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Department of Education
REGION XI
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF DAVAO DEL NORTE

Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

January 25, 2024

DIVISION MEMORANDUM

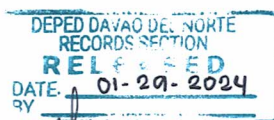
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**7TH INTERNATIONAL CHILDREN'S ENVIRONMENT CONSERVATION
DRAWING CONTEST**

To : Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief, Curriculum Implementation Division
Chief, School Governance and Operations Division
Education Program Supervisor in MAPEH and Special Program in the Arts
Public Schools District Supervisors
School Heads
All Others Concerned

1. Attached herewith is the 1st Endorsement from the Office of the Regional Director, the attached letter from China Ling Foundation and Master Hsing Yun Cultural and Educational Foundation dated January 18, 2024, which informs the conduct of the **7th International Children's Environment Conservation Drawing Contest**.
2. This office interposes no objection to the participation of teachers and learners to join the activity, as it is an integral part of their professional growth however, the adherence to the policy on "No Disruption of Classes," and DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 entitled: "Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith" shall be strictly observed.
3. Other details of the activity are enclosed in this memorandum.
4. In the conduct of this activity, it is expected the Equal Opportunity Principle (EOP) Performance goals and requirements must be observed in such a way as to recognize universal equality of individuals regardless of gender, religion, ethnicity, and political affiliation.
5. Immediate dissemination of this memorandum to the concerned is desired.


REYNALDO B. MELLORIDA, CESO V
Schools Division Superintendent



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Office of the Regional Director

1st Endorsement
January 18, 2024

Respectfully referred to the Schools Division Superintendents, the herein letter from China Soong Ching ling Foundation and Master Hsing Yun Cultural and Educational Foundation dated January 18, 2024 re: 7th International Children's Environment Conservation Drawing Contest, for information.

ALLAN G. FARNAZO
Director IV

Enclosed: As Stated.

By the Authority of the Regional Director

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"Fantasia of Reducing and Collecting Plastic"

7th International Children's Environmental Conservation Drawing Contest

Objectives

"International Children's Environmental Conservation Drawing Contest" is co-hosted by China Soong Ching Ling Foundation and Master Hsing Yun Cultural and Educational Foundation. Its missions are to enhance child development and learning, promote environmental and psychological wellbeing, and encourage environmental protection at a young age.

We sincerely invite children around the world to pick up their drawing pen, and support the global effort in safeguarding Earth's biodiversity.

I. Theme: Fantasia of Reducing and Collecting Plastic

The theme of the painting, "Fantasia of Reducing and Collecting Plastic" aims to respond to the United Nations World Earth Day 2024 action agenda of "Planet vs. Plastics". It seeks to raise awareness in children and adolescents about plastic pollution and inspire them to take actions of reducing plastic waste. We encourage them to use their creative and imaginative brushes to envision a green future with less plastic pollution, and to express their passion for a clean environment and participation in global governance of plastic pollution through their artwork.

II. Event Organizers

1. **Organizers:** China Soong Ching Ling Foundation and Master Hsing Yun Cultural and Educational Foundation
2. **Co-Organizers:** Fo Guang Shan Foundation Inc., Philippines and Buddha's Light International Association, Philippines
3. **Institution-in-charges:** BLIA Manila II Subchapter, Association of Chinese-Filipino Schools in the Philippines

III. Key Dates

1. **Submission Deadline:** March 03, 2024, 22:00pm (Proof of entry via email)
2. **Initial Evaluation and Re-evaluation:** April 1st, 2024, and Announcement on April 30 (Notify schools via email to send the selected original works through courier, with postmark as proof)
3. **Award Announcement:** August 30, 2024 (Notify schools of the list of winners via email)

IV. Requirements

1. Each person is limited to one piece to participate in the competition, and entry should be original. Entry that has joined other competition or has been published are not allowed to join.



