**Reflections: National PTA Arts Program**

**2021-2022 Theme: “I Will Change the World By…”**

**Art Categories:** Literature, Music Composition, Photography, Visual Arts (2D only), Film Production and Dance Choreography. A Special Artist Division is available.

**A Checklist for Success:**

**Before you begin:**

* Visualize a **unique** interpretation of the theme: **I Will Change the World By…**
* Put your interpretation into words and write it down – it can be a longer version of your artist statement (needed for Entry Form)
* Choose an art category

**Create Your Entry:**

* Review the category’s *Accepted forms**or Considerations* listedin the Rules.
* Ask yourself “Am I portraying the theme in my work of art?”
* For Visual Arts and Photography –when choosing your medium, lighting, etc., keep in mind that you are submitting an online version of your entry for judging
* Name should NOT appear on the front of your entry, e.g., do not sign your visual art or write/type name under the Title for Literature entries

**Note:** if you need materials to create your entry, contact the Reflections Chair.

**Prepare Entry for submission:**

**NOTE: Students will be preparing their entry for online submission in the following file formats: Visual Arts & Photography (JPG/JPEG/PNG); Literature (PDF); Dance & Film (MP4 and AVI); Music Composition (MP3 and WAV/Notation - PDF); Entry Forms (PDF)**

* Follow each statement under the *Submission Requirements* in the Rules.
* Student Entry Form (a fillable PDF):
	+ Fill out Completely. **Note:** Student and Parent/Guardian signatures are not required.
	+ Give it a good **Title**, do not use the Theme as the title. Don’t forget the **Details**
	+ Artist Statement: edit “interpretation” to the required 100 words (or less)/make it meaningful
* Submit by the the deadline!

\*\*\*\*Very Important: Please save physical entries (e.g., painting, film saved to a flash drive, hand written literature, etc.) because they may be needed at a later date if advancing to Council, State or National.

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For **Rules** and **Student Entry Form**,
go to PTSA website/**Programs**/under Student Programs **Reflections**

***Deadline for entries: November 1st by end of day***

**All grades and abilities can participate!**

***Questions? Contact the Chair Rachel Pai at reflections@lwhsptsa.org***

Reflect on the Theme. Create an original work. Be Recognized.