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Clackamas River Water Providers Annual Calendar Contest

Please join us in creating our 2025 Water Calendar by having your students create pictures that are their interpretation of this year's theme:

"Protecting and Conserving Our 1%"

The theme for the 2025 calendar "Protecting and Conserving Our 1%" is based on water conservation and our planet Earth which is 71% covered with water. Ninety-seven percent of the earth's water is seawater, the remaining 3% is freshwater, and 2% of the freshwater is frozen. Only 1% of the earth's fresh water is available for drinking water and sustaining life. Please have your students create pictures that depict what they know about "Protecting and Conserving Our 1%".

Check out our CRWP "Source to the Tap" video

(<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=x9NNwzRLhXc>) and see how much water is on our earth, how much of it is available for drinking water, and how we can save and conserve it.

- The contest is open to all k-6th grade students in the *Clackamas River Water Providers* service areas, City of Estacada, City of Gladstone, Clackamas River Water District, Oak Lodge Water Services, South Fork Water Board (Oregon City and West Linn), and Sunrise Water Authority (City of Happy Valley and Damascus).
- The calendar is created through a coloring contest where thirteen pictures (twelve months and the cover) are selected. The thirteen pictures will be chosen from all of the entries received, and at least one picture from each grade will be selected.
- The Clackamas River Water Providers website will host online voting during May so our communities can vote for which one of the 13 pictures chosen will be on the calendar cover.

Attached are:

- The rules for the contest
- Entry forms (which must be filled out and attached to the back of each picture submitted)

Each school that has at least one class participate in the contest will receive a box of calendars (#125). In addition, each of the students who had a picture selected for the calendar will receive a thank you gift.

All entries must be in our office **no later than 4 pm Thursday, April 18th, 2024**. NOTE: We work from home, please schedule with us for picture drop-off at our office.

Questions? Use the below contact info to call or email.

Sincerely,

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*City of Estacada * City of Gladstone * City of Lake Oswego * City of Tigard * Clackamas River Water *
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