MYM "Design Our Holiday Card" ART Contest "MY CHARTER SCHOOL, MY FUTURE"

CONTEST RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. ENTRY PERIOD

The Middleton, Young & Minney, LLP (MYM) "Design Our Holiday Card" art contest will begin accepting submissions on October 16, 2009. Entries must be received no later than 5pm on November 13, 2009.

2. ELIGIBILITY

The contest is open to children enrolled in a California charter school in three grade categories: (1) grades K-3; (2) grades 4-8; and (3) grades 9-12. Employees of MYM as well as their immediate family members (spouses, parents, siblings and children) are not eligible. The contest is subject to all applicable federal, state, and local laws and regulations and is void where prohibited by law.

3. RULES OF ENTRY

MYM is not responsible for any lost, late, incomplete, invalid, unintelligible or misdirected entries. Submissions will not be returned and become the property of MYM. By entering the contest you agree that MYM has the right to display, copy, distribute and otherwise use the artwork as it sees fit without any fee or other form of compensation. MYM intends to reproduce the art work with full credit to the winner on its holiday card that is mailed to over 350 charter schools throughout the State.

4. THEME OF ARTWORK

Artwork must be based upon the theme: "My Charter School, My Future" — contestants can design art work with any interpretation of this theme.

5. SPECIFICATIONS FOR SUBMISSIONS

Only individual and original artwork may be submitted. *All Mediums Accepted on paper.* Min. size 4x6 and max. size 18x24.

6. DOCUMENTATION ON SUBMISSIONS

Documentation — to be considered, must be <u>legible</u> and complete on the back of <u>all</u> entries

- Title of picture
- Full name of artist
- Grade and age
- Name of Charter School
- School mailing address, student email address & student phone number

7. MAIL ENTRIES TO:

Middleton, Young & Minney, LLP ATTN: Art Contest 701 University Avenue, Suite 150 Sacramento, CA 95825

8. AGREEMENT TO RULES

By entering the contest, you fully and unconditionally agree to and accept the rules as outlined herein and agree to accept the decisions of MYM and the contest judges which are final and binding.

9. JUDGING CRITERIA

Entries must meet all rules and submission criteria as stated herein to be eligible. Entries will be evaluated by a panel of judges. Artwork will be judged on artistic merit and creativity.



10. PRIZES

All participants

All participants will receive an official certificate of appreciation signed by MYM.

First Prize Winner

The grand prize winner in the three categories will receive the following cash prize: **grades K-3: \$100; grades 4-8: \$200; grades 9-12: \$500**. One of the 1st prize winners will be selected and utilized as the design of the MYM holiday card and will be displayed on our website.

Second Prize Winner

The second prize winners in the three categories will receive the following cash prize: **grades K-3: \$50; grades 4-8: \$100; grades 9-12: \$350** and the art work will be displayed on our website.

Third Prize Winner

The third prize winners in the three categories will receive the following cash prize: **grades K-3: \$25; grades 4-8: \$50; grades 9-12: \$150** and the art work will be displayed on our website.

Winners will be announced in November on the Middleton, Young & Minney, LLP website at www.mymcharterlaw.com and winners will be notified by telephone and mail. Prizes will be awarded by December 14, 2009.

