

# CALL for ENTRIES!

Deadline to submit artwork is Sept. 25, 2026!

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## 2027 Kids' Calendar Contest

### Attention Students and Teachers – We need art!

Each year the Valley Air District creates a calendar complete with healthy air living messages and creative artwork from students kindergarten to 12th grade in the San Joaquin Valley. We will select multiple artists for the 2027 edition; so get out your markers, crayons, computers or paints to start your clean-air masterpiece!

### EXAMPLES of healthy air living messages:

- Drive less by taking fewer car trips.
- Don't idle! Turn off your car during school drop-off and pick-ups.
- Carpool with friends or family to work or school.
- Use a cleaner way to heat your home instead of burning wood.
- Switch to a hybrid or electric car.
- Walk, bike or roll to school.
- Use electric yard tools instead of gas-powered ones.
- Check your home's air filter each season to help your family breathe easier.
- Keep your car tuned up and in good condition so it pollutes less.
- Know the air quality by downloading the Valley Air app!

### Entry Instructions

1. Students must live in one of the 8 counties of the Valley Air District.
2. Design your artwork on an 8 ½" x 11" piece of white paper, turned horizontal/landscape.
3. Create a colorful image that shows what we can all do to help clean our air. Image must be your own original artwork.
4. Write a clean-air message in English and/or Spanish. (Bilingual entries are encouraged)
5. Please **avoid** messages about tobacco use, littering, and water/ocean pollution.
6. Please **DO NOT fold or staple** your artwork.
7. Each entry must be submitted with a completed entry form (on the back of this flyer).
8. Turn in artwork by the Sept. 25, 2026 deadline!



## ENTRY FORM

### 2027 Healthy Air Living Kids' Calendar Contest

Sponsored by the San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District

**Deadline is Friday, September 25, 2026**

Print all information clearly and attach this form to the **BACK** of each calendar entry. Artwork must include an entry form to be considered.

Questions? Email [public.education@valleyair.org](mailto:public.education@valleyair.org) or call (559) 230-6000.

Mail to: **Valley Air District**  
**Attn: Calendar Contest**  
**1990 E. Gettysburg Ave.**  
**Fresno, CA 93726**

Name of Student Artist \_\_\_\_\_

Age \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate the type of entry this is, individual or school, and fill out information:

Individual entry          Class entry

Parent/Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher's Name \_\_\_\_\_

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

Teacher's Email \_\_\_\_\_

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

School Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_