

Jewish Disability Awareness Art Contest

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Rules and Submission Requirements

- ✧ Create a piece of artwork that reflects Jewish values and attitudes towards people with disabilities in school and the community.
- ✧ Use a 8.5 x 11.0 piece of white paper.
- ✧ Draw with pen or markers.
- ✧ Write your name, school, and phone number on the back of your art work.
- ✧ Submit entries to your school for pick up.

Contest is open to students in grades 1-8

Winners will receive a gift certificate from *The Candy Store, Goldman's Bakery, Knish Shop; Tov Pizza; Carmel's; Eden Café; The Chocolate Publishing Co.; Mama Leah* and other local sponsors.

One entry per student

Submit entries by **February 22, 2010**

Winners will be announced at the end of February

Email questions to: ffriedman@shemeshbaltimore.org



Jewish Disability Awareness Creative Writing Contest

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Choose from one of the following categories:

- ✧ Write about an experience you have had with a person with a disability and how that interaction has affected you.
- ✧ Interview a person with a disability or a family member of a person with a disability and describe the experience s/he has had as a member of the Jewish community.
- ✧ Read a book (fiction or non-fiction) about people with disabilities and describe the impact the attitudes of others had on their lives.
- ✧ Research online to learn more about famous people or prominent individuals in Jewish history with disabilities.
- ✧ Think about professions that provide services to people with disabilities. Pick one that interests you and find out the education, training, and experience required for this profession and tell why this profession interests you.

Contest is open to students in grades 6 – 12

Winners will receive a gift certificate from *The Candy Store, Goldman's Bakery, Knish Shop; Tov Pizza; Carmel's; Eden Café; The Chocolate Publishing Co.; Mama Leah* and other local sponsors.

Entries should be double-spaced and between 500-1000 words

One entry per student

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