



## **Guidelines for the Detroit Zoological Society and Project S.N.A.P. Youth Art Competition and Mosaic Murals Exhibition**

### **PLEASE NOTE:**

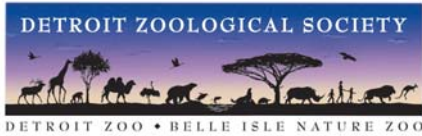
You must follow all instructions to be included. If you have questions regarding these instructions, please email [drubyan@projectsnap.org](mailto:drubyan@projectsnap.org) or call (248) 799-0805.



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### *Administration Instructions*

1. Sign up your school online at: [www.projectsnap.org/schoolsdz.php](http://www.projectsnap.org/schoolsdz.php).
2. Create an electronic spreadsheet from your school database or home school student list with information for the seven columns listed below. If you are a teacher and cannot run this report, contact your school office for assistance.
  - Student Last Name
  - Student First Name
  - Grade
  - Teacher Last Name
  - School/Home School Name
  - City
  - Zip Code
3. Email the electronic spreadsheet to: [drubyan@projectsnap.org](mailto:drubyan@projectsnap.org).
4. **For Schools:** Send a Parent Consent Form home for all grades and classes participating in the program.  
**For Home Schools:** Complete a separate Parent Consent Form for each student participating.  
**Parent Consent Forms** are available for download at:  
[http://www.detroitzoo.org/Saving\\_Wildlife/Saving\\_Wildlife/Youth\\_Art\\_Competition\\_Guidelines/](http://www.detroitzoo.org/Saving_Wildlife/Saving_Wildlife/Youth_Art_Competition_Guidelines/) or can be submitted online at [www.projectsnap.org/parentsdz.php](http://www.projectsnap.org/parentsdz.php).
5. You may use a printed version of the spreadsheet of students as a checklist for teachers to keep track of student pictures and Parent Consent Forms. If a checklist is used, please submit the checklist with the pictures and Parent Consent Forms.



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### ***Teacher Instructions***

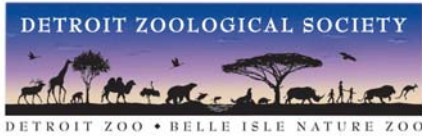
*(NOTE: For teachers who are leading the project and for home schools, please follow both the "Administration Instructions" and the "Teacher Instructions".)*

1. Present the project to your students and follow the *Student Artwork Guidelines*.
2. When artwork is completed, collect the artwork and the Parent Consent Forms.
3. Clearly write the following information (or have your students write it) in the lower left hand corner, on the BACK of each artwork:
  - a. Student's First and Last Names
  - b. Teacher's Last Name
  - c. Grade
  - d. School/Home School
  - e. City
  - f. Zip Code
4. Verify that a signed Parent Consent Form has been put together with every picture.
5. Make a note on the checklist of student names if the Parent Consent Form will be submitted online.
6. DO NOT staple, glue, clip or tape the Parent Consent form to the picture.
7. Deliver or ship the original artworks, the Parent Consent Forms and the checklist of students (optional) in a sturdy flat envelope (marked "Do Not Bend") or in a box to:

Year of the Frog Youth Art Competition and Mosaic Murals Exhibition  
Administration Building Switchboard  
Detroit Zoological Society  
8450 W. Ten Mile Road  
Royal Oak, MI 48067

Every student who participates with Parent Consent will be featured in the Project S.N.A.P. Web Gallery. For more information on the Web Gallery, please contact the Project S.N.A.P. office at: [info@projectsnap.org](mailto:info@projectsnap.org) or call (248) 799-0805.

The deadline for submissions is: May 9, 2008 at 4:30 p.m.  
NOTE: This is not a postmark deadline.



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### ***Student Artwork Guidelines***

1. Create a colorful picture reflecting one or more of the following themes:
  - Interpretations of Michigan frogs, toads and salamanders
  - Amphibian residents at the Detroit Zoo's National Amphibian Conservation Center and the Zoo's efforts to propagate and conserve many rare and endangered amphibian species from around the world
  - Global climate change/human impact on amphibian populations
  - Amphibians and their specialized adaptations to habitats around the world
2. Artwork must be created on 11" x 8.5" paper preferably made from recycled materials in a landscape (wider than tall) orientation.
  - Only imagery related to the project theme may be included.
  - The image can be in the form of a drawing, painting or "word painting".
  - Please do not include the following: realistic or recognizable drawings, paintings, or photographs of people, copyrighted material and inappropriate language or subject matter. All artwork must be created by the submitter.
3. Students who contribute "word paintings" may only submit original work written about the project theme.
  - All word paintings should be written by hand (not computer generated) in any form comfortable for the student.
  - Word paintings must be written onto a colorful background and may also include images that are admissible for this project.
  - Submissions should be no more than 10 words so that when reduced in size, the words can be large enough to read.
  - All word paintings will be reviewed for language and content.
4. Crayons, markers, pen and ink, colored pencils, paint or pastels may be used. **FILL IN THE PAGE** as much as possible. Please do not use glue, glitter, sand, yarn or other materials that create texture.
5. All images must be dry and flat before submission in order to be included.

NOTE: Original Artwork submitted to the Detroit Zoological Society and Project S.N.A.P. Youth Art Competition and Mosaic Murals Exhibition cannot be returned. All images submitted with Parent Consent Forms will be included in the Project S.N.A.P. Web Gallery and can be viewed there after the Mosaic Murals Exhibition is on display.