

# Annual Poster & Essay Contest

This year's theme is  
"Watersheds - Our Water, Our Home"



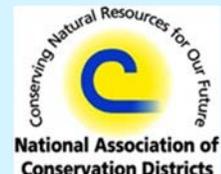
\$\$ Cash prizes &  
recognition!

*Why Participate? Whether designing a poster or writing an essay, when researching the theme you lend your voice to your community on important conservation issues! Posters capture people's attention and tell important stories in a language that everyone can understand. Essays provide insight to the reader and expands their understanding of the subject matter. Each inspires, increases awareness, and encourages us to work together to protect our natural resources for present and future generations.*

**Poster contest open to students in 3rd - 12th grade**  
**Essay contest open to students in 7th - 12th grade**



**Posters Due**  
**April 6, 2018**



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