

ENTRY FORM

2021 Annual Art Challenge

Winning entries will be featured in the 2022 Tide Chart Calendar!

Student First and Last name: _____

Age: _____

Grade Level: _____

Teacher's Name: _____

School Name: _____

School/Teacher Contact #: (____) _____

Teacher Email Address: _____

Parent(s) Name: _____

Parent(s) Contact#: (____) _____

Parent(s) Email Address: _____

Artwork Description:

Artwork Medium Used (e.g., colored pencil, crayon, paint): _____

Description: *Please write your description legibly; 100 words max; can be completed on a separate sheet of paper*

- Why is it important to protect the CNMI's coral reefs?
- What do you and your family do to prevent negative impacts on our coral reefs and ocean environment?

Please Read

Submission of this entry form grants permission for the Division of Coastal Resources Management and the CNMI Coral Reef Initiative to use the student's name (first and last name) and artwork in communications materials relating to the 2021 CRI Annual Art Challenge and 2022 Tide Chart Calendar, including written and online publications.

For more information please visit www.dcrm.gov.mp

If you have questions or concerns regarding the CRI Annual Art Challenge, please email outreach@dcrm.gov.mp

CONTEST RULES

2021 Annual Art Challenge

Criteria for Art & Description:

Each entry must be composed of a piece of artwork and a description (on the entry form). All must meet the requirements below.

Eligibility:

All students in grades **4th to 12th** across the CNMI enrolled in a recognized public, private, and home school is eligible to participate. Students must work individually.

ARTWORK & DESCRIPTION REQUIREMENTS:

1. One entry per student
2. The entries must be on a single sheet of 8.5' x 11" paper, landscape.
3. Use white, non-glossy paper; do not laminate.
4. The artwork must be hand-drawn. Any computer graphics will not be accepted.
5. Any art medium may be used (e.g., colored pencils, crayons, paint).
6. Artwork must be flat (e.g., no glued pieces or glitter) and be able to be scanned.
7. Avoid labeling any brand names in the artwork.
8. A description of no more than 100 words must accompany the artwork in the space provided on the entry form. Do not write descriptions on artwork.
9. Label each entry on the **back page** of the artwork in **pencil** with the following:
 - Student's name, age, and grade
 - Teacher's name
 - School name
 - Contact number

Entry Form Info:

There should be one entry form filled out per student. Please ensure that the entry form is filled out completely and legibly. All entries (entry form + artwork) must be submitted to the BECQ office **no later than Thursday, November 18, 2021.**

Competition Process:

A DCRM awards panel will collect all entries and select 13 winners based on the proportion of entries received from different grade levels and one overall winner. Entries (artwork and description) will be judged on the creativity, artistic presentation, and relevancy to the theme.