



Washington State Ferries, summer 2017 Cover Contest Rules

Contest Rules

Who is eligible?

All students in high school (9-12) are eligible and invited to participate in this contest. Submissions will be accepted beginning on Wednesday, March 22. The contest ends Monday, April 10. No submissions will be accepted after this time.

What are the submission requirements?

- **Dimensions:**
 - **Electronic:** Submissions must be 300 dpi or higher, and portrait oriented. Submissions cannot exceed 16 MB.
 - **By Mail:** Submissions must be on 8.5 x 11 paper, and portrait oriented.
- **Media:** WSDOT welcomes a variety of media, both designs produced by hand and computer graphic design. Submissions must be in black and white. **Color submissions will not be accepted.** Artists are encouraged to use bold, strong lines.
- **Original artwork:** All work must be original and include a ferry or elements of a ferry (i.e. life ring). No copyright images, text or other material will be accepted. (For example, artwork depicting characters from television shows, video games or books is not allowed).
- **Ownership:** Artist submissions shall be treated as being free of restrictions and limitations to their use. By submitting artwork, you give ownership to WSF and authorize WSF to post your entry on our website indefinitely, and grant WSF the right to use, print and publish your design.
- **Deadline:** All submissions must be received by [Survey Monkey](#) or mail by **Monday, April 10.**

How do students submit their artwork?

- **Electronic:** Submissions must be entered via [Survey Monkey](#). Please fill out the form with contact information and upload the artwork by **Monday, April 10.**
- **By Mail:** Submissions must be received by **Monday, April 10.** All submissions should include a note with the student's name, age, grade, school, and the best phone number and email to contact them by. All hard copy submissions should be sent to the following address:

**Washington State Ferries
ATTN: Communications Staff Aide
2901 3rd Ave. Suite 500
Seattle, WA 98121**

- Please note: Each student may only submit one item.

Who will select the winning artwork?

A panel of judges from the WSF executive team will review entries. A winner will be selected whose work best depicts the theme of "Summer sightings on the ferry." Entries will be judged on creativity, originality, clarity of theme and artistic merit.

What do I win?

Five finalists will be selected and featured on the WSF website, on the WSF Twitter, and in the WSF weekly update. From those finalists, the winning artwork will be chosen to be featured on the 2017 WSF summer sailing schedule.

Questions? Contact us at wsfcomms@wsdot.wa.gov