

## **RULES for IMAGINE Poster Art Competition.**

### **Poster Art Theme:**

**Who can Enter:** All Youth from Grades 7-9

**Awards:** 1<sup>st</sup> prize-\$200, 2<sup>nd</sup> prize-\$100, 3<sup>rd</sup> prize-\$50.

**Prizes:** compliments Silver Snail, 3M Canada, Kisko Freezies, Black Heritage Cards.

Winning entries will be on exhibit at the annual Visions of Science Symposium.

The first place winner will be eligible for publication in the annual IMAGINE Anthology, and for posting on the Visions of Science website.

**DEADLINE: APRIL 25**

### **Criteria for Judging:**

1) Art should reflect the theme:

(Imagine what an alien would grown in his/her garden)

2) Posters should be 11x17 inches

a) All art must be original work.

a) Colour scheme: colours should be used with purpose; to accentuate and enhance piece. Your colours should not just be splashed haphazardly.

c) Composition; your picture should be pleasing to the eye. Aim for quality not quantity.

d) Design; your design/illustration should be exciting, startling, and powerful. In the case of something more serene, the work should evoke some emotion.

**The winner will be based on the artwork that meets 3 out of the 4 criteria.**

### **Disqualification:**

Your poster will be disqualified if:

1) **It does not reflect the theme**

2) **It is not 11x17 inches**

3) **It depicts visible minorities in a negative manner**

### **Judging:**

All entries will reviewed by a panel of judges possessing a professional background in Art and or illustration. The Judges' decision is final.

**Notification:** The prize money will be awarded by VoSNL in accordance with the

decision of the judges. Contest winners will be notified by e-mail and or telephone in May. Money prizes and other awards will be given at a Visions of Science/IMAGINE event, date and venue tba.

## OFFICIAL IMAGINE POSTER ART CONTEST ENTRY FORM

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
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CITY \_\_\_\_\_ PROVINCE \_\_\_\_\_

POSTAL CODE \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_

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

I confirm this is an original work of art and I am the artist of the enclosed poster(s). I further understand that there will be no notification of the contest results until May. I have read the official contest rules and will abide by the condition that the decision of the judge is final..

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

**PRINT AND MAIL WITH POSTER(S) ON OR BEFORE April 25 TO:**

IMAGINE, 702-3845 Sheppard Ave East. Toronto, M1T 3S8/Imaginescifi@yahoo.ca

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