

REFLECTIONS PROGRAM GUIDELINES



All entries must be submitted to the State Office on or before January 19.
Send to: Tennessee PTA, 1905 Acklen Avenue, Nashville TN 37212
1-888-782-5712 www.tnpta.org

2009-2010 THEME: “Beauty Is...”

GUIDELINES:

1. **OFFICIAL STUDENT ENTRY FORM** ó The official National PTA student entry form for the current year **must** be securely attached to the back of each entry. Each form must be completely filled out, including the correct mailing address of the entrant. Please emphasize legibility of names and addresses. The student age and grade level are needed for accurate placement of entry in correct category for judging.
2. **STATE LOCAL AND COUNCIL ENTRY FORMS** ó Each local PTA/PTSA may submit a total of five (5) entries in each category (Visual Arts, Literature, Music, Photography, Dance Choreography, and Film/Video Production). **No more than thirty (30) entries should be sent to the State PTA office by each local unit.**

Each Council may submit a total of five (5) entries in each category, using the council entry form. **No more than thirty (30) entries should be sent to the State PTA office by each Council.**

Attention Locals ó If your entry does not win on the council level, it may still be submitted to the State level for competition. (An entry not placing on the Council level could possibly win on the State level. Different judges view entries differently.)

3. **LOCAL PTA PARTICIPATION FORM** ó All Local Units and Councils participating in the State Reflections Program need to send the PTA partnership form **completely** filled in to the State PTA Office with your reflections entries.

THIS FORM is extremely important as it is used by the State Cultural Arts/Reflections Chairman to tally the entries for submittal to the National PTA; it also serves as a record of Tennessee's participation.

Please refer to the Cultural Arts Section of this Handbook for guidelines specific to each Reflections category and more information.

REMEMBER: **Entries without the appropriate forms will be disqualified from judging. If there is a question, contact the State Reflections Chairman.**