

Summitt Reflections

All about the Summitt Reflections Art Program

2024-2025

A promotional poster for the Summitt Reflections 2024-2025 art program. The poster features a blue border and a central archway containing the text 'NATIONAL PEX REFLECTIONS 2024-2025 CALL FOR ENTRIES!' and 'Accepting Imperfection' in a cursive font. Below the archway, the text 'Explore the arts and express yourself!' is followed by six icons representing different art forms: Dance/Choreography, Film Production, Literature, Music Composition, Photography, and Visual Arts.

NATIONAL PEX REFLECTIONS
2024-2025
CALL FOR ENTRIES!

Accepting Imperfection

Explore the arts and express yourself!

DANCE CHOREOGRAPHY FILM PRODUCTION LITERATURE MUSIC COMPOSITION PHOTOGRAPHY VISUAL ARTS

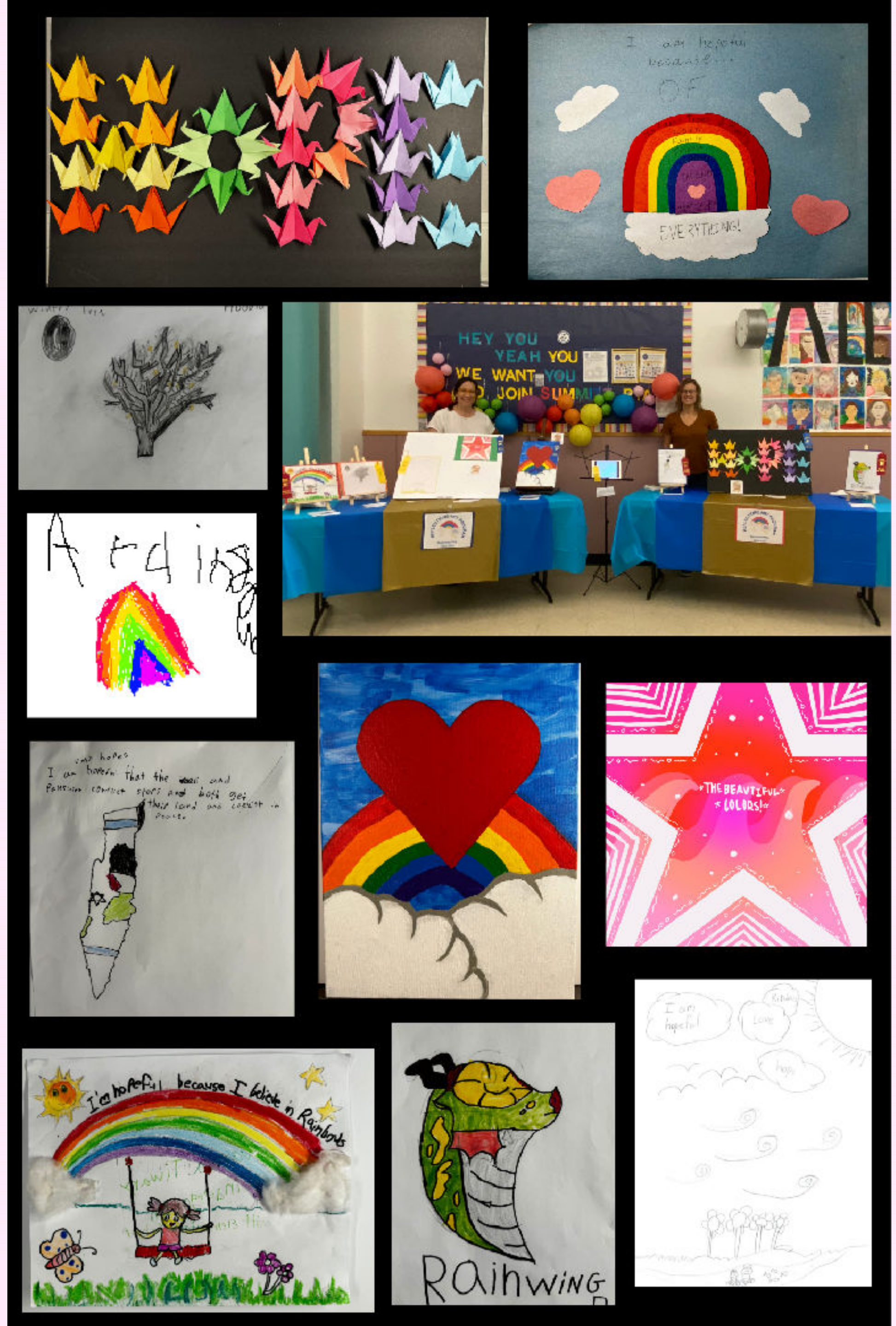
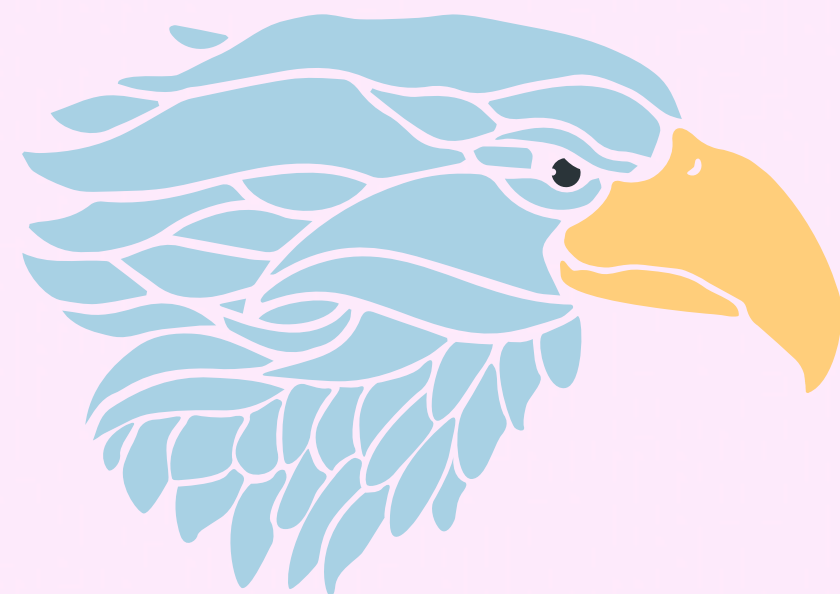
Participate in Reflections!

