

# Poster Contest Year \_\_\_\_\_

## "Virginia Agriculture=Safe, Healthy Food"

### Poster Contest Rules

Sponsored by: VFBF Women's Program

#### **Purpose:**

To provide an opportunity for young people to creatively present their ideas about agriculture.

#### **Qualifications:**

- Individuals in the stated age groups are eligible to participate.
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**KINDERGARTEN:** Kindergarten

**ROOKIE:** First and Second graders

**PRO:** Third, Fourth and Fifth graders

- Subject or theme of poster is: **"Virginia Agriculture= Safe, Healthy Food"**  
The entry is judged on content – how well the theme is presented – not on child's artistic ability.
- Entries may be drawn, painted or be collages of pasted cutout pictures, natural materials, etc.
- Different types of paper that can be submitted are: poster board, construction paper, copy paper, sketch pad paper, or a comparable paper.

#### **Judging Criteria:**

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- Entries are to be submitted to the county Farm Bureau for preliminary judging. One Kindergarten, Rookie and/or Pro entry are selected per county by the county Farm Bureau office.
- Counties must submit their winning entries to the Women & Young Farmers Department at the state office by **JUNE 30**.
- Past district winners are not eligible to compete in the same competition division.
- Entry must be **created by the applicant** entering his/her artwork.
- **Contest open to Virginia County Farm Bureau members and/or Virginia residents.**

**Schools participating should select one winner from each class and submit the entry to their local county Farm Bureau prior to the state deadline of June 30.** (County Farm Bureaus are listed on the Farm Bureau Web site [www.vafarmbureau.org](http://www.vafarmbureau.org)).

#### **Awards:**

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- Recognition of winners on the county level will be the responsibility of the county Farm Bureau.
- One Kindergarten, Rookie and Pro certificate of recognition will be awarded in each district.
- District winning entries will be exhibited at the VFBF Annual Convention.
- District winner to be notified by e-mail or mail.

\*\*If you wish to have your entry returned, please send a written request to the Women's & Young Farmer Department and the entry will be returned to your county Farm Bureau.



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## ENTRY FORM

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Family Membership Number if Farm Bureau member: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: M \_\_\_ F \_\_\_ Phone Number: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

County: \_\_\_\_\_ District: \_\_\_\_\_

### Poster

Description: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

***Women's County Chair or representative of county Farm Bureau (required)***

Check one:     Kindergarten  
                   Rookie (*First and Second graders*)  
                   Pro (*Third, Fourth and Fifth graders*)

**Note:** Please **staple** this entry form to the poster. **Do not use tape.**

**\*\*The child's name and county MUST be written on the back of the poster. Failure to comply with contest rules will result in disqualification of contestant.**

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Submit to your county Farm Bureau office for signature and judging. (*Visit our Web site [www.vafarmbureau.org](http://www.vafarmbureau.org) to get address.*) County Farm Bureau deadline to state office is **JUNE 30.**

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