

**KEEP MURPHY BEAUTIFUL
RECYCLE TRUCK ART CONTEST
OFFICIAL RULES: 2023**

OFFICE USE ONLY

NAME: _____
NUMBER: _____ T-SHIRT _____
DATE RECEIVED: ____/____/____

**ART CHALLENGE:
CREATE A RECYCLE MASCOT POSTER USING
THE THEME: I AM A MEAN, GREEN, RECYCLING MACHINE**

WHAT: Keep Murphy Beautiful & Republic Services challenges YOU to create a recycling mascot! Using the theme "I am a mean, green, recycling machine" as your inspiration, create a poster featuring your mascot to help with litter prevention and recycling. Grand Prize winners will have their artwork displayed on the side of Murphy Recycling Trucks! Second place winners will get their artwork displayed in local Murphy businesses, and 10 Great Job winners will get their artwork displayed on the side of our big belly trash cans throughout the city.

WHO: Kids who live in Murphy or go to school in Murphy (kindergarten through 10th grade)

- Artwork should be on a piece of paper, card stock, or poster board. Dimensions of artwork should be 8.5" x 11"
- Designs **MUST** be VERTICLE. This is due to the available space on the recycle truck
- Designs must include the name of the mascot
- Digitally created designs will not be accepted. No exceptions.
- Each poster must have the artist's name, age, grade, address and phone number clearly printed on the entry form and on the back of the artwork. Entries without an entry form will not be accepted.
- Artwork cannot include copyrighted items or characters.

SUBMISSIONS ARE DUE BY FEBRUARY 17, 2023 AT 5PM

DROP OFF AT THE MURPHY COMMUNITY CENTER, 205 N MURPHY ROAD

**WINNERS WILL BE ANNOUNCED AT THE
TBD CITY COUNCIL MEETING!**

Categories:

Kindergarten - 1st grade

2nd grade - 4th grade

5th grade - 6th grade

7th grade - 10th grade





Mascot Contest Official Entry Form

Student's Name: _____

Age: _____

Name pronounced: _____

School: _____

Grade: _____

Student Mailing Address (must be a Murphy resident or attend a school in Murphy):

Day Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

By submitting an entry, participant agrees to the official rules and the decisions of the sponsor and the judges and releases same from any and all liability, claims or damages arising out of participation and the acceptance and use of a prize. The entrant grants The City of Murphy and Republic Services permission for the use of his/her name and likeness for advertising and future promotion purposes without compensation except where prohibited. This contest is subject to these complete and official rules. I hereby certify that this poster was created entirely by the student above and is the student's original artwork and there are no copyrighted characters used. I agree that it may be offered for public display or publication during or after the contest. I understand that this poster becomes the property of the City of Murphy and may be reproduced. The only information that will be released is the student's name, school and grade.

Student Initial: _____

PARENT CONSENT: The submitted artwork may be selected by a panel of judges to be used in a citywide campaign to promote recycling and beautification. The artwork will become the property of the City of Murphy to use including but not limited to printing to display on the City of Murphy Big Belly solar trash/recycle cans and/or a recycle truck. If we do select your child's entry as the winning artwork, we would like to include your child's name and age on the image as well as the school's name. In order to include your child's name, we must have parental consent turned in with your entry. Forms received after February 17, 2023 may cause the child's artwork to not be accepted. Parent Initials: _____

Please circle student's shirt size:

YOUTH SIZE: YOUTH MEDIUM | YOUTH LARGE | YOUTH EXTRA LARGE

ADULT SIZE: ADULT SMALL | ADULT MEDIUM | ADULT LARGE | ADULT EXTRA LARGE

Prize choices: if selected as a **grand prize winner**, please circle your choice for a prize.

\$200 Visa Gift Card \$200 Amazon Gift Card \$200 Walmart Gift Card

If selected as a **2nd place winner**, please circle your choice for a prize.

\$100 Visa Gift Card \$100 Amazon Gift Card \$100 Walmart Gift Card

DEADLINE TO SUBMIT ARTWORK IS FEBRUARY 17, 2023 AT 5PM!

By student signing this form below, the student confirms they completed this piece of art all on their own, without any help or assistance from another person. By Parent/Guardian signing below they agree to the parent consent as stated above.

Student signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Name (Print) _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____