

*The Kentucky State Poetry Society
2012
Student Poetry Contest*

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***Students of all grades,
you are invited to submit your original poetry
for a chance to win cash prizes!
Just follow the rules below and
you could be the next winner in your category!***

Each poetry category listed below has a cash prize for first, second, and third place winners.

Honorable Mention, the judges' recognition of some special poems, may be awarded, as well.

NO ENTRY FEES!

This contest is open to public, private, and home-schooled students from any state.

RULES: STUDENTS MAY SUBMIT ONE POEM	HOW TO SUBMIT YOUR POEM
<p>ALL POEMS SUBMITTED MUST:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• BE ORIGINAL, UNPUBLISHED WORK BY THE STUDENT• HAVE SOME POETIC ELEMENT (IMAGERY, SIMILE, METAPHOR, RHYME, ETC.)• NOT BE CURRENTLY SUBMITTED ELSEWHERE IN ANY OTHER CONTEST• HAVE A TITLE• MUST BE LEGIBLE AND ON WHITE PAPER WITHOUT GRAPHICS OR FANCY FONTS• BE SINGLE SPACED <p>LINE WIDTH NOT OVER 52 CHARACTERS INCLUDING PUNCTUATION/ SPACES LINE LIMIT NOT MORE THAN 30 LINES ALL RULES MUST BE FOLLOWED EXACTLY OR POEMS WILL BE DISQUALIFIED.</p>	<p><i>SEND TWO COPIES OF YOUR POEM</i></p> <p><i>ON BOTH COPIES, PLACE CATEGORY NAME AND NUMBER IN THE UPPER LEFT CORNER.</i></p> <p><i>ON THE SECOND COPY ONLY, IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER, PLACE POET'S NAME, AGE, GRADE, SCHOOL NAME, TEACHER'S NAME AND POET'S ADDRESS.</i></p> <p><i>ALL POEMS MUST BE THE ORIGINAL, UNPUBLISHED WORK OF THE STUDENT.</i></p>

***Category One: Grades 3 and 4
Any Subject / Any Form
Prizes: \$25/15/10***

***Category Two: Grades 5 and 6
Any Subject / Any Form
Prizes: \$35/25/20***

***Category Three: Grades 7 and 8
Any Subject / Any Form
Prizes \$55/30/25***

***Category Four: Grades 9 and 10
Any Subject / Any Form
Prizes: \$55/30/25***

***Category Five: Grades 11 and 12
Any Subject / Any Form
Prizes: \$55/30/25***

Mail Poems To:

***KSPS Student Poetry Contest,
c/o Carol Ann Mauriello
1845 Flat Fork Road,
Olive Hill, KY 41164***

Contest deadline: March 1, 2012

For more information, email Carol Ann Mauriello at camauriello@moreheadstate.edu