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“Being Water Wise Is...” Student Art Contest



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(Pictured L to R - top row) Jaimy Ayala Osorio, West Basin Division I Director Tommy Faavae, Jina Ng, West Basin Division III Director Desi Alvarez, Zuone Lee, Samantha Nava, Division IV Director Scott Houston

(Pictured L to R - middle row) Katarina Glisovic, Jessica Doh, Eli Kano, Division II Director Gloria D. Gray, Janice Rodriguez, Valkyrie Agcaoili, Violet Hutchinson

(Pictured L to R - bottom row) Mathis Lemongo Kenfack, Shaylah Galvan, Abigail Lo, Haley Yoo

On Thursday, April 24, 2025, the West Basin Municipal Water District (West Basin) Board of Directors presented awards to the grand prize and honorable mention winners for the annual “Being Water Wise Is...” Student Art Contest. The contest encourages students to create and illustrate water-smart conservation messages.

“These young artists’ work is an encouraging reminder that the next generation not only understands the importance of protecting our water resources but is also eager to lead the charge in advocating for water sustainability,” said West Basin Board President and Division II Director Gloria D. Gray. “The fresh voices these students bring to the water conservation dialogue is so impactful. It is exciting to see their talent and passion for protecting this essential resource.”

Each winner is awarded a new Apple iPad, with grand prize winners additionally receiving a digital stylus pen and \$25 gift card to download art apps.

Winning artwork will be featured on West Basin promotional and informational materials during the upcoming year.

“Being Water Wise Is...” Art Contest Winners

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL GRAND PRIZE AWARD



Shaylah Galvan
Grade 5

186th Street Elementary School
Gardena, WBMWD Division V

MIDDLE SCHOOL GRAND PRIZE AWARD



Jina Ng
Grade 8

Palos Verdes Intermediate School/Seoul Arts Academy
Rancho Palos Verdes, WBMWD Division I

HIGH SCHOOL GRAND PRIZE AWARD



Eli Kano
Grade 10

Redondo Union High School
Redondo Beach, WBMWD Division III

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL HONORABLE MENTIONS



Abigail Lo
Grade 3

Rolling Hills Country Day School
Rolling Hills Estates, WBMWD Division I



Haley Yoo
Grade 5

Birney Elementary School/Seoul Arts Academy
Redondo Beach, WBMWD Division III



Katarina Glisovic
Grade 7

El Segundo Middle School
El Segundo, WBMWD Division IV



Zachariah Chang
Grade 7

American Martyrs School
Manhattan Beach, WBMWD Division III



Zuone Lee
Grade 9

Palos Verdes Peninsula High School/Seoul Arts Academy
Rancho Palos Verdes, WBMWD Division I



Jessica Doh
Grade 10

Vistamar School/Seoul Arts Academy
El Segundo, WBMWD Division IV



Violet Hutchinson
Grade 5

Richmond St. School/Alyce's Art Studio
El Segundo, WBMWD Division IV



Mathis Lemongo Kenfack
Grade 5

Beulah Payne STEAM Academy
Inglewood, WBMWD Division II



Janice Rodriguez
Grade 8

Crozier Middle School
Inglewood, WBMWD Division II



Samantha Nava
Grade 8

Will Rogers Middle School
Lawndale, WBMWD Division V



Valkyrie Agcaoili
Grade 11

Leuzinger High School
Lawndale, WBMWD Division V



Jaimy Ayala Osorio
Grade 12

TEACH Charter School
Los Angeles, WBMWD Division II

FREE Water Education Programs for Grades 3rd-12th



West Basin Municipal Water District is proud to offer a variety of free *in-person and virtual* water education programs that stimulate curiosity and encourage learning inside and outside of the classroom.

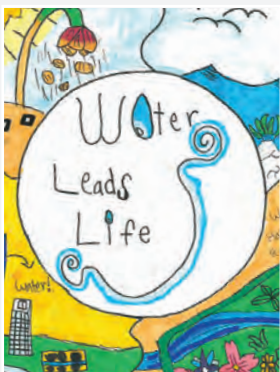


Programs include water treatment facility tours, water career-focused classroom presentations, water themed assemblies and engineering challenges. All activities support the Next Generation Science Standards.

For more information, contact:

 info@westbasin.org

Reservations for in-person and virtual programs will open in the Fall of 2025. Please contact the Education Coordinator to be placed on a notification list.



All program fees and bus transportation are complimentary of West Basin Municipal Water District.

Water Conservation Campus Programs

With many students leaving campus during the summer time, now is a good time to explore water conservation programs for your campus! Your school is eligible for the following free/reduced-price programs:



Water Bottle Filling Station

Up to \$2,000 grants for indoor and outdoor units



Grass Replacement Rebates

Starting at \$4/sq. ft.



Free water use assessment and rebate assistance

For more information, visit: westbasin.org/conservation



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