

# “Trees where I live”



**Arbor Day poster contest open to  
Wake Forest-area students in grades K-5**

**Entry Deadline: February 1, 2013**

**For more information, call (919) 435-9565**

# Arbor Day Poster Contest Submission Guidelines and Rules

**Objective:** Create a poster that depicts the theme **“Trees where I live”**. The poster should reflect the student’s understanding of the importance of trees around their home, school, parks, and other places in the Wake Forest community, and the many benefits they provide.

**Deadline: Feb. 1, 2013, 4 p.m.**

## Mail to or hand deliver:

Town of Wake Forest  
Arbor Day Poster Contest  
301 S. Brooks St.  
Wake Forest, NC 27587

## Poster Contest Rules

Use this checklist to make certain entries are eligible for judging. Entries not meeting these guidelines will be disqualified.

1. All entries must be original artwork created by a Wake Forest student who is currently in grades K – 5.
2. Only one entry per person.
3. The student’s first and last name must be written or signed in the lower right-hand corner of the front of the poster.
4. All entries must have name, address, name of school, and grade printed on the back of artwork.
5. Entries may be created in marker, crayon, watercolor, ink, acrylic, colored pencil, and/or tempera paint.
6. Collages are not acceptable (Do not glue anything on your poster.)
7. Computer or photo generated art and/or printing is not acceptable.
8. Entries must be no smaller than 8 ½ x 11” and no larger than 14 x 18.”
9. Entries must be done on paper that will allow for duplication, display, and framing.
10. The poster must be related to the contest theme in some way. The theme **“Trees where I live”** - must be included on the poster. All words must be spelled correctly.
11. Entries should be delivered flat and should not be matted, mounted, laminated, framed, or folded.
12. Entries must be submitted by designated deadline.

## Prizes

Prepaid Visa gift cards will be awarded in four categories: 1) Best Picture; 2) School Winner; 3) Most Creative; and 4) Honorable Mention. As a special incentive, the poster selected for “Best Picture” will be printed on Arbor Day items.