

ENERGY CONSERVATION

CAPNM 2025 Art Contest Guidelines

1. Students should create art using any variety of mediums (graphic design, paintings, drawings, photography, etc.) of how they view Energy Conservation in their community. If possible, an Energy Conservation tip should be included. Here are some examples, but feel free to create your own tip:
 - Turn down your thermostat at night & when you're not home.
 - Set your water heater to "low" or 120 degrees.
 - Unplug electrical devices when not in use.
 - Clean or replace furnace filters monthly during the heating season.
 - Shortening showers to 7 minutes saves about \$60 per person per year compared to 15-minute showers.
2. Each picture is required to have the artist's name, grade, age, school and teacher's name on the back. However, only the students first name, grade and city will appear within the calendar once printed.
3. Entries are to be submitted on standard (**8 ½ x 11**) size paper, however computer printouts will be accepted (color preferred). (This size ensures that no part of the picture is cut off when it is reduced to calendar size).
4. CAPNM will choose thirteen pictures from the participating schools' submissions to create our 2024 Energy Conservation calendars. These calendars will be mass produced, and distributed throughout NW Montana.
5. The 13 student's whom have art work selected for our twelve-month 2025 CAPNM calendar with 13 winning pieces of art will each receive a **\$50 gift card** and the student's teacher will receive a **\$50 gift card** (limit one gift card per teacher). Once calendars are completed ALL winning students and teachers will receive a calendar.
6. All entries are due on or before **May 9, 2025**, and prizes will be rewarded by **June 6, 2024**. CAPNM reserves the right to extend the contest deadline, and add written conservation content to selected art work if need be.
 - Submissions can be delivered or mailed to:
CAPNM
Attn: Community Coordinator
1820 US 93 S
Kalispell, MT 59901
7. All entries become the property of Community Action Partnership of Northwest Montana. By submitting art work, students and their parents agree to all the guidelines above.



For more information, call CAPNM at 406-758-5462 or email hello@capnwm.org