

Port St. Lucie Utility Systems 1001 SE Prineville St. Port St. Lucie, FL 34983 772-618-3142



Overview of Poster Contest

Port St. Lucie Utility Systems cordially invites students to participate in our "Drop Savers" poster contest. Students in grades K-12 are encouraged to create a poster depicting a water conservation idea, in slogan form, drawing form, or both. The contest teaches elementary-aged school children and reminds middle and high school-aged teens about the importance of water conservation. We feel that our best opportunity to conserve water is through a long-range education and awareness program, and what better way than to begin with our young people.

Poster Contest Guidelines

Posters will be designated under one of the following categories:

Division 1: Kindergarten and First Grade

Division 2: Second and Third Grade

Division 3: Fourth and Fifth Grade

Division 4: Middle School; Grades Six, Seven and Eight

Division 5: High School; Grades Nine, Ten, Eleven and Twelve

- Poster shall be drawn on an $8 \frac{1}{2}$ " x 11" white paper. It could be drawn vertically or horizontally.
- Please attached to the back of the poster student name, grade, school name, school address, teacher's name & teacher's email address.
- Each poster must portray a Water Conservation Idea in a slogan, drawing, or both. Students may use crayons, paint, color pencils, or markers. No highlighters, photos, or computer graphics are permitted.
- Students must work on posters individually, otherwise posters will be disqualified.
- Only original artwork will be accepted (no trade-marked or copyrighted materials).
- Entry form must be taped to the back of each poster

Judging

- Select a panel of judges and rate the poster for the message, creativity, and originality (not just artistic ability).
- Choose first place winners' poster from each grade division under participation.
- Remember that students are to create a poster depicting a Water Conservation idea! "Don't Pollute the Water" is a good theme, but is not really water conservation. Please make your judges aware of this.

Prizes

- 1) Be recognized at City Hall Meeting
- 2) Be featured on City's social media handles and website
- 3) Display artwork at a City facility
- 4) Gift cards and other prizes

Winners will have an opportunity to participate in the FSAWWA statewide Drop Savers poster contest and obtain additional prizes. For more information, visit www.fsawwa.org/page/2024DropSavers

DEADLINE for entries is MARCH 1, 2024





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WATER CONSERVATION POSTER CONTEST ENTRY FORM

UTILITY NAME: Port St. Lucie Utility Systems
COORDINATOR NAME: Jenny Tomes
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UTILITY EMAIL: jtomes@cityofpsl.com
SCHOOLS ARE ASKED TO PLEASE CONTACT JENNY TOMES TO PICK UP THE POSTER ENTRIES ON OR BEFORE MARCH 1, 2024.
STUDENT'S NAME:
STUDENT'S GRADE:
STUDENT'S SCHOOL:
SCHOOL ADDRESS:
TEACHER'S NAME:
TEACHER'S CONTACT INFO:

