

# 2023 Conservation Poster Contest

## Why Participate?

Project Based Learning through poster design \*
 and researching the theme can give your
 students a voice in your community on
 important conservation issues.

#### Rules

- Who Can Participate? The 2023 Poster
   Contest is open to all students in grades K-12.
   Students in public, private or home school.
- \* Any media can be used on a 14"x22" (half a poster). Only digital submissions (photograph or scanned copy of the handmade posters in a JPEG format) will be accepted. Photographs must be clear and well-framed.
- \* All posters must be created by an individual student, rather than a team of students.
- \* The 2023 theme "One Water" must be included on the front side of each poster.
- A signed and legible entry form must be submitted with each poster to be eligible for judging (see next page).
- \* Teachers If you have a class, please limit submissions to the Top 5 best posters.



#### Stark SWCD Rules

- Posters are due to Stark SWCD by May 25, 2023. Visit www.starkswcd.org for more information and poster resources.
- \* Email digital posters to ajbock@starkcountyohio.gov
- Each submission must include a completed and signed entry form for consideration

# **Poster Evaluations**

The posters are evaluated on the following criteria:

- Conservation message (50 percent) (Poster uses correct theme "One Water")
- Visual effectiveness (30 percent)
- Originality (10 percent)
- Universal appeal (10 percent)

## **Prizes**

 Stark Soil and Water Conservation District Prize: Prizes awarded for 1<sup>st</sup> place in each age group

K-1; 2-3; 4-6; 7-9; 10-12

\* The winners from each age group will move on to the state level and state winners will be eligible for NACD National Poster Contest and prizes.



# National Association of Conservation Districts

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