Reflections is a National PTA program that encourages students to express themselves by giving positive recognition for artistic efforts. Watch the video to learn more!



Last year, 3 entries from Summitt Elementary were advanced to the Regional Level

How many will move forward this year??



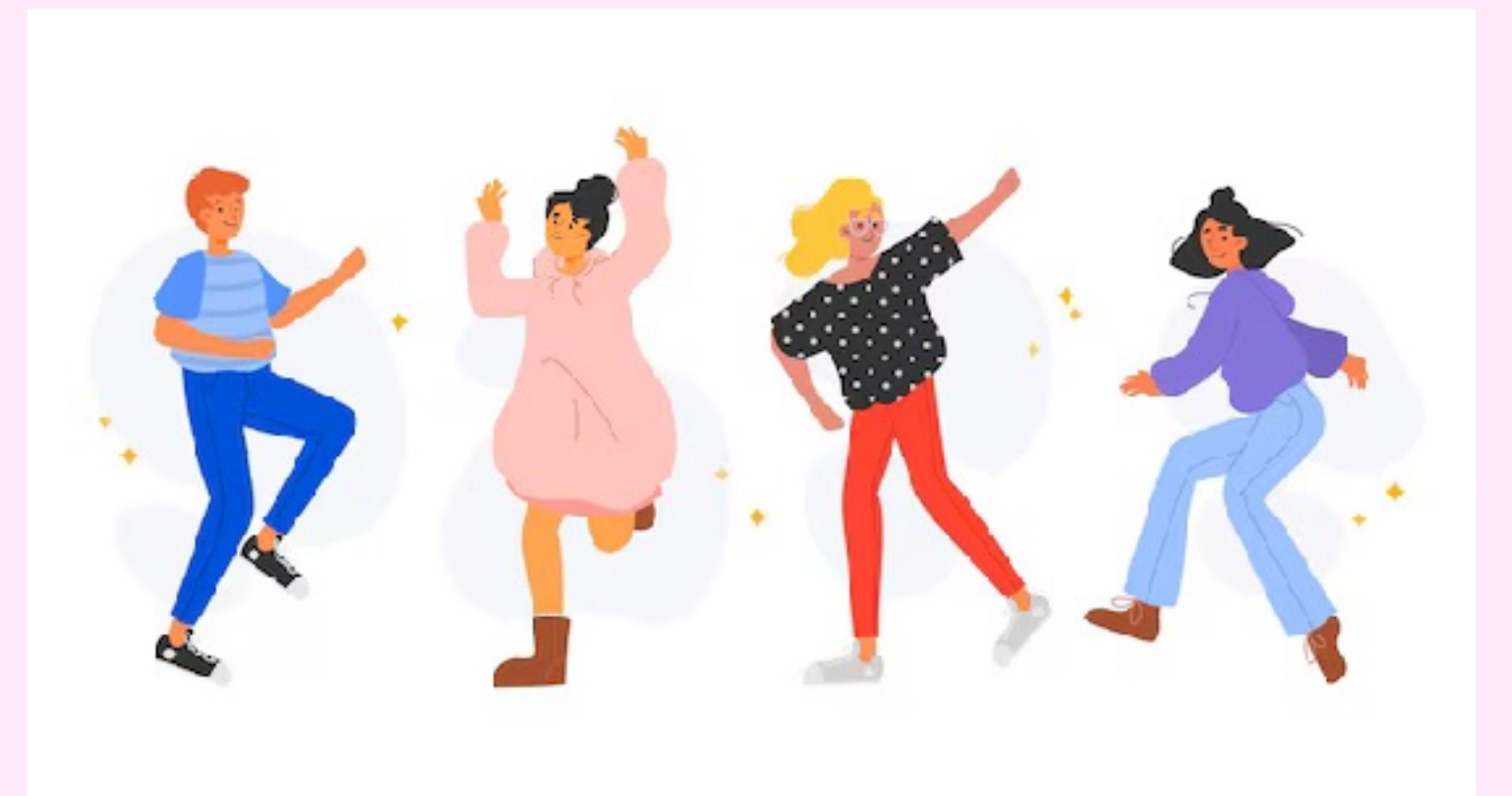
This years theme is:



