

CONVERSE COUNTY CONSERVATION DISTRICT 2024 STEWARDSHIP POSTER CONTEST



Contest Rules

- Any media may be used, including paint, crayon, colored pencil, charcoal, stickers, paper, or other materials.
- We will only accept hand-drawn posters.
- All posters must be created by an individual student, rather than a team of students. Entry must be contestant's original creation and may not be traced from photographs or other artists' published works.
- The 2024 Stewardship theme "MAY THE FOREST BE WITH YOU, ALWAYS" **must** be included on the front side of each poster submission to be eligible for the poster contest.
- Each entry for the contest must be submitted to Converse County Conservation District (CCCD) with an entry form attached to the back of the poster to be eligible for judging. The form must be completed and signed by a parent or guardian.
- Although younger students will most likely receive help in planning from parents or teachers, CCCD encourages each student to do their own work. Note: Entries with student handwriting and coloring will score better than those designed, drawn, and colored by adult assistance.
- Entries must be completed and submitted to CCCD by May 10, 2024. Contact CCCD at 624-3164 if you would like to have your posters picked up from your school.

Poster Evaluations

Poster contest entries are reviewed based on the following criteria:

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

The top three posters in each category will receive monetary prizes. First place winners will receive \$100; second place winners will receive \$75, and third place winners will receive \$50. Winning posters will be recognized at the Converse County Conservation District Annual Awards and BBQ held in Douglas in July and will be forwarded to the state competition.