

Tampa Bay Watch presents our

Holidays

in the Tampa Bay Habitat

Art Contest

Time to sharpen those crayons and make an estuarine holiday masterpiece!



It's our 8th Annual Holiday Art Contest!

Tampa Bay Watch is seeking Tampa Bay-area children in grades 3-8 to submit artwork adhering to the theme "Holidays in the Tampa Bay Habitat." The winner's artwork will be featured on Tampa Bay Watch's annual holiday greeting cards.

How does it work?



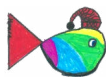
It's simple: you do what you do best—draw or paint a masterpiece and submit it to us for judging by our committee. But to qualify for this contest, your theme must feature "Holidays in the Tampa Bay Habitat." Think about the Tampa Bay estuary, its shorelines, the watershed and the creatures that live in this very unique and special place called Tampa Bay, and tie it into a holiday theme. That's it!

The rules:

- Tampa Bay-area kids in grades 3-8 are eligible to enter.
- Artwork theme must revolve around "holidays in the Tampa Bay habitat."
- All drawings and paintings must be submitted on letter-size (8½" x 11") paper, one side only.
PLEASE DO NOT FOLD ART!
- Only original art (no scanned digital images) will be accepted. **Each submission must have artist's name and age on the back of each entry.**
- Mail your entries to Tampa Bay Watch (*no* e-mails will be accepted).
- All entries must be received by November 20, 2018.

Submission information and deadline

All entries **must be received by November 20, 2018**. The winner notified by December 1, 2019. The winning entry will be featured on the Tampa Bay Watch website and in Tampa Bay Watch's winter newsletter. All entrants must submit a completed entry form and signed release from parent(s). All forms can be found online at tampabaywatch.org/holidayart.



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Entry Form

Please, only one entry form per child. The entire form must be filled out completely and legibly. Entry must accompany your artwork submission. Each submission must have artist's name and age on the back of each entry. Please do not fold artwork! **All entries must be received on or before November 20, 2018.**

Artist Information

First name: _____ Last name: _____
Age: _____ Grade level: _____ School: _____
Teacher's Name: _____
Mailing address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Artwork Submission Information

Name of piece submitted: _____
Short description of piece: _____

Parent Information

First name: _____ Last name: _____
Mailing address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Phone: _____
E-mail address: _____

Artwork Release (REQUIRED):

Submission of this entry implies permission to use the student's name, age (or grade) and artwork in materials announcing results of the contest and in Tampa Bay Watch publications and website.

I allow Tampa Bay Watch to use my child's artwork for their holiday greeting card and in any other promotional use (print or online).

Parent or legal guardian signature

Mail your entry to:

Tampa Bay Watch
Holidays in the Habitat Contest
3000 Pinellas Bayway South
Tierra Verde, FL 33715

Contest contact:

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