

4 Winning Drawings are selected from 4 groups: K-2, 3-5, 6-8, and 9-12.

Prizes are:

1st: \$100 Gift Card  
2nd: \$75 Gift Card  
3rd: \$50 Gift Card  
HM: \$25 Gift Card

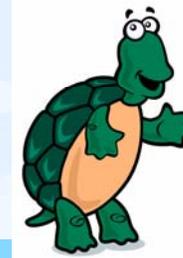
All four 1st place drawings will be used to promote stormwater pollution prevention messages on DART buses in celebration of the 38th anniversary of Earth Day. All 16 winners will receive prizes at an Awards Ceremony in April 2008! **EVERY** student who submits a drawing to this contest will receive a calendar featuring the 16 winning drawings.

**The FIRST school to send in 100 QUALIFIED\* entries by February 29, 2008 will win \$500 !**



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It's time to enter...



**2008**

**"CLEAN WATER Begins and Ends With YOU"**

**Drawing Contest!**



# Everything you need to know about the 2008 Drawing Contest!

**Who Can Enter?** This contest is open to all students in grades K-12 attending public, parochial, private school or home school, within the state of Delaware. Send only one entry per student please!

**What do we do?** Draw or paint an original picture showing how every Delawarian can prevent stormwater runoff pollution. This pollution occurs when rainwater or melting snow washes over the land on its way to streams and rivers. Stormwater picks up pollutants from the land, including motor oil, pet wastes, chemicals and litter, and carries them to storm drains and directly into Delaware's streams and rivers. This "nonpoint source pollution is the biggest polluter of our waterways! Check out [www.deldot.gov/stormwater/index.shtml](http://www.deldot.gov/stormwater/index.shtml) and [www.DelawareEstuary.org](http://www.DelawareEstuary.org) for helpful pollution prevention tips!

## **DEADLINE!**

Qualified entries must be received by:  
**Partnership for the Delaware Estuary**  
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**BY FEBRUARY 29, 2008**  
(No entries accepted after this date)

## **CRITERIA: PLEASE READ - THIS IS VERY IMPORTANT!**

\*Failure to meet any criteria will disqualify entries.



Artwork **MUST** be ORIGINAL & HORIZONTAL on an 8.5" X 11" sheet of white paper with no lamination or protruding parts.



No "poster-style" work, words, or labeled objects. This is a drawing contest, so let your art tell the message without words. Use this space on the entry form if you want to explain your drawing. "Stop" on stop sign, "soda" on a can, etc. is permitted



Drawings are created on **WHITE** paper with crayon, marker, paint, color pencils, and/or magic markers. For calendar production purposes, full color is preferred (but not required) over black and white. No computer-generated artwork please!



Each entry must have a copy of the Entry Form filled out legibly and entirely. Tape or glue it to the back of the drawing - no staples please.

Please share this announcement with other educators!  
Questions? Call 800-445-4935 x106

## *Official 2008 Delaware* *"Clean Water Begins and Ends With You"* **Drawing Contest ENTRY FORM**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Home Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**What is the stormwater pollution prevention message in your drawing?**

### School Information

(Fill out this section **ONLY** if drawing is done as a school project or assignment. **Teachers note**-it saves time if you fill out this info prior to photocopying the form!)

School Name: \_\_\_\_\_

School Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher's Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher's Phone \_\_\_\_\_