

# **2021 Youth Poster Contest**

## **Official Guidelines**

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**THEME: Stronger Together!**

**WHO MAY ENTER:** All students ages 8 - 18 throughout Brazoria County are eligible.  
*Contest divisions:* (Category I: ages 8-10, Category II: Ages 11-12, Category III: Ages 13-15 and Category IV: 16-18.)

**HOW TO ENTER:** Students may submit posters beginning **December 1, 2020 through January 28, 2021** to any Brazoria County library.  
**Deadline for receiving posters is January 28, 2021 by 4:00 pm.**  
**Late poster will not be accepted.**

**DETAILS:** Express what Stronger Together means and how it can be displayed in your community. Winners will be contacted by phone and prizes will be awarded to first, second, and third place winners.  
**Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the award ceremony date/time/location will be determined at a later date.**

### **CONTEST INFORMATION:**

1. The poster must be created by a youth from Brazoria County.
2. **Well-known cartoon figures or corporate trademarks may not be used on posters, because they are copyrighted or legally protected. NO PERSONAL PHOTOS ARE ALLOWED.**
3. All posters must be sized on 14" x 22" dimensions (one-half a standard poster board size). They may be horizontal or vertical.
4. Posters may be produced by any medium-watercolor, ink, crayon, acrylic, charcoal, oils, collage, so long as they are **not** three-dimensional objects.
5. **The submitter's name, phone number, age, school, and school district, and a brief artwork interpretive statement, should be affixed to the back of the poster board in the upper left hand corner.**
6. Copies of these Official Guidelines are available on the Brazoria County MLKCC website: <http://www.mlkcc.org>
7. Contestants will be evaluated on the following criteria:
  - A. Development of theme
  - B. Color
  - C. Originality/Creativity
  - D. Neatness
  - E. Complexity
8. Once submitted, the poster becomes property of the MLKCC to be used as the committee sees fit for display in the community or media, and may not be returned. The selected poster may be digitally altered to assure quality reproduction.

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