

**Family FUNdamentals Calendar 2012-13**  
**Children's Artwork**  
**Call for Entries!**

The Virginia Department of Education, Office of Special Education and Student Services is seeking entries of children's artwork for the 2012-2013 edition of the *Family FUNdamentals Calendar*. The year's theme is male authors. Early childhood educators are invited to submit their students' artwork for the calendar, which will be published in the fall. The students must have an IEP that is being implemented this school year (2011-12). Classrooms submitting winning entries will receive a \$100 prize to use towards the purchase of classroom materials.

Entries must be postmarked no later than **April 13, 2012**.  
Entries cannot be returned to the entrant (child or teacher).

The winners will be selected from *student original* art work that adheres to the themes in the following books and the attached guidelines:

- General for Covers
- No! David by David Shannon
- Duck On A Bike by David Shannon
- Head to Toe by Eric Carle
- The Zoo by Eric Carle
- The Fox And The Hen by Eric Battut
- Little Mouse's Big Secret by Eric Battut
- Pete The Cat: Rockin In My School Shoes by Eric Litwin
- Pete The Cat: I Love My White Shoes by Eric Litwin
- LMNO Peas By Keith Baker
- Potato Joe By Keith Baker
- Snow Rabbit, Spring Rabbit by Il Sung Na
- A Book of Sleep By Il Sung Na
- Love, Splat by Rob Scotton
- Russell & The Hidden Treasure by Rob Scotton
- Ten Little Caterpillars by Bill Martin, Jr.
- Turning of the Year by Bill Martin, Jr.
- Kitten's First Full Moon by Kevin Henkes
- Owen by Kevin Henkes
- Strega Nona's Harvest by Tomie dePaola
- Pancakes For Breakfast by Tomie dePaola
- Yo! Yes. By Chris Raschka
- A Ball for Daisy by Chris Raschka
- Children Make Terrible Pets by Peter Brown
- You Will Be My Friend by Peter Brown

If you have questions or need additional information, please contact:

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*Thanks!*

**Division of Special Education and Student Services**  
***Family FUNdamentals Calendar: Eligibility and Guidelines***

Eligibility requirements:

- Student must be between the ages of two and six.
- Student must have an active IEP (Individualized Education Program).
- A completed entry form must accompany each entry.
- A permission form completed and signed by a parent/guardian must accompany each entry.
- The following artwork guidelines must be followed:
  - Work must be the child's own work (adult cutouts, class projects that are all alike, all pre-cut materials can not be accepted).
  - Original artwork must be submitted (no photocopies).
  - Artwork must be on sturdy paper no larger than 8.5" X 11".
  - Media may be of a variety of colorful materials (markers, crayons, textured materials, etc.). Please avoid materials that will crack, peel, or crumble off the paper.
  - Identification (artists' name and age, teacher's name, and school/program name) must appear on the reverse side of each piece submitted.
- Artwork should adhere to the book theme for which it is submitted.
- Entries must be postmarked no later than **April 13, 2012**
- Entries cannot be returned to the entrant (child or teacher).
- Each classroom may submit up to 13 entries (one for each month plus cover). Entries may include several pieces from one child, several children, or from the class as a whole.
- Artwork must have been completed during the current school year (2011-2012)
- All entries must be completed in the classroom noted on the entry form and/or under the supervision of the named teacher. It may have been completed in a community/inclusion setting. It may not be brought in from home.
- Schools/teachers submitting winning entries will receive a \$100.00 honorarium to spend on instructional supplies/materials specifically for the preschool classroom.
- Return to:
  - Phyllis Mondak
  - VDOE
  - P.O. Box 2120
  - Richmond, VA 23218-2120

**Virginia Department of Education  
Office of Special Education and Student Services**

***Family FUNdamentals Calendar: Entry Form***  
(May be photocopied as needed)

The attached artwork is being submitted for consideration in the following category:

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It includes artwork from the classroom of:

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade/Program: \_\_\_\_\_

School Name: \_\_\_\_\_ School Division: \_\_\_\_\_

School Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**Parental permission for each child submitting artwork is attached to this document.**

By signing below, I verify that the above information is accurate and that the work submitted is actually that of a preschool student receiving special education services. **I have read and agree to the contest rules.** If this entry is chosen for use in the 2012-13calendar, I will accept a \$100.00 honorarium on behalf of my classroom for the purchase of materials and supplies.

Teacher's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please **print or type** the following information as you would like it to appear should his/her work be included in a Virginia Department of Education publication. Please check the spelling of the child's name before entering.

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Child's School \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

School Division \_\_\_\_\_

## Permission for Use of Children's Art

I hereby give permission for \_\_\_\_\_'s drawing to be included in the 2012-13 *Family FUNdamentals Calendar of Activities and Ideas* and/or other Virginia Department of Education publications. I give permission for his/her name, age, and school location to be printed in the publication.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name: (Please print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Home address

\_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, Zip code