



BOROUGH OF TINTON FALLS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS EARTH DAY POSTER CONTEST

CALL FOR ENTRIES

OPEN TO KINDERGARTEN THROUGH HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

All the Borough of Tinton Falls K-12 students are invited to share their artistic talent and commitment to the environment, by participating in the Borough of Tinton Falls Department of Public Works Earth Day Poster contest.

PRIZES

Twelve (12) winners will receive prizes, three from each grade category:

- Kindergarten to 2nd grade
- 3rd grade – 5th grade
- 6th grade – 8th grade
- 9th grade – 12th grade

Prizes will be presented on May 4, 2019 at our Earth Day event at Sycamore Recreation Complex.

*Some of the prizes are: Six Flags Great Adventure Tickets, I-Play America Tickets, BlueClaws Tickets and Bicycles. *

First place winner's posters will be in the 2020 Tinton Falls Recycling Calendar.

Sponsored by:

Tinton Falls Public Works

Tinton Falls Clean Communities

Tinton Falls Shade Tree Commission

Tinton Falls Environmental Commission



POSTER CONTEST RULES

Themes:

- Choose Reuse, Not Single Use.
- Recycle Right.
- How to Reduce Littering on our Roadways.

Judging Criteria:

1. Clear message conveyed by the text and artwork.
2. Creativity, originality and artistic quality.
3. Visual clarity – easily read.
4. The release form is filled out and attached to the back of the poster.
5. No copyrighted artwork, characters, or name brands (i.e. Coke, Pepsi) are used in the poster.

Deadline:

Posters should be received by the Borough of Tinton Falls Department of Public Works **no later than April 26, 2019**. Please mail/deliver entries early.

Eligibility:

All students in Borough of Tinton Falls public and private schools (including home schools). Limit one entry per student.

Poster Requirements:

Posters created by students must be their own original artwork. Copyrighted characters (such as Superman) or copyrighted clip art will not be accepted.

Materials:

Students may use a variety of media, such as watercolor, pen and ink, crayon, chalk, markers, computer graphics, etc. Some tips: Brighter colors are most apparent, while light pencil marks do not show up well. Artwork should be easy to see read and understand.

Size & layout: Minimum 8 ½" x 11", Landscape layout only.
Maximum 11" x 17", Landscape layout only.

Release form:

Each poster must have the completed release form securely fastened to the back. A poster not accompanied by a completed release form will not be eligible for further judging.

Submitting posters:

Posters, with completed release forms.
Send or deliver posters to:
Tinton Falls Department of Public Works
556 Tinton Avenue
Tinton Falls, NJ 07724
732-542-3400 X 4

TINTON FALLS POSTER CONTEST RELEASE FORM

Please use the checklist below before submitting your poster:

COMPLETED

- My poster is about one of this year's contest themes.
- My poster can be easily read.
- My poster used bright colors.
- My poster is in landscape layout.
- My poster is a minimum: 8 ½" x 11", Maximum: 11" x 17".

STUDENT NAME _____

STUDENT GRADE _____

SCHOOL NAME _____

STUDENT ADDRESS _____

STUDENT/PARENT TELEPHONE NUMBER _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME AND CONTACT INFORMATION _____

I hereby certify that this poster was created entirely by the student above and is the student's original artwork and there are no copyrighted characters used. I agree that it may be offered for public display or publication at some time during or after the contest. I understand that this poster becomes the property of the Borough of Tinton Falls and may be reproduced. I understand that this poster will be retained by the Borough of Tinton Falls. The only information that will be released is your child's name, school and grade.

Signature of Student

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Print Name

Print Name

Date

Date