2. The submitted entries should be in electronic format, preferably in JPG, with a file size between 1-10MB. The copyright and ownership of the works belong to the organizing committee.
3. Provide your own drawing paper. The minimum size is A3 paper 42cm x 29.7cm, and the maximum size should not be 54cm x 38cm. Chinese Painting size should not be larger than 4 sq. inches.
4. The types of entries are limited to painting works, with no restrictions on painting styles. They should be rich in imagination, observation, creativity and expression around the theme of the competition.

V. Category:

Children Age 3-9

Teens Age 10-15

VI. Prizes

| Award | No. of Persons | Awarding Policies |
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| Special Award | 5 | Each winning child and one guardian will be invited to attend the awarding ceremony, and will receive the certificate and collection of award-winning works (reimbursement of travel expenses) |
| First Prize | 10 | Each winning child will be invited to attend the awarding ceremony, and will receive the certificate and collection of award-winning works (reimbursement of travel expenses) |
| Second Prize | 20 | Welcome to attend the awarding ceremony at own travel expenses, will receive the certificate and collection of award-winning works. |
| Third Prize | 30 | Welcome to attend the awarding ceremony at own travel expenses, will receive the certificate. |
| Outstanding Award | Several | Each organization could send one representative to attend the awarding ceremony (reimbursement of travel expenses). |
| Outstanding Group Award | Organizations that had submitted more than 200 entries, with some receiving third place or higher awards. | |
| Organizing Award | Organizations that had submitted more than 100 entries, with some receiving third place or higher awards. | |

VII. Special Announcement

1. The organizing committee will send letters of notification to parents (guardian) of all winners for Special Award, First prize and Second prize. No reply after 7 days upon receipt of notification will be considered as giving up of prize award.
2. For Special Award, First Prize, Second Prize winners who cannot attend the awarding ceremony due to personal reasons, will be considered as giving up the prize award, he/she will only receive the certificate and collection of award-winning works.
3. Regardless of whether the submitted entries win or not, they will not be returned, and the copyright of the entries belongs to the organizers. The authors have the right to retain their names. The organizer reserves the right to preserve the works and use them in related activities, including but not limited to exhibitions, social media, and any promotional materials such as websites, posters, publications and etc. Furthermore, the organizers reserve the right to use the works for fundraising in charitable activities, including charity auctions, with no additional compensation provided for the aforementioned activities.
4. This competition is a public welfare activity of environmental protection, and no fee will be charged to the participants.
5. All winning entries will have the chance to be compiled in “Fantasia of Reducing and Collecting Plastic – 7th International Children’s Environmental Conservation Drawing Competition” digital artbook.
6. All entries for winners of Third Prize and above, will be chosen for publication of “Fantasia of Reducing and Collecting Plastic – 7th International Children’s Environmental Conservation Drawing Competition” art book.

VIII. Submission Guidelines

1. Initial Evaluation: Use a camera or high-definition scanner to convert your entry into JPG format with a size between 1-10MB. Personal information is entered into Microsoft Excel by your school or education center and submitted via email to the co-organizer at fgsartgallery2022@gmail.com
2. Re-evaluation: Selected entries will be notified by letter to send the original works through the school. Upon receiving the re-evaluation notice, the original works (please do not frame) should be sent to the co-organizer within 7 days via LBC express (postmarked as proof), with an A4 application form affixed on the back. Failure to send on time or loss of entries will result in disqualification from the re-evaluation.

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THE 7TH INTERNATIONAL CHILDREN'S ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION DRAWING CONTEST

減塑撿塑暢想 Fantasia of Reducing and Collecting Plastic

Participants : Age 3 to 15

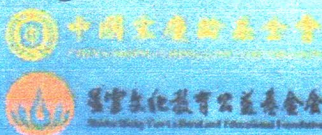
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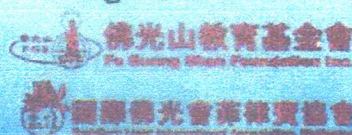
1. Capture your entry with a camera or high-definition scanner, converting it to JPG format with a size between 1-10MB.
2. Enter personal information into Microsoft Excel.
3. Submit via email to fgsartgallery2022@gmail.com



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