

Everybody, Every Day!

Volusia County Schools School Social Services Attendance Committee announces a Poem, Poster, and Video Contest



1st Place = \$50

2nd Place = \$25

3rd Place = \$15

*Elementary, middle, and high school levels
will each have a 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winner.*



POEM

Poems must be **typewritten** on standard 8½ x 11 unfolded paper.

POSTER

Posters must be submitted on **unfolded** art paper.

The **size** of the paper is not to be smaller than **8½ x 11** or larger than **12 x 16**.

Computer generated art must not be “clip art” or “cut and paste”.

VIDEO

Video performances must be original work of the student(s) and produced by the student(s).

No copyrighted music allowed. Videos must be less than three minutes in length. Videos will be judged on how well they address the theme, the quality of the production and student creativity. Videos can be in any format: music videos, skits, documentaries, spoken poem, commercial or PSA, etc.

Videos can include individual or group. Students may submit their entry by uploading to a video-sharing website (i.e. YouTube) and emailing it to mhfordha@volusia.k12.fl.us along with a brief description.

Each winning entry will receive the award (if more than one student participates in an entry, the award will be divided between them).

Deadline for entry is October 31, 2024

RULES: Only students enrolled in Volusia County Public Schools may submit an entry. Poems, posters, and videos must have a **theme of the importance of school attendance and education**. Students may only submit one entry. All entries must be original work. **Poems, posters, and videos must be identified with the name, school, and grade of the student(s)**. All entries must be screened for appropriate content and rule compliance. Entries not meeting the above eligibility requirements may be disqualified. Winning entries will be recognized by their schools, district administration, and school social work staff.

*School staff must place the poem and poster entries in manila envelopes and send by county mail to:
Melissa Fordham, Olson Facilities, Portable 522.*