

2018 Bicentennial Library Card Design Contest Rules and Entry Form

Theme: The library of the future! The Huntsville Madison County Public Library System is turning 200 this year! What do you think the library will be like 200 years from now?

Rules:

- All participants must be in grades 6th-12th.
- All entries must be 100% original art with no copyright or trademark symbols.
- Art may be signed by the artist.
- Entries may be print or digital. Maximum acceptable print size is 8.5" x 11". Designs may be submitted up to 8.5 x 11, but keep in mind the finished size of the card will be 2 x 3 ¼ inches and it needs to look good at that size.
- For digital artwork, we can accept vector artwork (.eps, .ps, .ai, etc.) or we can accept raster images (.jpg, .psd, etc.). However, the finished artwork must be printable at 300dpi (dots per inch) at 2 x 3 ¼ inches.
- No slides, video, or websites will be accepted.
- Deadline for entries is 9:00PM February 28, 2018. Art may be submitted to any branch or emailed to <u>sworthy@hmcpl.org</u>. All submitted artwork will belong to HMCPL and will not be returned after the contest.
- Designs will be judged based on creativity and how well they illustrate the theme.
- The only limits to your creative expression are no excessive violence, nudity, profanity, or offensive overtones.
- Winning artwork will be printed on a limited edition Bicentennial Library Card.
 For more contest information contact Shalis Worthy at 256-532-5949 or email sworthy@hmcpl.org.

ENTRY FORM

| Name | | | Age |
|-----------------------|--------|------|-------------|
| Address | | | |
| City | _State | _Zip | Phone |
| Email | | | _Alt. Phone |
| Name/Title of Artwork | | | |

Important – Please read and sign: Winning entries and the artist's name may be used by Huntsville Madison County Public Library for promotions and exhibits. I agree to let my artwork be photographed and posted on the library's teen library card, website, and related social media pages. I will assume responsibility in the event of loss or damage to any artwork. I will accept the final decision of the judges. Further, I certify that this artwork is an original work.

SIGNATURE_____