

Quick Guide to the TRWD Earth Day Photo Contest

When is the contest?

March 1 through April 15, 2024. Winners will be announced April 22, 2024.

Who may enter?

Youth ages 5-17 who live in Tarrant County or anywhere in our service area.

What photos can be submitted?

Photos that are taken by youth participants in 2024 and show:

- why water is important in our lives, and/or
- how to conserve and protect water

How do you enter?

- Obtain parent or guardian permission.
- Fill out the registration form at www.trwd.com/centennial-earth-day/ and upload your photos.

Any technical requirements?

- Digital images must be uploaded as png or jpg files and not exceed 52 mb.
- Normal photo editing is acceptable (cropping, brightness, etc) but no AI-generated images or artistic effects or filters may be used.

How will the contest be judged?

- Photographs will be judged on originality, clarity of theme, overall impact, and artistic merit.
- A panel of judges, who have expertise in water and no connection to the contestants, will judge the photo entries.

How many winners will be selected?

1st, 2nd, and 3rd place and Honorable Mention awards will be awarded for each thematic category and within each grade division (K-2, 3-5, 6-8, and 9-12).

Will winners receive prizes?

All winners will be recognized at a reception at the TRWD office in Fort Worth and will receive passes to Twin Points Park at Eagle Mountain Lake, a ribbon, certificate, and 10x12 framed copy of their winning photo entry. 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners will also receive additional prizes.

Will TRWD use the photos afterwards?

Yes, by entering the contest you agree to allow TRWD to use the photos for educational and promotional purposes, i.e. to teach people to value, conserve, and protect water.