Dance Choreography

Create an original dance

- Create choreography to match the theme.
- The choreographer may choose to perform or have someone else perform.
- Pay close attention to the **accepted file types** for Dance Choreography video footage.
- Official rules for Dance Choreography [can be accessed here.](#)
- To see previously submitted dance choreography videos from across Texas go [here.](#)



Film Production

Create a short live or digital movie

- Pay close attention to the **accepted file types** for Film Production.
- Official rules for Film Production [can be accessed here](#).



Literature

Write a poem, story, letter, tale or essay

- Entries must not be over 2,000 words.
- Official rules for Literature [can be accessed here](#).



Music Composition

Write an original song and record it

- Pay close attention to the accepted file types for Music Composition.
- Videos are not an acceptable format. All entries must be audio only.
- Official rules for Music Composition [can be accessed here](#).



Photography

Take a picture or several pictures to create a collage

- Print dimensions must be between 3" X 5" and 8" X 10".
- Multi-print entries and collections are not accepted. Photomontages must be combined digitally and printed on a single page.
- Official rules for Photography [can be accessed here](#).



Visual Arts

You can draw, paint, or create a picture

- Make sure your Visual Arts entry is not 3D! This includes “googly eyes” or anything else that takes the Visual Arts entry into anything that would not sit absolutely flat in transport.
- All entries must be less than 24” X 30” and paper entries should be mounted.
- Official Rules for Visual Arts [can be accessed here.](#)



Accessible Arts Division

- Students who identify as having a disability have two ways to enter:
 1. Enter in Grade-Level Division: regardless of age, students with disabilities may enter in the grade division most closely aligned to their support needs.
 2. Enter in Accessible Arts Division: Eligible students entering the division create their own artwork but may receive non-artistic accommodation and assistance from an adult.
- Official Rules for Accessible Arts Division [can be accessed here](#).



Express yourself

**Show the world who you are through your art using the theme of
Accepting Imperfection.**



The Artist's Statement

An important step!

- Make sure you write a **descriptive** and **meaningful** Artist Statement on your entry form so you can tell the judges how your art reflects this year's theme of: Accepting Imperfection.
- Many times, the artist statement will make a **huge difference** during judging because this is where you as the artist can explain in your own words, your thoughts and feelings for the piece.



Enter Multiple Times

Go for it!

- You may enter more than once in as many categories and as many times as you choose using the theme of: Accepting Imperfection.
- Make sure each entry has a separate Entry Form.



Books Related to the Theme

Read up on the idea of imperfection

- Ish
- The Dot
- Abracadabra! The Magic of Trying
- The book of Mistakes
- The Most Magnificent Thing
- Beautiful Oops!
- A Whale of a Mistake
- The Girl Who Never Made Mistakes
- Keep Going
- Mrs. Gorski, I think I have the wiggle fidgets
- What to Do When Good Enough Isn't Good Enough
- What to Do When Mistakes Make You Quake
- Little Imperfections



Official Rules and Details

- Overview of rules: [English](#) / [Spanish](#)
- May I see some examples of past entries?
 - Click [here](#) to see examples
- When are entries due?
 - All entries are due by October 25.
- Need more information?
 - summittptareflections@gmail.com



How to Submit

Artwork will be collected digitally

- Click here for the [2024 Entry Form](#) and to upload your art.
- The online submission form requires a Google account.

If you do not have access to a Google account, please contact summittptareflections@gmail.com for alternate entry instructions.



All Entries must be received by Friday, October 25

**Thank you for participating in
Reflections and keeping the spirit of
art and creativity alive at Summitt!**

