-WEST SALEM CARDINALS-

The Reflections contest is back for the 2023 school year!



Hello, PARENTS/GUARDIANS:

Thanks, in advance, for <u>making sure your student has all of the following included when s/he submits a Reflections entry.</u>

ALL ENTRIES must include: the completed artwork AND a completed entry form (student signature is a MUST and a student explanation of how the theme ties into his/her creative work!

ALL MUST be returned to the Reflections container in the Main Office of West Salem Elementary, NO LATER than Friday, November 3, 2023.

THEME: "I am hopeful because..."

ATTACHED: Detailed directions and entry form.

SPECIAL INFORMATION: The importance of your interpretation of the theme**. (Found at the bottom portion of the entry form.)

**Judges strongly consider the interpretation of the Reflections theme during the evaluation process. It is suggested that students give their submissions a title that stands out and describes how the piece relates to the student's personal interpretation of the theme. The following guiding questions can be useful when developing a title and artist statement:

How does your work relate to the theme?

What is your personal connection to the theme?

What did you use to create your work (e.g., supplies, technology, instrumentation, props, etc.)?

What/who was your inspiration?