

LAW DAY 2019 PHOTO CONTEST

(For 9th-12th Grade Students)



Theme: Capture an issue that you are passionate about and include a short explanation with your submission.

Eligibility: San Bernardino County Students in grades 9-12

Deadline: April 15, 2019

This Law Day contests is sponsored by the San Bernardino Superior Court.

For more information, please refer to the contest rules.

SAN BERNARDINO SUPERIOR COURT LAW DAY PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST

“Free Speech, Free Press, Free Society”

OFFICIAL 2019 CONTEST RULES

Qualified Participants:

The Law Day Contest is open to students attending a public or private school, or being home schooled, within the San Bernardino County and in **grades 9-12** or the equivalent.

Photograph Theme:

Capture an image that showcases the theme: “Free Speech, Free Press, Free Society”, and include a short explanation of how the subject of your photo fits into the free society framework.

Ex. This picture captures the San Bernardino Justice Center. The Justice Center is a courthouse of the San Bernardino Superior Court, which belongs to the judicial branch of government. The judicial branch is responsible for interpreting the law and protecting citizens’ rights, including the right to free speech and free press.

Steps to Enter:

1. Read and agree to the contest rules.
2. Take a photograph and include a short explanation.
3. Mail the photograph to the San Bernardino Superior Court or email the entry according to the instructions below

Contest Deadline:

Contest entries will be accepted beginning **February 18, 2019**. To be eligible for prizes, all entries must be submitted or postmarked by **April 15, 2019**.

Contest Prizes:

Prizes will be awarded for each division as follows:

1st Place and Overall Winner: Inscribed plaque presented to student by a Judge from the San Bernardino Superior Court

2nd Place: Inscribed plaque

3rd to 5th Place: Honorable Mention

Selection of winners and runners-up will be based on originality, creativity, adherence to the theme, and overall quality. With the permission of the winning students, their photographs may be reproduced in local papers and may be used to promote Law Day 2020!

Photograph Specifications:

Photographs must be at least 5 x 7 inches and smaller than 8 x 10 inches. Photographs outside of this size range are not eligible for the contest.

Color as well as black and white photographs are eligible.

Photographs may not incorporate any copyrighted characters (i.e. comics and/or television characters), photographs, and magazine or newspaper illustrations.

Photograph must be original, correct in safety concepts, and the exclusive work of the student entering the contest in idea, design, and execution. All photography should be positive in approach.

Submissions will not be accepted or eligible if they include- in the sole judgment of the committee- any content that contains or appears to contain:

1. Profane, obscene, or inappropriate material
2. Inappropriate language
3. Any derogatory characterization of any person or group based on age, race, color, gender, gender identity, citizenship, creed, national origin, physical appearance, political affiliation, union membership, or other unethical or lawful factors
4. Any actual or apparent copying or other infringement of another's intellectual property rights

All expenses involved in preparing and submitting an entry are the entrant's responsibility.

All submissions must include the information form at the bottom of this page in their submission.

Necessary information includes the student's name, grade, age, teacher's name, school name, and school address. Please print clearly.

Contest Infrastructure:

The San Bernardino Superior Court Photograph Contest is sponsored by the San Bernardino Superior Court. The San Bernardino Superior Court Law Day Committee will select one winner and four runners-up from among the eligible entries that, in the sole discretion of the committee, meet the minimum quality standards and best reflect the theme. Winners will be announced on or about **May 1, 2019**.

All photographs and related intellectual property rights become the property of the San Bernardino Superior Court upon receipt and are not returned to the artist, his/her parents/legal guardians, instructor/teacher, school, state, or any other person(s) claiming a right, title, or other interest in the photograph. Photographs that have been used for any promotional purposes may not be submitted.

Submission Instructions:

Email photographs in JPEG format to: BLee@sb-court.org or

Mail photographs to:

San Bernardino Justice Center
c/o Brian Lee (11th floor)
247 West Third Street,
San Bernardino 92415

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Please complete and attach this form to the back of each poster in accordance with poster specifications noted in the contest rules.

PRINT CLEARLY

Student Name _____

Grade _____ Age _____

School _____

School Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Teacher's Name _____

Teacher's Email _____

Student's Home Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____