



LILT POSTER CONTEST

The LILT Poster Contest celebrates National Foreign Language Week, which takes place in March of each year.

In order for you and your students to participate in this contest you must be a LILT member whose dues were paid by February 15th of the current, contest year, or a member of an AAT which is a LILT Association Member for the contest year as listed on the home page, WWW.LILTFL.ORG. These are the steps you must take:

STEP 1: ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE LILT POSTER CONTEST TOPIC

Read the announcement with the current year's topic and the due date for mailing. This can be found on LILT's website under *LILT Poster Contest* (right column).

Please remember your LILT membership dues must be paid by February 15th of the current, contest year in order for your students to be eligible to participate, or a member of an AAT which is a LILT Association Member for the contest year as listed on the home page, WWW.LILTFL.ORG.

STEP 2: TEACHER AND STUDENT DIRECTIONS

Directions for Teachers: Make sure you, the current, classroom teacher, have read the directions for what you must do to have your students produce a winning entry.

Directions for Students: Your students must also follow their directions in order to create a winning entry. Not following the directions carefully will disqualify the student's work.



STEP 3: DROP-OFF LOCATIONS

When each teacher has selected his or her best current, classroom students' entries for competition, they are to be dropped off at one of the drop-off locations which is listed on LILT's website (WWW.LILTFL.ORG) under *LILT Poster Contest* (left column).

STEP 4: SUBMISSION FORMS

Please complete the Submissions Forms in DUPLICATE, completing them entirely, and printing so they may be easily read.

STEP 5: LILT POSTER CONTEST CHECKOFF LIST

To make sure you, the current, classroom teacher, have not forgotten anything in completing your submissions, kindly use the Checkoff List to double check all of the above steps, ensuring you'll submit viable entries. ***Enclose a completed Checkoff List inside each package you submit.***

ALL POSTERS BECOME THE PROPERTY OF LILT.

Only current, classroom students of LILT members, who have paid their membership dues in full by February 15th, or a member of an AAT which is a LILT Association Member for the contest year as listed on the home page, WWW.LILTFL.ORG, are eligible for this contest.



LILT POSTER CONTEST DIRECTIONS FOR TEACHERS

ELIGIBILITY: All Nassau and Suffolk County students of languages whose current, classroom teachers are paid-up LILT members as of February 15th of the current, contest year, or a member of an AAT which is a LILT Association Member for the contest year as listed on the home page, WWW.LILTFL.ORG.

AWARDS: Trophies will be awarded for First Place, Second Place, Third Place and Honorable Mention(s) and Certificates of Participation

CATEGORIES: Category A: Grades 4-6
Category B: Grades 7-9
Category C: Grades 10-12

EVERY TEACHER SHOULD ENSURE THAT ONLY POSTERS THAT MEET THE FOLLOWING RULES ARE SUBMITTED TO AVOID DISQUALIFICATION.

Directions for Teachers:

1. Submit only a maximum of **5** posters per category, per school.
2. Submit **ONE** flat, neatly wrapped package of a maximum of 5 posters for each category.
3. Print from the LILT website the LILT Poster Contest Checkoff List and 2 copies of the Submission Form.
4. Include a copy of **BOTH** the Submission Form and Checkoff List inside **EACH** package.
5. Attach **ONE** completed Submission Form to the outside of **EACH** package.
6. LILT members: affix a copy of your membership card or the address label of a LILT mailing to the outside of the package.
7. AAT Memberships will be confirmed by your AAT

Questions?

Contact: Dr. Patricia Lennon-Murphy, Poster Contest Chairperson: PLENNONMURPHY@LILTFL.ORG

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LILT POSTER CONTEST DIRECTIONS FOR STUDENTS

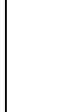
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Directions for Students:

1. Each entry must bear only one student's name.
2. Only posters on 18" x 24" **oak tag** of any color in "portrait" orientation ►►►►  are acceptable.
3. Artistic media: **only** felt tips, watercolors, oil or acrylic paints, pastels, colored pencils, Crayons™ or collages
4. The use of computer for graphics, lettering or designs is not permitted, nor are 3-D effects.
5. All work must be original. Figures, slogans, etc. protected by copyright are not permitted.
6. The LILT Poster Contest Theme must appear in **English** on the poster. In addition, other languages may be used. **Any orthographic and/or grammatical errors will disqualify the entry.**
7. Include the following information **ONLY** on the **BACK** of the poster:
 - student's name and grade
 - current, classroom teacher's name
 - school name and address

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LILT POSTER CONTEST ENTRY SUBMISSION FORM

SCHOOL NAME _____ SCHOOL PHONE _____

SCHOOL ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ ZIP _____

PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION FOR EACH STUDENT WHO HAS ENTERED A POSTER. PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

STUDENT NAME	GRADE	CURRENT TEACHER'S NAME	CURRENT TEACHER'S HOME PHONE	CURRENT TEACHER'S E-MAIL ADDRESS
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
5. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____

CATEGORY: CHECK ONE: CATEGORY A: GRADES 4-6 _____ CATEGORY B: GRADES 7-9 _____ CATEGORY C: GRADES 10-12 _____

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**EACH TEACHER LISTED MUST BE A MEMBER OF LILT AS OF FEBRUARY 15TH OF THE CURRENT, CONTEST YEAR,
OR A MEMBER OF AN AAT WHICH IS A LILT ASSOCIATION MEMBER FOR THE CONTEST YEAR
AS LISTED ON THE HOME PAGE, WWW.LILTFL.ORG.**

LILT POSTER CONTEST CHECKOFF LIST

Please inspect each poster to ensure the Directions have been followed to avoid disqualification.

- I have already paid my LILT membership dues by February 15th the current, contest year.
- I am a member of a current AAT which is a LILT Association Member for the contest year.
- I am submitting only 5 posters per category, per school.

As stated in the directions, each poster:

- is the work of only one, current, classroom student.
- is on oak tag of the required size and orientation.
- is designed using appropriate artistic media.
- is original work by my current, classroom student.
- is void of any copyrighted figures, slogans or graphics.
- is void of computer-generated lettering, graphics or designs.
- is void of three-dimensional effects.
- states the LILT Poster Contest Theme in **English**.
- is void of spelling and grammatical errors.
- has identification information **only** on the **back** of the poster.

For each package submitted, I am including INSIDE:

1. a completed copy of the Check-Off List.
2. a completed Submission Form.

For each package submitted, I am attaching to the OUTSIDE:

1. a copy of the completed Submission Form.
2. *LILT Members*: a copy of my membership card OR mailing label from any LILT mailing.

I will drop off my package(s) at one of the Drop-Off Locations on or before the deadline. These locations can be found on WWW.LILTFL.ORG under *LILT Poster Contest*. (*Drop-Off Locations* are on the second page.)

Questions?

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