



Read Across South Carolina

From the Mountains to the Sea, Read With Me

2017-2018 Winners

The Read Across South Carolina Art Contest is designed to promote literacy and art across South Carolina. In doing so, the contest provides recognition to individual students, publicity for their teachers and schools, visibility of education-based organizations like The South Carolina Education Association and advances opportunities to raise awareness about art and literacy.

The third state-wide Read Across South Carolina Art Contest brought in more than 175 entries from kindergarten through high school age students. The number of imaginative and exceptional entries made the judging difficult, and the winners presented here reveal a wide diversity and range of talent, imagination and creative spirit.

BEST IN SHOW

Adriannah Johnson Scott's Branch MS/HS Teacher: Tarlton Blackwell

WINNER SCHOOL COUNTY TEACHER

Division 1 – Grades K-2

Division 1: K-2nd grade

1st place: Ronnie Drew, Lamar ES, Darlington Co,

2nd place: Rhiyanna Thomas, Hardeeville ES, Jasper Co

3rd place: Chloe Young, Fairfield Magnet School for Math & Science, Fairfield Co

Honorable Mention (HM): Alicia Nguyen, Orchard Park ES, York Co

HM: Nevaeh Sanchez, Manaview ES, Greenville Co

Division 2: 3rd-5th grade

1st place: Emory Pye, Little Mountain ES, Newberry Co

2nd place: Nathan Phillips, Spaulding ES, Darlington Co

3rd place: Jamyah La Grant, Willow Price ES, Sumter Co

HM: Jaden Anderson, Richard Carroll ES, Bamberg Co

HM: Gracen Shealy, Little Mountain ES, Newberry Co

Division 3: Middle School

1st place: Ja'Vien Elmore, William J Clark MS, Orangeburg Co

2nd place: Sharon Rajadhas, William J Clark MS, Orangeburg Co

3rd place: Mellie C Driggers, Spaulding MS, Darlington Co

HM: Xaiviar Cremedy, Riverside MS, Greenville Co

HM: Gracie Driggers, Spaulding MS, Darlington Co

HM: Noah Fultz, Chapin MS, Lexington Co

HM: Imani Green, William J Clark MS, Orangeburg Co

HM: Reagan Johnson, Bamberg-Ehrhardt MS, Bamberg Co

HM: Jordan Stewart, Chapin MS, Lexington Co

Division 4: High School

1st place: Maggie Marsh, Dreher HS, Richland 1 Co

2nd place: Rickia Grant, Scott's Branch MS/HS, Clarendon Co

3rd place: Christopher Escobar, Southside HS, Greenville Co

HM: Daniel Cubides, Berea HS, Greenville Co

HM: Anna Hedrick, Applied Technology Center, Rock Hill, York Co

HM: Joey Sanders, SC School for the Blind, Spartanburg Co

Division 5: Digital/Photography

1st place: Autumn Roberts, Greenville HS, Greenville Co

2nd place: Donye Gaskins, North Myrtle Beach HS, Horry Co

3rd place: Joshua Gist, Applied Technology Center, Rock Hill, York Co

HM: Zoe Kennedy, Applied Technology Center, Rock Hill, York Co

Creative Division:

HM: Darnell Chen, Allendale- Fairfax, Allendale Co

HM: Skya Hart, Fairfield Magnet School for Math and Science, Fairfield Co

HM: Rhianna Lamb, Wade Hampton HS, Greenville Co

HM: Johnny Owen, SC School for Blind, Spartanburg Co

HM: Hannah Rhea, AC Flora HS, Richland 1

HM: Jillian Thorraldson, AC Flora HS, Richland 1

HM: Ming Ye, AC Flora HS, Richland 1

People's Choice:

D1: Vivian Yang, Lamar ES, Darlington Co

D2: Whitney Shannon, Little Mountain ES, Newberry Co

D3: Karolyne Crawford, Northside MS, Greenwood Co

D3: Alia Kemp Davis, EL Wright MS, Richland Co

D3: Matthew Fredrick William J Clark, Orangeburg Co

D4: Thomas Farmer, North Augusta HS, Aiken Co

D4: Katlyn McCon, Lakewood HS Sumter Co

D5: Emma Keiner, North Myrtle Beach HS, Horry Co