



The EmilyAnn Theatre & Gardens

Annual Butterfly Festival

Art Contest Rules & Criteria

Art Submission Deadline: 1st Friday in April

Butterfly Festival Date: 3rd Saturday in April (All local art will be displayed at the festival.)

Contact: 512-847-6969 or butterfly@emilyann.org

- 1) Kindergarten classes submit “Caterpillar” Art and grades 1-12 submit “Butterfly” Art.
- 2) Submissions are juried and all rules apply.
- 3) Butterflies are done in a “free form” manner. No patterns are provided. Artwork should be between 3”x5” and 8.5”x11.
- 4) Fantasy and Realistic are the two categories. If artwork is undesignated, it is not eligible for jurying.
- 5) Judging Criteria: originality, elements of art, execution of theme chosen, detail, overall appearance, principles of design
- 6) Suggested Materials: pencil color, watercolor pencil, marker, soft pastel, oil pastel, pen & ink, pencil, watercolor, acrylic paint, crayon
- 7) All entries must be laminated with strings attached for hanging. (Note: Frisco ISD teachers should only laminate and not attach strings.)
- 8) Only artwork with identification tags are eligible for jurying. Tags are included with this mailing or can be found on our web site, www.emilyann.org. Please print information on the tags.
- 9) Include a roster with your artwork that includes the school name, student names, grade, and category.
- 10) Teachers may select the top five entries from each category (fantasy and realistic) per class and send those selections in a separate envelope. These entries will be juried together and ribbons will be awarded. We have a special education award in each division. If you would like a student’s art juried in this division, please indicate this on your roster.
- 11) The Best of Show butterfly will become the property of the EmilyAnn Theatre & Gardens.

Note for Frisco ISD Teachers: Non-winning entries are available for pick up during Butterfly Festival. Winning entries are available for pick up after the Awards Ceremony on that day. Art that is not picked up will be mailed back the week after Butterfly Festival.