



## LIKE TO DRAW OR WRITE? GET PUBLISHED!

Richland Library's literary magazine, Kids in Print, showcases the creative talents of young people, ages 6-18, across the Midlands. We accept poetry, stories, short plays, essays, drawings, photographs and more.

Kids in Print is not a competition. We are not able to publish everything, so we include a variety of creative work that is original, well-crafted and contributes to the overall magazine. Congratulations on being brave and expressing yourself—whether you're published or not, you've succeeded!

### The Rules + Submission

Entries are due by **January 13, 2023**.  
**Incomplete entries will not be considered.**

Apply by sending an e-mail to  
**KidsinPrint@richlandlibrary.com**.

Be sure to include all of the information requested for each entry (name, address, etc.). Each contributor may submit up to 10 entries. Each entry should be in a separate email with its own submission form.

Richland Library reserves the right to make editorial changes.

#### Authors:

- Type or write your essay, poem or short story in black ink on 8.5x11 inch white paper.
- Written submissions are limited to one page, single-spaced and may be included in the body of the e-mail or attached as a separate document.
- Links to Google Docs, Dropbox or other file sharing sites will not be accepted.
- **Writers are strongly encouraged to submit their work online but if they are unable to do so, submissions can be dropped off at any Richland Library location.**

#### Artists:

- Draw your work vertically in black ink on 8.5x11 inch white paper.
- **No notebook paper, copies or tracings, please.**
- Digital submissions must be scanned at high resolution (600 dpi or higher). **Photos of images are not accepted.**
- Original artwork can be submitted digitally or dropped off at any Richland Library location. **Artwork will not be returned.**

#### Photographers:

- Submit high resolution black and white photographs. Images should be scanned at the highest possible resolution.
- We reserve the right to disqualify incomplete entries and/or contributors who are unable to submit a high-resolution photograph or print of at least 300 dpi.  
*(Photographs taken with smartphones are exempt, but must be submitted at their highest resolution.)*

### Helpful Hints

**Teachers:** Want to use Kids in Print as a class project? That's great! **Please make sure the entries are on more than one topic.** This helps us showcase a wide variety of creative work.

### Important Dates

- **Deadline for Submission:** January 13, 2023
- **Selection for Kids in Print magazine:** Feb.– Mar. 2023
- **Notification:** April 15, 2023 (**Only** contributors with work published in Kids in Print magazine.)
- **Kids in Print Launch Party:** Saturday, May 6 2023

Questions? E-mail [hmccue@richlandlibrary.com](mailto:hmccue@richlandlibrary.com).

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### Complete, scan and attach to each entry submitted.

name \_\_\_\_\_

address \_\_\_\_\_

best phone # \_\_\_\_\_

age \_\_\_\_\_ school \_\_\_\_\_

title of work \_\_\_\_\_

**Parents/Guardians:** You are verifying that this submission is your child's original work and you are granting permission for your child's name, age, school and creative work to be used in Richland Library publicity materials. You will receive an automated reply confirming your first submission only.

#### Parent/Guardian signature required:

*I give permission for my child's name, age and creative work to be used in Richland Library publicity materials. By signing this, I am also verifying the originality of my child's work.*

print name \_\_\_\_\_

signature \_\_\_\_\_

parent's email \_\_\_\_\_