

# Heritage Places Poster Contest Guidelines

## What is a Heritage Place?

Any place connected to past people, places and/or events. Places that tell our stories and keep our history alive. They can include sites used by Indigenous peoples, archaeology sites, houses, fishing premises, churches, courthouses, parks and open spaces, cemeteries, memorials and ruins - to name a few. The stories and uses of these places are a part of their heritage value.

## Sources of information on heritage places include:

- Heritage NL's webpage ([www.heritagefoundation.ca](http://www.heritagefoundation.ca)) and Facebook page (@heritagefoundationnl).
- Local history books, museums, libraries and archives.
- Talk to parents, grandparents, elders and others in the community.

## Guidelines for the Competition (PLEASE READ FULLY)

1. Each entry is to be the creation of an individual artist (grades K-12) living in the province of NL.
2. Only entries showing heritage places in the student's home community or region will be considered for judging.
3. Entries must be no larger than 11"x17".
4. Posters may be colour or black and white and use any medium (no charcoal or pastels please).
5. Posters must be signed by the student in the lower right-hand corner.
6. The poster must be accompanied by a completed entry form attached to the poster by paperclip only.
7. High quality, high resolution digital scans and images of artwork can be submitted via file sharing or external drives.
8. 1 prize will be awarded at the primary, elementary, junior high and senior high level (total of 4 prizes). An overall winner will be chosen from these 4.
9. 1 prize will be awarded to the St. John's, Avalon, Eastern, Central, Western and Labrador regions (total of 6 prizes).
10. Digitally produced art will be accepted and judged for a separate prize. Content must be original work. Copyright issues should be considered for borrowed elements. Digitally produced art will not be eligible for the overall prize.
11. The poster must depict an existing heritage place. Demolished buildings, new buildings and recently altered landscape features will not be considered.
12. Posters will be judged by the detail and quality of the art and the written statement.
13. Prizes will be awarded to the winners on the recommendation of the judges, whose decision will be final.
14. Heritage NL reserves the right to substitute a prize with another of comparable value if a stated prize is unavailable.
15. Artists whose posters are selected as winners agree to the non-profit use of their work by Heritage NL.
16. Artwork submitted to the competition will be returned to the artists.
17. Posters must be received by Friday, January 18, 2019.

## Questions?

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Please submit entries to:  
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