



Student Success

Library Card Design Contest

Application



PARTICIPANT INFORMATION

Last Name			First Name			Middle Name		
Phone Number			Email					
2026-2027 School of Attendance						Grade		
Responsible Adult Last Name (if student under 18)			First Name			Middle Name		

CONTEST RULES

- Contest open to all 2026-27 Washington Unified School District students.
- Entries must be completed on the official application, available at the Arthur F. Turner Community Library or on the library website.
- Entries must be accompanied by a signed Creative Works Release form.
- All designs must be completed on the template. You may recreate the template on your home computer or a separate piece of paper/canvas, but it must keep the dimensions the same and include all the requested information.
- The submitted entry must be the creative and original work of a single individual (no copies of cartoon, artwork created by other people or artificial intelligence).
- Artwork can include high resolution (300dpi) computer-generated or digital photographic submissions or paper submissions using colored pencil, pen, paint, camera, or computer-generated art. Artwork should be one-dimensional for printing purposes.
- One entry per student.
- Only complete entries, including the design and application will be reviewed.
- Your completed application and design must be received by **Monday, August 17, 2026**. Application and design may be turned in at the Arthur F Turner Community Library during open hours, or mailed to:

ARTHUR F. TURNER COMMUNITY LIBRARY
 ATTN: LIBRARY CARD DESIGN CONTEST
 1212 MERKLEY AVENUE
 WEST SACRAMENTO CA 95691

Item mailed must also be received by Monday, August 17, 2026, not postmarked.

Designs will be selected based on creativity, artistic expression, message communicated, and usability as a library card.

The winner will receive a \$100 gift card

Theme

Create a unique library card design that will be used on library cards to be given to all pre-K to 12th grade students attending a WUSD school during the 2026/27 school year. The chosen design will be used until such time as another design is chosen to replace it.

Some Ideas for your design

How do books, school or libraries inspire you? How do libraries and schools improve your life? What do you like about West Sacramento and Yolo County? You may include imagery and logos from Washington Unified School District and Yolo County Library.

CREATIVE WORKS RELEASE

I, _____, certify that the attached submission to the Library Card Design Contest is my (or my child's) own original creative work. I give permission for the Yolo County Library to reproduce creative works resulting from my (or my child's) participation in this Library Card Design Contest. I understand that the purpose is to promote the Student Success Library Card, which is a partnership between Yolo County Library and Washington Unified School District. I give permission with the following understanding: no compensation of any kind will be paid to me (or my child) at this time or in the future for the use of my (or my child's) creative works. Yolo County Library reserves the right to modify creative works resulting from my (or my child's) participation in the Library Card Design Contest to conform to the dimensions of the library card or to accommodate text. I may not use creative works resulting from my (or my child's) participation in the Library Card Design Contest for commercial purposes without the approval of Yolo County Library.

Signature *(To be signed by a parent/legal guardian if participant is under 18 years of age)*

Date

Submit your artwork on this design template below or recreate the template dimensions on another medium. Design may be oriented vertically or horizontally. The edges of the design will be cropped to produce the library card, so do not put critical features of the design on the borders, such as text or a critical part of the art.

