

11th Annual Environmental Photo Contest

In honor of **Clean Air Month, May 2012**, the Environmental Protection Commission of Hillsborough County (EPC) is inviting your classroom to participate in the **11th Annual Clean Air Month Photo Contest**. Photos will be juried by a local photographer and EPC staff. Selected photos will be exhibited throughout the community from May – September 2012.

Topic - This year's theme is **Fueling Our Future For A Brighter Tomorrow**, and relates to the use of cleaner fuels and alternative technologies to help reduce air pollution. We encourage you to incorporate these concepts and/or others listed below into your photography:

- Examples of how cleaner fuels reduce air pollution in Hillsborough County
- Examples of alternative fuels/technologies being used in the County
- Examples of air quality concerns or pollutants in Hillsborough County
- Examples of Hillsborough County residents enjoying clean air
- Examples of good air quality in Hillsborough County



Awards/Recognition:

- **\$150 donation to the Art Department of the first place winner**
- **First place student -- \$150 Series EE U.S. Savings Bond to the student**
- **Second place student -- \$100 Series EE U.S. Savings Bond to the student**
- **Third place student -- \$75 Series EE U.S. Savings Bond to the student**
- **Certificates awarded** to Winners and Honorable Mentions
- Many submittals to be **exhibited at EPC's Roger P. Stewart Center lobby** through September 2012
- Finalists and select others to be **displayed at EPC's Clean Air Fair** on May 3, 2012 in downtown Tampa

Specifications:

- Photo may be black and white, color, or hand-colored/embellished photography
- Student may use point and shoot, 35mm or digital camera, and photos may be lab developed
- Photos may be 2-dimensional or 2-dimensional relief using any media, however 80% must be photography
- Photos may be from postcard size to no larger than 2' x 3' (in any direction)
- Each student may submit up to two pieces of photography for the contest

Requirements:

- Photos must be related to air quality and taken in Hillsborough County
- Photos must be matted
- On the back of each artwork the student must include **two copies** of (see attached information form):
 - Description of photography and how it relates air quality
 - Complete contact information including: name, address, school, home phone number, etc.

Important Date:

- **Deadline:** Hand deliver or send via school mail to Dana Warner, Supervisor, Middle/Secondary Art & Humanities by **April 13, 2012**

Students ... Have you?

- Matted the photo?
- Met the size requirement? (not to exceed 2' x 3')
- Completed all sections of the student info form?
- Attached student info on the back of photo?
- Included a second copy of student info form with submittal?

The following information must be completed and attached to the photo.

Please provide a separate second copy to be included with the submittal.

2012 Clean Air Month Photo Contest
Photography Information Form

Art Student's Name: _____ Grade: _____

Name of Parent or Guardian: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone (home): _____ (cell): _____

School: _____ Art Teacher: _____

Art Teacher's Phone: _____ Title of Entry: _____

Medium: _____

Please describe how the photo relates to Clean Air Month:

