THE SCHOOL WINNER FROM YOUR LIST OF THREE.

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2026 Jim Claypool Conservation Art Contest

County _____

School _____

School Address _____

School Phone _____

IMPORTANT: Total number of art entries in this school _____

Attach this report to the TOP THREE Conservation **art entries** from your school and deliver to your local conservation district no later than December 1. PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT

The creators of the TOP THREE ART ENTRIES in this school in the
Jim Claypool Conservation Art Contest are:

Name _____ Home Phone _____

Address _____ ZIP Code _____

Age _____ Grade _____ Parents _____

Teacher's Name _____

Name _____ Home Phone _____

Address _____ ZIP Code _____

Age _____ Grade _____ Parents _____

Teacher's Name _____

Name _____ Home Phone _____

Address _____ ZIP Code _____

Age _____ Grade _____ Parents _____

Teacher's Name _____

Signed _____ Date _____

Principal

THE CONSERVATION DISTRICT WILL SELECT THE SCHOOL WINNER FROM YOUR LIST OF THREE.

GUIDELINES FOR PRINCIPAL

1. There are two conservation-oriented contests for Kentucky students. The Jim Claypool Conservation Art Contest is for students up to grade five. The Conservation Writing Contest is for students in grades six through twelve.

The publication "Kentucky Wetlands Up Close" may be found at <https://eec.ky.gov/Natural-Resources/Conservation/Pages/Art-and-Writing-Contest.aspx> and www.kyfb.com/federation. If you have trouble accessing these sites give your local conservation district office or Kentucky Farm Bureau office a call, or contact the Kentucky Division of Conservation at (502) 782-6703.

Encourage your teachers to have their students enter the applicable contest: Writing contest for grades six through twelve; art contest for grades kindergarten through five.

2. Select the THREE best-written entries and/or THREE best-art entries from your school before December 1.
3. Before December 1, send your school's top writing entries and/or art works along with the Principal's Writing Report form and/or Principal's Art Report form to your local conservation district. These forms are with these guidelines. If both are sent from your school, they should be detached from one another and secured to the winning entries as appropriate.
4. Make sure the report form(s) contains the correct name and address of your school's entries. **Please be sure to include the total number of writing entries and/or artworks entered in your school's contest.**
5. Complete rules for both contests are found at these Web sites:
<https://eec.ky.gov/Natural-Resources/Conservation/Pages/Art-and-Writing-Contest.aspx> and www.kyfb.com/federation.

EACH WRITING AND ARTWORK ENTRY MUST BE DONE BY **ONE** STUDENT.
ANY ENTRY SUBMITTED BY MORE THAN ONE STUDENT
WILL **NOT** BE CONSIDERED.