

2018 Idaho Farm to School Month Drawing Contest

Subject and Theme: In Idaho we love our potatoes and being active! This year, we want students to draw a picture of the famous Spuddy Buddy doing their favorite physical activities (examples: skiing, dancing, rollerblading, etc). See below for contest rules!

Rules:

Age Requirement:

This contest is open to all artists attending a K-12 school in Idaho, including those participating in homeschool programs.

The Work Must Be Original:

You must be the original creator of the artwork that is submitted to the competition. Your art must be your own original concept and not a copy of anyone else's copyrighted material. The only exception to this rule is that you may use Spuddy Buddy in your original artwork. Beyond that exception, if your image infringes upon another's copyright it will be disqualified. Upon submitting your work to this competition, you are solely responsible for any infringement on copyrighted materials. Slanderous, defamatory, or libelous entries will be disqualified and you are solely responsible for such claims.

Entry Fees:

There is no fee to enter this competition

Repeat Entries:

There is no restriction on entering art that has been entered to previous competitions. Odds of winning a prize depend on the number and quality of eligible entries received.

Non-exclusive Permissions:

By entering this art competition, you are granting ISDA a royalty-free, non-exclusive, perpetual license to reproduce, display, distribute, in whole or in part, images of your artwork on our website, social media pages, and in our newsletters for any educational, promotional, publicity, exhibition, archival, scholarly and all other governmental purposes.

Disclaimer:

ISDA will not be responsible for any lost, late, misrouted, destroyed or damaged entries. ISDA has no obligation to publish, use, or retain or return to you any of the contest entries. By participating in the contest, each entrant consents to the use of his or her name, city and state of residence, other biographical information, in any medium for promotional, advertising and public relations purposes by the contest sponsor, without additional compensation, except where prohibited by law

Artwork Size and Formats:

Your images are best represented on a piece of paper measuring 8.5 inches by 11 inches. The artwork must be submitted in hard copy, paper format. Feel free to use the medium of your choice: paint, colored pencils, markers, crayons, etc.

The Entry Process:

Please mail your original artwork to the address listed below. Originals will not be returned upon completion of the competition. You are welcome to make photocopies of your work prior to submission. **Please to be sure to include the following items on the back of your artwork: Student's name, student's grade level, school name, and school phone number.**

Idaho State Department of Agriculture
Attn: Idaho Preferred, Farm to School
2270 Old Penitentiary Road
Boise, ID 83712

Judging Criteria:

Submissions will be evaluated in three separate categories:

Early elementary category: Kindergarten – 3rd Grade

Late elementary category: 4th Grade – 8th Grade

High school category: 9th Grade – 12th Grade

Does the submitted artwork fit the theme of the competition?

Is there a creative interpretation of the subject/ theme?

Is the originality of the work interesting?

Does the work impact the viewer in relationship to the theme?

Does the work stand on its own as a complete and outstanding creative image?

The composition and design of the work is also a judging criterion.

Original Work:

We reserve the right to request proof that your entry is your original artwork created solely by you. Non-compliance to this rule will be a disqualification of your entry.

Multiple Submission:

There are no restrictions to the number of contests an artist can submit work to, nor the number of pieces they can submit. Each artist may only win one prize, as they are only allowed to be represented in one of the categories listed above.

Submission Deadlines:

Artworks must be mailed to the Idaho State Department of Agriculture and postmarked no later than October 17, 2018. If delivered, artworks must be received by close of business on October 19th. No artworks will be accepted past the posted deadline.

Prize:

Contest winners will receive their prize the week of October 29th. The prize will either be delivered or mailed to the school to the student's attention. This will be verified with the school prior to delivery/ mailing. Contest winners will also win treats for their entire class.

Prize for early elementary category (Kindergarten – 3rd Grade) – Large stuffed Spuddy Buddy toy

Prize for late elementary category (4th Grade – 8th Grade) – Large stuffed Spuddy Buddy toy

Prize for high school category (9th Grade – 12th Grade) – Idaho Potato Commission t-shirt

All prizes will be awarded “as is” and without warranty of any kind, express or implied, including, without limitation, any implied warranty of merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose.

VOID WHERE PROHIBITED BY LAW.

In compliance with Idaho Code § 67-5732A, the head of any commission, board, council, task force, committee or department of state government, or any institution of the state, or any elected state official has deemed awarding of prize items to contest winners as an appropriate transfer of state property in compliance with internal management policies and procedures of the Public Entity.