



## Fair Housing Resource Center Poster Contest Guidelines



**Poster Contest Deadline and Announcement Dates:**  
2023 Poster Contest Due Date: 5:00 p.m. November 15, 2023  
2023 Poster Contest Winner Announcements: November 16, 2023

All posters must be delivered or sent to:

**Fair Housing Resource Center**  
**1100 Mentor Avenue**  
**Painesville, Ohio 44077**

**\*Contact Fair Housing Resource Center at (440) 392-0147 to arrange for pickup of the posters\***

### Criteria for Poster Submissions

Fair Housing Resource Center, Inc. has set the following guidelines for the annual poster contest. Please be sure to review these guidelines with the students to ensure everyone gets an opportunity to participate.

- Anyone 18 and under is eligible to participate in our Poster Contest.
- Posters must incorporate **creative and original** artwork and ideas. Depictions of cartoons, video games, movie/television characters; celebrities; movie themes; and past poster designs do not constitute creativity and originality.
- Posters must deliver a **clear and positive** message about the theme: *Beauty in all Colors*
- Posters must be no larger than standard poster board size (22" x 28") and no smaller than 8.5" x 11".
- Please refrain from writing your name or other identifying information on the front of the poster. Poster contest entry numbers should not be marked on the front of posters either. Please tape the entry form on the back of the poster.
- Individuals may use a variety of art mediums, such as watercolor, pen and ink, crayon, chalk, markers, etc. Keep in mind that the winning poster will be reproduced or reprinted, so clear artwork and easy-to-read messages are best.
- Computer clip art, pictures from magazines and other print media, or any other copyrighted brand or product images **will not** be accepted.
- Individuals may submit multiple entries
- Individuals may not work in pairs
- Failure to comply with the guidelines could result in a disqualification of the poster entry
- Release forms and Submission forms are required to be signed and submitted with entry to qualify

### Judging

Posters will be judged on their artistry, creativity, originality, and their ability to communicate a clear and positive message about the theme: *Unity and Diversity*. We ask that all individuals comply with the above rules.



## Fair Housing Poster Contest Entry Form

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**Student's First and Last Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent's Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**County:** \_\_\_\_\_

**School:** \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

**Grade:** \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Please tape this entry form to the back of your artwork to ensure that you get the credit that you deserve!**

### Release

I affirm that I am the creator of my submission and that it is an original artwork. I acknowledge that by submitting this poster it becomes the property of Fair Housing Resource Center Inc. and may be used in newspapers, media, presentations, informational materials including websites, and for other educational purposes. My submission may also be shared with the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development and may appear in their materials. I understand that I will be given credit as the poster artist in all reproductions of my submissions unless I request otherwise.

Please have your parent/guardian sign and date below acknowledging that they have read and agree to the information listed above:

**Parent/Guardian Print Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/ Guardian Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_