



City of Sunnyvale
4th Annual Earth Day School Poster Contest

The City of Sunnyvale invites all Sunnyvale K-8 grade school students to participate in the 2014 Earth Day Poster Contest. The theme is, **“Choosing a Sustainable Future”**.

HOW TO ENTER:

CHOOSE A SUSTAINABILITY TOPIC—Use one or any combination of the following topics for designing posters:

- ❖ Reduce, Reuse, Recycle and Compost
- ❖ “Only Rain Down the Drain”, Don’t Litter, No Dumping – Flows to Bay
- ❖ Conserve Water, Conserve Energy

CREATE YOUR POSTER—**Artwork Specifications**

- ❖ Paper size 11” x 17”, white or off-white (no frames, no mounting on poster board, no poster board)
- ❖ Must be original artwork created by student(s)

LABEL YOUR POSTER—Posters must be correctly labelled or will be disqualified. Self-stick labels provided upon request.

- ❖ **Enter School and Teacher name, phone number and email.**
- ❖ Entry Categories – Choose the artist’s grade category: Kindergarten, Grade 1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8
- ❖ Indicate either Individual artist or Group artists (several students or entire classroom)
- ❖ Correctly spell artist(s) names
- ❖ Do not display artist or school name on front of posters.

JUDGING

- ❖ Posters will be judged by panel of sustainability professionals.
- ❖ Collage of winning posters will be distributed to all participating schools.

CONTEST TIMELINE

- ❖ **March 12 – Notify Earth Day Committee of intent to participate**
- ❖ **April 2, End of School Day – Deadline to turn posters into school office**
- ❖ **April 10 – Winner’s announced**
- ❖ **April 22 – City Council Special Order of the Day recognition ceremony, followed by Ice Cream Social for winners and families at the Library Program room.**

Call or email any of the following Earth Day Committee members for details or to register:

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