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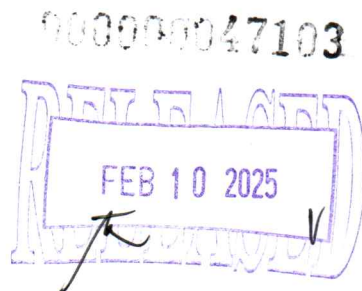
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IMAGINE THE FUTURE OF OCEAN DRAWING CONTEST

Attached is the invitation from partner Fo Guang Shan Foundation on the 8th International Children's Environmental Conservation Drawing Contest with specific title "Imagine the Future of Ocean Drawing Contest". The mission of the activity is to enhance child development and learning, promote environmental and psychological well-being and encourage environmental protection. Herewith are the rules for joining.

Moreover, participation of the activity is purely VOLUNTARY.

For your information and guidance.



Rules for the “Imagine the Future of Ocean” 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 well-being, and encourage environmental protection at a young age.

Organizers

China Soong Ching Ling Foundation
Master Hsing Yun Cultural and Educational Foundation

Philippine Co-Organizers (collect all Philippine Entries and Submit to the organizers)

Fo Guang Shan Mabuhay Temple
Buddha's Light International Association Philippines
Fo Guang Yuan Art Gallery Manila

Rules

Participants Age 3 to 15

Children Age 3-9

Teens Age 10-15

1 Theme Imagine the Future of Ocean

The theme of the painting, "Imagine the Future of Ocean" aims to respond to the guideline of United Nations Ocean Conference 2025, "Accelerating Action, Mobilizing All Forces to Protect and sustainably Utilize the Ocean", to raise children's attention to the ocean, encourage them to use creative and imaginative brushes to imagine the future of humanity and the ocean, and inspire them to express their enthusiasm for protecting the ocean and participating in global governance of marine pollution through their artworks.

2 Requirements

1. Entry should be original. Entry that has joined other competition or has been published are not allowed to join.

2. Please refer to the Important Notes for details of submission. The copyright and ownership of the works belong to the organizing committee.

3. The types of entries are limited to painting works. There are no restrictions on painting type. The maximum size should not be larger than 54*38cm, the ideal size is 1/4 or 1/8 for Chinese Painting, the size should not be larger than 4 sq. inches. Please do not mount the artwork.

4. There are no restrictions on the style of the entries. They should be rich in imagination, observation, creativity and expression around the theme of the competition.

(3) Deadline for Philippine entries March 31, 2025 (submit the original artwork together with the registration form to Venerable Zhi Pu at FGS Mabuhay Temple, 656 Pablo Ocampo St., Malate, Manila. Landline 85599540. Viber +63 945 286 9666).

Prizes

Award	No. of Persons
Special Award	5
First Prize	10
Second Prize	20
Third Prize	30
Outstanding Award	many
Organizing Award	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Organizations that had submitted entries that win first prize or higher awards. 2. Organizations that had submitted more than 300 entries and receive a third prize or higher awards.

Awarding Policies

Winners from Overseas

1.Special Award

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 (responsible for the travel expenses and accommodation of the winning child and a guardian during the ceremony).

2.First Prize

Each winning child will be invited to attend the awarding ceremony, and will receive the certificate and collection of award-winning works (responsible for the travel expenses and accommodation of the winning child and a guardian during the ceremony, guardians shall be responsible for their own travel expenses).

3.Second Prize

Each winning child will be invited to attend the awarding ceremony, and will receive the certificate and collection of award-winning works (Each winning child can be reimbursed RMB 2000 for international airfare with their ticket, responsible for the accommodation and meals of the winning child and a guardian during the ceremony, guardians shall be responsible for their own travel expenses).

4.Third Prize

Each winning child will receive a prize of RMB 1000 (including tax), will receive the certificate and collection of award-winning works. If the

winning child attend the award ceremony, the travel expenses and accommodation will be borne by themselves.

5.Outstanding Award

Will receive the certificate.

6.Organizing Award

Each organization could send one representative to attend the awarding ceremony (responsible for travel expenses and accommodation).

Winners from China

1.Special Award

Each winner will receive 5000rmb scholarship assistance fund, will be invited to attend awarding ceremony (travel expenses and accommodation expenses shall be borne by oneself), will receive the certificate and collection of award-winning works.

2.First Prize

Each winner will receive 3000rmb scholarship assistance fund, will be invited to attend awarding ceremony (travel expenses and accommodation expenses shall be borne by oneself), will receive the certificate and collection of awarding-winning works.

3.Second Prize

Each winner will receive 2000rmb scholarship assistance fund, will be invited to attend awarding ceremony (travel expenses and accommodation expenses shall be borne by oneself), will receive the certificate and collection of awarding-winning works.

4.Third Prize

Each winner will receive 1000rmb scholarship assistance fund, is welcome to attend awarding ceremony (travel expenses and accommodation expenses shall be borne by oneself), will receive the certificate and collection of awarding-winning works.

5.Outstanding Award

Will receive the certificate.

6.Organizing Award

Each organization could send one representative to attend the awarding ceremony (responsible for travel expenses and accommodation).

The above student subsidies are tax inclusive.

Exhibition and Publication of Artworks

1.All winning entries will have the chance to be compiled in "Imagine the Future of Ocean = 8th International Children's Environmental Conservation Drawing Competition" digital art book.

2.All entries for winners of Third Prize and above, will be chosen for publication of "Imagine the Future of Ocean - 8th International Children's Environmental Conservation Drawing Competition" art book.

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.The copyright of the entries belongs to the organizers, and the authors have the right to retain their names. The organizer reserves the right to keep the work and use it in related activities (this includes and not limited to exhibition, social media or any promotional materials like for example, websites, posters, publications, etc). Furthermore, the organizer reserves the right to use the works when raising funds for public welfare activities. No remuneration for the above activities.

4.This competition is a public welfare activity of environmental protection, and no fee will be charged to the participants.

All interpretation rights of this competition belong to the organizers of the competition, and the organizer has the right to change the rules of competition.

Organizing Committee of International Children Environmental Conservation Drawing Competition

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第八届国际少儿环保公益绘画大赛报名表

Imagine the Future of Ocean——The Entry form of 8th International Children's Environmental Conservation Drawing Contest

姓名 Name		性别 Gender	
出生日期 Date of Birth	年 月 日 Y M D	年龄 Age	
参赛地区 Subordinate region		籍贯 Native place	
学校 School		班级 Grade	
作品名称 Title of the work			
通讯地址 Postal address			
监护人姓名 Name of Guardian		与参赛人关系 Relationship with competitors	
监护人邮箱 Guardian's email		监护人电话 Guardian's contact number	
监护人微信 Guardian's WeChat			
指导老师 Tutor's name		联系电话 Tutor's contact number	
指导老师工作单位 Work unit of tutor			

注：1、请准确填写完整信息； Please submit complete and correct information

2、若无指导老师，需在“指导老师”一栏填写“无指导老师”。

If there is no Tutor, please write "No Tutor" at the "Tutor's name" section.