

## Reflections Art Program 2011-2012

# theme: "Diversity Means..."



**Do Your Kids Love to . . . Create pictures? Write stories, poems or essays? Take photos? Compose music? Create dances? Then sign them up for the Reflections Art Program!**

The Reflections program is a National PTA and Washington State PTA cultural arts program and competition. Reflections allows students to use their creative talents to express a theme through their own original artwork and to be recognized for their efforts.

### Participants in Reflections will...

- Have fun creating works of art at home or at special lunch recess workshops at school.
- Have their work displayed at a school art show.
- Attend a special party for the students who participate.
- Receive a certificate and ribbon for participating.
- Have a chance to have his or her work reviewed by local art professionals.
- Outstanding work may be sent to the PTA council, state, and national competitions.

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### Entering is easy. Here's how:

1. Sign up! Complete and return the attached permission slip/information packet request form.
2. Choose an art category:



**Visual Arts** - Includes drawing, painting, printmaking, collage.



**Literature** - Includes plays, poems, stories, essays, song lyrics



**Music** - Create an original musical composition, recorded on cassette tape or CD.



**Photography** - Black and white, color, touched up, digital, double print, altered photos.



**Choreography/Dance** - Created and perform an original dance, recorded on DVD.

3. Have your child choose a project idea that expresses the theme "**Diversity Means...**".  
(To see how students have interpreted last year's theme, visit [www.wastatepta.org](http://www.wastatepta.org). Click on Programs and then on Reflections.)
4. Let your child be creative and have fun! Art pieces should be created at home or at special lunch recess workshops at school, if we can get volunteers! (Reflections is NOT a series of art classes.)
5. Have your child create a unique title that connects the entry to the theme. A statement on the entry form explaining how the work interprets the theme is highly recommended.
6. Prepare the entry for display and judging *according to the guidelines in the information packet.*
7. Turn in your entry to the RHE school office. The deadline will be in October 26, 2011.

Questions? Contact Kathy Nguyen at [nguyenkathy30@hotmail.com](mailto:nguyenkathy30@hotmail.com) or (425)881-8911

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# RHE PTSA Reflections Art Program '11-'12 Information Packet Request Form

We need to know how many students are entering and in which art categories. Please complete and return this form to school with your child. A rules packet and entry form will be sent to you via your child's teacher. If you do not receive an information packet and entry form, please contact us at the contact addresses below.

**A** Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian's Name (printed) \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail and/or Phone#: \_\_\_\_\_

**B** Student will enter in the following categories: (Check all that apply. You may change categories later.)  
 Visual Arts       Music       Photography  
 Literature       Choreography/Dance

**C** Parent/Student understands that the projects that this student submits into this competition will be the student's *original creation*. Works may represent Rose Hill Elementary School in a state or national competition (dance choreography entries are not eligible for the national competition). **The student's artwork must be submitted by the due date and must meet all the requirements outlined in the Information Packet in order to be eligible for the state and national competitions. Information packets will be forwarded to the student via his or her teacher on October 14, 2011.**

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**D Parents:**  
We need several volunteers to make this an enriching and exciting experience for your children. It takes many people and a lot of time to find judges, coordinate an artwork display, create flyers and posters, promote the program within the classrooms, provide treats for a participant's party, and to do all the rest of the tasks left to do, and help bring entries to Resource Center! Please volunteer! We appreciate anything you can do to make this program successful.

Yes, I can help! I would like to help with \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please be sure to include your name, phone number and/or e-mail above.)

**Return this form to the school with your child by ASAP! Thank you!**

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