



# Let your talent shine through Reflections!

Dear HMS Students,

Are you looking for a way to express yourself and show others your talent as a photographer, visual artist, writer, composer, choreographer or film producer? You will be recognized by participating in the PTSA Reflections Program.

This year's theme is **"Diversity Means ..."**  
2011 - 2012

**Deadline to enter  
OCTOBER 21, 2011**

**Official Entry Form  
Must be filled out completely  
and attached to each entry**

Express your thoughts and creativity with an original piece of work in one of these categories:

- Dance Choreography ■ Film Production ■ Literature
- Musical Composition ■ Visual Arts ■ Photography

**Official Rules and Official Entry Forms**

Download forms at [www.bwpta.com](http://www.bwpta.com)

Click on *Harrison PTSA* and then click on *Reflections*

Official entry forms will also be available in the office

**See Highlighted Rules on the back of this flyer**

- These are a few general guidelines. For **specific rules** go to [www.bwpta.com](http://www.bwpta.com) & click on *Harrison*
  - DO NOT put your name on the front of your entry – Name and attendance# on the back only.
  - The theme "Diversity Means" must be reflected in the work.
  - Only new pieces of art inspired by this theme are acceptable.
  - Each must be the work of only one person. No collaboration.
  - An adult may not alter, change, or enhance the creative integrity.
  - The use of copyrighted material is prohibited including the use of copyrighted Cartoon-characters or other such material in visual arts or photography.
- All entries are judged by professionals in the individual categories on artistic merit, creativity, and interpretation of the theme.
- ALL PARTICIPANTS will be honored.

**Submit entries to the office by October 21. No late entries will be accepted.**

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**RULES FOR ALL CATEGORIES: Must fill in Title of Work and Artist Statement on each entry must be in a manila envelope (8.5"x11") with clasp and labeled on back as: state abbreviation.arts category.grade level.student last name.student first name**

**Please note, not all Pennsylvania Rules are the same as National rules. You MUST adhere to the Pennsylvania Rules. In order to enter into PA PTA Reflections program the student MUST ATTEND the school in which their entry is submitted and the PTA be in good standing.**

- LITERATURE:**
- must not exceed 2,000 words
  - original and student entry form in the manila envelope with electronic copy saved as doc file or pdf file on CD requested along with student entry form
- MUSIC COMP:**
- may be voice, instrument or combination of both
  - CD (no cassette) placed in a plastic container
    - label CD and container as described above
  - student entry form and consent forms in hard copy and requested electronic copies saved on CD as doc or pdf file inside manila envelope saved as mp3
  - less than 5 minutes in length**
  - must include score (age appropriate) not to exceed 8.5x11" if not saved on CD
  - students are not required to perform their own composition (i.e., band)
- VISUAL ARTS:**
- must be flat (nothing 3 dimensional can extend off surface of artwork)
  - not to exceed 8x10" (including a mat) and 3/8" in thickness
  - place student entry form in manila envelope along with requested CD copy of paper work and jpeg image of art work
  - art work may be up to 24x30" if CD image saved as jpeg sent in envelope**
  - NO shrink-wrap, plastic cover, lamination, or frames**
- FILM/VIDEO**
- must be original fiction/nonfiction work relating to theme
  - student must be the director, screenwriter and cameraperson
  - less than 5 minutes in length**
  - submit CD in a plastic container labeled as stated above
  - place CD inside manila envelope
  - place student entry form and consent forms in manila envelope along with CD copy of paper work saved as pdf or doc files requested
  - Submission MUST use .flv formatting**
  - DO NOT list NAME in credits or any where on film production
- DANCE:**
- entries must be less than 5 minutes in length**
  - must submit a CD of performance of choreography
  - all entries must be labeled as stated above and saved in flv format only**
  - place student entry form and consent forms in manila envelope along with CD copy of paper work requested
  - there may be up to 3 dancers performing the choreography
  - DO NOT introduce or say names any where or during the dance video
- PHOTOGRAPHY:**
- must be mounted (on a sturdy material)
  - NO shrink-wrap, plastic cover, lamination, or frames**
  - place student entry form in manila envelope along with CD copy of paper work and jpeg copy of image
  - a single print or collage not to exceed 8x10" (including mat)**