

Fair Housing Resource Center Poster Contest Guidelines

Poster Contest Deadline and Announcement Dates:

2017 Poster Contest Flags Due: April 24, 2017

2017 Poster Contest Winner Announcements: April 27, 2017

All posters must be delivered or sent to:

**Fair Housing Resource Center
1100 Mentor Avenue
Painesville, Ohio 44077**

***Contact Fair Housing Resource Center at (440) 392-0147 to arrange for pickup of the posters**

Criteria for Poster Submissions

Fair Housing Resource Center Inc. has set the following guidelines for the poster contest. Please be sure to go over these with the students to ensure everyone gets an opportunity to participate.

- Any one 18 and under is eligible to participate in our Poster contest.
- Posters must incorporate **creative and original** artwork and ideas. Depictions of cartoon, video game, movie/television characters; celebrities; movie themes; and past poster designs do not constitute creativity and originality.
- Posters must deliver a **clear and positive** message about **Fair Housing**.
- Posters must be no larger than standard poster board size (22" x 28") and no smaller than 8.5" x 11".
- Please refrain from writing your name or other identifying information on the front of the poster. Poster contest entry numbers should not be marked on the front of posters either. On back of poster please tape the entry form.
- Individuals may use a variety of media, such as watercolor, pen and ink, crayon, chalk, markers, etc. Keep in mind that winning poster will be reproduced or reprinted, so clear artwork and easy to read messages are best.
- Computer clip art, pictures from magazines and other print media, or any other copyrighted brand or product images **will not** be accepted.
 - Individuals may submit multiple entries
 - Individuals may not work in pairs.
 - Failure to comply with the guidelines could result in a disqualification of the poster entry.
 - Release forms and Submission forms are required when turning in an entry.

Judging

Posters will be judged on their artistry, creativity, originality, and their ability to communicate a clear and positive message about Fair Housing. We ask that all individuals to comply with the above rules.



Fair Housing Poster Contest Entry Form

Students First Name: _____

Students Last Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

County: _____

School: _____

Grade: _____

***Please tape to the back of your artwork and include your release form to ensure that you get the credit that you deserve!**

Release

I affirm that I am the creator of my submission and that it is an original art work. I acknowledge that by submitting this poster it becomes the property of Fair Housing Resource Center Inc. and may be used in newspapers, media, presentations, informational materials including websites, and for other educational purposes. My submission may also be recreated on a flag that will hang outside FHRC office, Posters may be shared with the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development and may appear in their materials. I understand that I will be given credit as the poster artist in all reproductions of my submissions unless I request otherwise.

Please sign and date below acknowledging that you have read and agree to the information listed above

Print Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Please have your parent/ guardian sign and date below acknowledging that they have read and agree to the information listed above:

Print Parents Name: _____

Date: _____

Parents Signature: _____

Date: _____