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LIBRARY CARD DESIGN CONTEST
SEPTEMBER 1 – 30

LIBRARY CARD DESIGN CONTEST



Are you an artist or a creative spirit? We invite you to leave your mark on the community by designing our next official library card! This is your chance to create a special edition design that will be featured on a limited run of library cards. Whether you're an experienced designer or simply passionate about creating, we invite you to showcase your talent!

Who Can Enter:

- The contest is open to all Auburn Hills residents in the following categories:
 - Kids (Ages 0-12)
 - Teens (Ages 13-17)
 - Adults (Ages 18+)
- One winner will be selected from each category*

Guidelines:

- One entry per participant
- All submissions must be original artwork created by the entrant

Design Format:

- Artwork must be submitted on a template provided by the library (available at the library or online). Cards will be printed as 3.375 x 2.125 inches.
- Accepted file formats for digital submissions: **JPEG** or **PNG**.
- Designs should be 300 dpi resolution to ensure high print quality.

Physical Submissions:

- If submitting a physical design, you need to use the provided template.
- Use any medium (e.g., colored pencils, markers, digital art) as long as it is flat and scannable.

Submission Deadline:

- All entries must be submitted by midnight on September 30, 2026.
- Submit paper entries at the Auburn Hills Public Library Check Out desk.
- Or using the submission form at ahplibrary.org/library-card-design-contest/

Contest Rules:

- All designs must be original and created by the participant.
- Designs should not contain copyrighted material, offensive language, or inappropriate images.
- By entering the contest, participants grant the library the right to use, reproduce, and publish their designs for promotional purposes.
- The library reserves the right to make minor adjustments to the winning design to fit printing specifications.
- Late submissions will not be accepted.

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Parent/Guardian (17 yrs & under)

Phone

Email Address

ARTIST RELEASE

I grant the Auburn Hills Public Library the right to freely reproduce, distribute, and publicly display, in whole or in part, any materials that I provide in connection with the Auburn Hills Public Library Card Design Contest. This includes the use of my name as provided below. The Auburn Hills Public Library reserves the right to modify creative works resulting from my participation in the Contest to conform to the dimensions of the library card or to accommodate text. I confirm that I have all required intellectual property rights needed to grant the Auburn Hills Public Library the rights above, and that, before submitting any content to the Contest, I have obtained all permissions necessary for the Auburn Hills Public Library to exercise such rights.

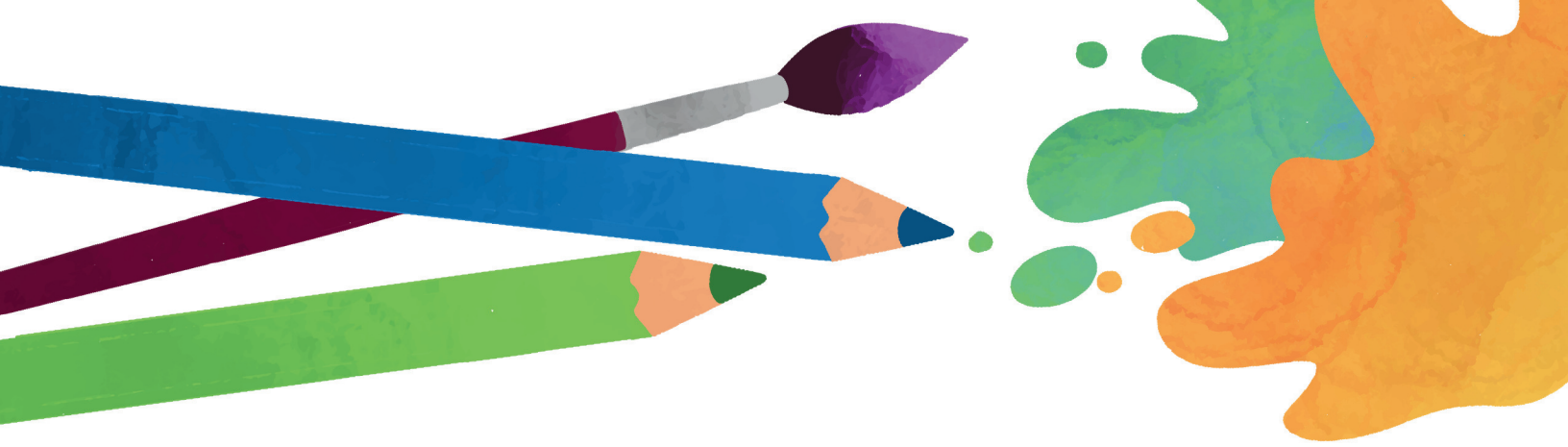
Artist Name

Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date



First/Last Name

Phone

Email Address

Address

CATEGORY

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Teens (13-17)

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Adults (18+)

DESIGN

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For more details on the contest rules and guidelines, visit ahplibrary.org.