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Plano ISD and the Plano ISD Education Foundation
 invite all students to enter the
 2017 Plano ISD Holiday Greeting Card Art Contest

Finalist prizes sponsored by the Plano ISD Education Foundation

Dear Plano ISD Student:

Plano ISD is seeking your talent to assist the district in designing artwork for the school district's official 2017 holiday greeting card to be published in December. This year's contest theme is **"Unfold the Season."**

Plano ISD and the Plano ISD Education Foundation invite all Plano ISD students to enter the holiday greeting card contest by creating your own original artwork to be considered by our expert panel of judges for the cover of the official Plano ISD holiday greeting card.

Entries will be judged by our sponsors, district art coordinator and other district administrators. Contest finalists will be selected from each of the school levels in Plano ISD with the winning entry selected from the group of finalists; cash awards are as follows:

- Elementary School (PreK-2) Finalist: \$50 award
- Elementary School (Grades 3-5) Finalist: \$50 award
- Middle School (Grades 6-8) Finalist: \$50 award
- High School and Senior High School (Grades 9-12) Finalist: \$50 award
- One winner selected from the four finalists: \$100 award

The finalists and winner will receive an award from the Plano ISD Education Foundation at the December 2017 school board meeting. The winning artwork will be published on the cover of the holiday greeting card and will appear in publicity and other promotions for the holiday season in Plano ISD, including the school district website.

Please read the Holiday Greeting Card Art Contest Rules (see below) carefully, submit your best artwork and return this form to your school office or your school's art specialist by Thursday, **October 19, at 5 p.m.**

Holiday Greeting Card Art Contest Rules:

(Any departure from these rules will result in disqualification.)

- Judges will select artwork that is appropriate to share with our diverse community, which celebrates a variety of holidays.
- Only one **original** artwork creation may be entered per student.
- Artwork size must be between 9" x 12".
- Artwork should not smear/smudge and must be dry.
- Contest is limited to Plano ISD students only.
- All entries must be received in your school office by the end of the school day on Thursday, **October 19, at 5 p.m.**
- All properly labeled entries will be returned to the student artist by Plano ISD.
- All entries must include the Holiday Greeting Card Label and Parent Permission Form (see below).

Holiday Greeting Card Art Label
(Please cut out and affix to back of art work.)

Deadline: Oct. 19 to teacher
 (Please print)

Student's Name: _____
 Age: _____
 School: _____
 Grade _____
 Level: _____
 Home Address: _____
 Home Phone: _____
 Teacher's Name: _____

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Guardian Permission Form

Student's Name: _____
 (Please print.)
 Guardian's Name: _____
 Guardian's Signature: _____

I have read this form completely and provide my permission for Plano ISD to reproduce my student's artwork on the official 2017 Holiday Greeting Card and in contest publicity.