

Simpson Elementary Reflections

The following are a summary of important rules and guides at Simpson Elementary. Please also review National PTA Reflections Official Rules. **See Simpson Elementary “Important Rules and Guides” for detailed rules and guides.** Please contact reflections@simpsonespta.org if you have any questions.

2021 - 2022 Theme – “I Will Change the World By...”

General Rules

- Entry Form: An “**Official Entry Form**” MUST be attached to each entry.

Visual Arts

2D

- Entries must be **matted/mounted. Shrink or cellophane wrapping is required.**
- Size – must not be larger than 24” x 30” (including matting).
- 2D art with 3D elements glued to art work (ex. Pasta, rhinestones, string, etc.) is considered 3D.

3D

- Entries must be protected and be able to move for display purposes.
- Entries can be no larger than 18” x 18” x 18”.
- 3 photos of the entry (a combination of angle) must accompany the entry.
- Entries that require assembling/repairing will be disqualified.
- We are not responsible for any damages that may occur during transportation to and from our judge.

Photography

- The minimum size of the photograph is 3” x 5” and the maximum is 8” x 10”.
- The maximum size of the entry is 11” x 14” (including matting).
- Entries must be **matted/mounted. Shrink/cellophane wrapping is required.**

Literature

- Writing must not exceed 2,000 words and maybe handwritten or typed.
- 1 original and 3 copies of the **writing AND entry form** must be included.

Dance Choreography

- Entries may not exceed 5 minutes and maximum upload size of 1 GB.
- Submit a **thumb drive.**
- Anyone can video the student. Recital entries are not allowed.
- Accepted file formats include: AVI, MOV, MP4, WMV, and FLV.

Film/Video Production

- Entries may not exceed 5 minutes and maximum upload size of 1 GB.
- Submit a **thumb drive.**
- The student submitting the entry is not required to appear in the video. **If the student appears in the Film, make sure that it states that a tripod was used. Mom or Dad or another person cannot videotape the entrant. The idea is that the entrant is the director and producer. Hence, mom or dad cannot video tape the entrant.**
- Accepted file formats include: AVI, MOV, MP4, WMV, and FLV. Save as a file on the DVD, not as a DVD movie.

Music Composition

- Format: Accepted audio file formats include: MP3, WMA, WAV, ACC (M4A) and FLAC.
- Save as a file on the **thumb drive. Please do not submit a DVD of the student.**