



## Art and Writing Contest

The Georgia Museum of Agriculture is excited to invite your students to participate in Destination Ag's Art and Writing Contest! Your students are eligible to enter the contest because of their Destination Ag program during the 2021-2022 school year. The purpose of this contest is for students to communicate what they learned about agriculture and natural resources during their time with Destination Ag.

### How can you have a winning student?

For each participating county, one student winner will be awarded per grade along with the winner's teacher.

- PreK & 1<sup>st</sup> grade
- 3<sup>rd</sup> grade & 5<sup>th</sup> grade

### What will winning students receive?

A \$100 Visa Gift Card

### What will winning teachers receive?

\$500 check



As the teacher, you are responsible for selecting one student's art and writing submission. Only one entry per classroom. ABAC's Georgia Museum of Agriculture staff will select the overall winner for each grade bracket and county.

The Georgia Museum of Agriculture will accept no entries later than:

**Fall Deadline for 3<sup>rd</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> grade: December 17, 2021**

**Spring Deadline for PreK & 1<sup>st</sup> grade: April 30, 2022**

For more information or questions, please contact Andrew Smith at 229.391.5209 or [destinationag@abac.edu](mailto:destinationag@abac.edu).



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# Rules and Guidelines

The students' art and writing must be based on the following prompt:  
**How is agriculture important to you?**

We want our contestants to be creative, and we want to see how your students have been inspired by what they discovered during their time Destination Ag!

- The students must hand draw their artwork by themselves without assistance.
- The writing must be a description of the student's artwork.
- If your students need assistance writing their description, please feel free to help.
  - We prefer for descriptions to be written by the students but we understand that some students may need assistance.
  - **Only teachers are allowed to assist students with their description.**
  - We ask that helping teachers write the students' description exactly how the students explain their description to you.
- The artwork and writing must be on an 8.5" X 11" sheet of white paper.
  - The artwork and writing must be on the same piece of paper.
  - Artwork can be on the top half of the page and the writing on the bottom half.
- Entries cannot be framed, stapled, creased, glued, or taped.
- Entries cannot contain student, teacher, or school name.
  - Student's first and last name must be written in pencil on the back of the entry submission.
- Each classroom's entry must be submitted separately by the teacher and not as an entire school.
- The entry must include a completed liability statement (see entry form).
- Only one entry per teacher will be permitted.
  - We will only accept submissions from the student's teacher.
- Entries can be submitted by email to [destinationag@abac.edu](mailto:destinationag@abac.edu). However, original artwork **MUST** be mailed in as well.
- The entry must be postmarked or received by deadline.
- Please use the following address:

ABAC's Georgia Museum of Agriculture-Destination Ag  
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## Liability Statement and Entry Form

Please read this form completely before signing - include this form with the student's artwork.

I hereby certify that I have read and agree with the rules and guidelines for this contest. This is my original, hand-drawn work and is not copied or traced from published photos, magazines, websites, books, illustrations, artists' published works or other materials protected by copyright laws. I understand that the Georgia Museum of Agriculture (GMA), Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College (ABAC), or the University System of Georgia (USG) are not responsible for loss or damage to my artwork. I understand that my contact information will not be shared without my permission. I understand that GMA, ABAC, or USG have exclusive rights to disqualify any entry whose authenticity is in question.

I acknowledge that all entries become the property of GMA, ABAC, and USG, who will have exclusive ownership to use, alter, crop, publish, produce, or transfer rights of said artwork at their sole discretion. I grant exclusive rights to GMA, ABAC, and USG and their designees to display my artwork and written words for reproduction, promotional purposes, and to display as they see fit with no compensation to me. GMA, ABAC, and USG reserve the right to make layout changes to winning entries to best fit creative materials. Persons submitting entries agree to allow their name and likeness to be used in media releases and photo opportunities with the completed artwork. No royalties will be paid to the winners on proceeds of any sales.

### Student Information

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### Parent or Guardian Information

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### Teacher Information

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

School Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher's Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

District: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

