



San Joaquin Valley

AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT

2011 HEALTHY AIR LIVING KIDS' CALENDAR

Students, get out your crayons, markers and paints! It's time to draw a clean-air picture. Fourteen drawings with themes about cleaning up our air will be selected for our educational, bilingual calendar.

Throughout the calendar, photos of the student artists, along with their age, school and hometown, accompany each of the drawings. All artists and their schools will receive a supply of calendars. We distribute 20,000 calendars free each year to schools, libraries, healthcare facilities and businesses. **The deadline is Tuesday, October 12, 2010.**

See our website at http://www.valleyair.org/kids/Clean_Air_Calendar_Contest.htm for more details and artwork from previous winners.

Examples of healthy-air messages

- Live a Healthy Air Life!
- Healthy Air starts with me!
- When we breathe cleaner, we live better!
- Carpool to school or work
- Ride your bike (*or skateboard or scooter*)
- Check before you burn wood in your fireplace
- Don't light a wood fireplace when the air is bad
- We can all help clean up the air
- BBQ with propane or natural gas
- Drive less to help clean the air
- Electric mowers and lawn equipment don't pollute our air
- Please do not use "Spare the Air" messages on your artwork as Healthy Air Living has replaced that program



Directions for students

1. Draw a color picture that shows what we can all do to help clean our air. Drawings must be your own original artwork.
2. Design your picture on an 8 ½" x 11" piece of white paper, turned lengthwise or horizontal (sideways – so it measures 11" horizontal by 8 ½" vertical).
3. Students must live in the Valley Air District.
4. Write a clean-air message or sentence on the picture in English and/or Spanish.
5. *On the back of the picture, write your name, grade, age, name of school, teacher's name, contact telephone number, home address, and date the artwork was submitted..*
6. Please do not fold or staple your drawing.
7. Turn artwork in by the **October 12, 2010**, deadline!

Do not fold your drawing. Mail it in a large envelope or deliver to:

San Joaquin Valley Air District
Attn: Calendar Contest
1990 E. Gettysburg Ave.
Fresno, CA 93726