



Division of Early Intervention and Special Education Services

2022-23 Together We're Better High School Coloring Book Drawing Contest Deadline: January 12, 2023

Title of Drawing: _____

Name of Student Artist: _____

School: _____ Grade: _____ County: _____

Student's Address: _____ City: _____ ZIP: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____ Parent/Guardian Email: _____

Was the student instructed to participate in the artwork contest by their teacher?

How did you hear about this contest? _____

Teacher Name: _____ Teacher Email: _____

Principal's Name: _____

By signing this form, the parent/teacher gives The Arc Maryland permission to use this information and artwork submission at their discretion to publicize & promote the "Together We're Better" Inclusive Education Awareness Campaign and Artwork Contest and other mission-related initiatives.

Rights to Original Artwork: In submitting their original artwork to The Arc Maryland as part of this contest, the submitting student/artist is relinquishing ownership of their artwork to The Arc Maryland. By relinquishing ownership, the student/artist is granting The Arc Maryland permission to use said artwork to promote The Arc Maryland's mission, vision, programs, services, and for any other reason The Arc Maryland deems appropriate through any and all media outlets in perpetuity. The student is welcome and encouraged to utilize their original artwork in art shows, portfolios, college applications, etc.

Signature of Parent/Guardian or Teacher: _____

Rules:

- Artwork must display what inclusion means to you in school and the community.
- Art must be in black and white so that it can be colored in.
- Participants must be high school students in a Maryland school or Maryland home-school.
- Must be age-appropriate for elementary school students.
- Submissions can be created on a physical or digital canvas.
- The artwork should fit vertically on 8.5x11 inch paper for printing.

Judging Criteria:

- Adherence to the National theme: "Unity Within Our Community."
- Creativity in showing inclusion.
- Clarity of drawn image: consideration for ease at which younger children may be able to color the page.

Questions? Contact Sharon Dols at sdols@thearcmd.org.

A signed copy of this document (completed digitally or physically) must be sent alongside the artwork submission to The Arc Maryland via email at sdols@thearcmd.org or mailed directly to The Arc Maryland at 8601 Robert Fulton Dr, Ste 140, Columbia, MD 21046.