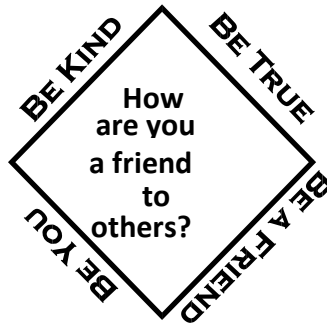




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Dear Educator/Parent/Guardian/Youth Provider,

The Shippensburg Community Resource Coalition (SCRC) is sponsoring an art contest for all students in kindergarten through 12th grade residing in the Shippensburg Ares School District. This contest will build upon the successful Be Kind campaign held November 10th through 16th, 2024 (previously a month in February but was changed). This contest is centered around a theme of **“Be kind, Be True, Be a Friend, Be You - How are you a Friend to Others?”** We believe that youth who make good choices concerning friendship should be rewarded and recognized for their positive choices. The coalition plans to use the winning entries in a community awareness campaign to encourage other young people to be kind, be true, and be a friend.

Students are encouraged to think about their friends and how they are a friend to others in their artwork. All types of printed artwork will be accepted (posters, photos, paintings, etc.). Entries will be judged by how clearly the student demonstrates a commitment to being a good friend and their creativity. Additional criteria are listed in the attached guidelines. Entries will be judged by SCRC Youth Advisory Council members and their advisor. The Youth Advisory Council consists of middle and high school aged youth from Shippensburg.

There are four age groups: Grades K-2, Grades 3-5, Grades 6-8, and Grades 9-12. In each category, there will be a First Place prize (\$100) and Second Place prize (\$25). All students that submit an entry will be recognized for their contribution. Entries are due November 15th and the winners will be announced on November 22nd.

The Shippensburg Community Resource Coalition is a collaborative effort to provide quality social services and youth programs that are accessible, safe, and honor the dignity of each person. This work includes a reduction in risk factors related to youth substance use and social, emotional, and physical health in order to increase youth resiliency. Our goal is to help community members reach their full potential.

We look forward to some great examples of student artwork who show the theme of **“Be Kind, Be True, Be a Friend, Be You - How are you a Friend to Others?”** Thank you for sharing this information with youth residing in the Shippensburg Area School District.

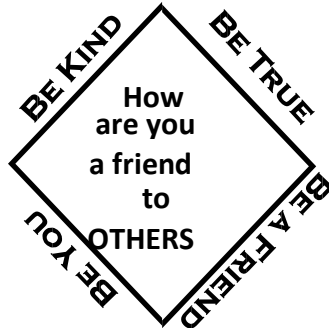
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Shippensburg Community Resource Coalition's 2024 Art Contest Guidelines
"Be Kind, Be True, Be a Friend, Be You - How are you a Friend to Others?"

All entries due to your SASD school office or SCRC by 4 pm on 11.15.24.

SCRC Office: 206 E. Burd Street, Shippensburg, 717.477.1961

Please read the following guidelines carefully.

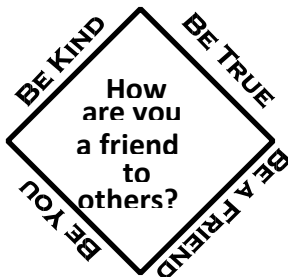
- All entries are due by 4pm on 11.15.2024 and winners will be announced on 11.22.2024
- The contest is open to Shippensburg students in Kindergarten through 12th grade, including those who are home-schooled, cyber-schooled, attend parochial, private, or public school.
- Art submissions must incorporate the *"Be kind, Be True, Be a Friend, Be You - How are you a Friend to Others?"* theme.
- Students may submit all types of printed artwork (posters, photos, paintings, etc.).
- Art materials **may not incorporate any copyrighted or trademarked characters, logos or names of specific products.**
- Winners will be selected based on their use of the theme and their creativity and presentation of the submission.
- A completed entry form (including signed parent/guardian consent) **MUST** be attached to each submission. The consent form must include a daytime phone number or parent email address. Use the form included in this packet of information. Copy as needed. **ENTRIES THAT DO NOT INCLUDE PARENT/GUARDIAN CONSENT WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.**
- All submissions become the property of the SCRC and will not be returned.

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2024 Shippensburg Area Student Art Contest Entry Form and Parent /Guardian Consent

“Be Kind, Be True, Be a Friend, Be You - How are you a Friend to Others?”

Student’s Name: _____ Grade: _____ (Please print clearly)

Student’s Home Address (including city, state, and ZIP code):

Student’s email address: _____

Student’s Phone Number (either home or cell): _____

School Name (Homeschooled, Cyber School, etc): _____

Parent/Guardian Consent

I authorize use of my child’s photograph and statements by Shippensburg Community Resource Coalition (SCRC) for use in the following ways:

- Promotion of SCRC – Shippensburg Community Resource Coalition and its partners. These promotions could include, but are not limited to, community displays, informational literature, PowerPoint presentations, newsletters, press releases, websites, legislative education, and other year-round communications.
- The name, grade, and school/organization of my minor child on any materials published by SCRC regarding the Art Contest.

Parent/Guardian Name: _____
(Please print clearly)

Parent/Guardian Daytime Phone Number: _____

Parent/Guardian Email Address: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____
(Authorizing child’s participation in Writing Contest)