



IREDELL COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS

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2023 "I Voted" Sticker Design Contest

The Iredell County Board of Elections is excited to announce its first inaugural "I Voted" sticker design contest. Students can participate by creating an original design for "I Voted" stickers that will be given to voters during the 2024 Primary and General Elections.

Eligibility:

- All Iredell County, N.C. students in grades K-12 are eligible to enter.

Official Rules and Guidelines:

- The phrase "*I Voted*" must be included in the design.
- All entries must consist entirely of the student's original, non-copyright artwork and may not include photographs or trademarked images.
- All entries should be non-partisan and not reference any candidate, political party, or political issue.
- The Board of Elections reserves the right to disqualify any entry that is determined to contain inappropriate images or violates the contest rules.
- By entering the contest, the student is allowing the Board of Elections to use, reproduce, edit, or publish in any medium or media, their submission in whole or in part, for any non-commercial purpose in perpetuity.
- Artwork Guidelines:
 - The design should fit on a circular sticker two inches in diameter.
 - Artwork should be limited to 4 colors or less.
 - Designs may be created using crayons, paint, pencil, ink, other mixed media materials or digital drawing and art tools.
- Only one entry per student.

How to Enter:

- The contest will open on September 1, 2023, and will close on Friday, September 29, 2023 at 5:00 PM.
- Entries must be submitted on the "I Voted" Sticker Design Contest Entry Form and may be mailed or hand delivered to: Iredell County Board of Elections at 203 Stockton Street, Statesville NC 28677 or emailed to iredellstickercampaign@co.iredell.nc.us. Entry forms may be printed off our website or picked up during business hours at the election's office. By submitting your entry, you are affirming that your design is your original artwork and does not include any copyright images.

Winning Entry:

- Three top designs will be selected by the Iredell County Board of Election's staff from each grade category: K-5th, 6th-8th, and 9th-12th grade. One winning design will then be selected by the majority vote of the Iredell County Officials.
- The winner and finalists will be notified by phone and email using the contact information listed on the entry form.
- The winning design may be used as Iredell County's official "I Voted" sticker for the 2024 Election year.
- Except where prohibited by law, entry constitutes express permission to use any and all winners' names and design for promotional purposes.



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Parental Consent Form:

I, _____ (full name of student contestant) understand that by participating in the Iredell County I Voted Sticker Design Contest, my design becomes the property of the Iredell County Government for reproduction and use for any non-commercial purposes in perpetuity. In the event that my design wins, Iredell County shall have the exclusive and irrevocable right, free of charge, to use my design as a sticker distributed by the Board of Elections at voting sites, and to recognize me/my child as the winner of the contest in any Iredell County publications.

Design Requirements: Must be an original design to fit on a circular sticker. Incomplete, late, defective, partisan and/or offensive designs will be automatically disqualified. Entries must be submitted **no later than 5:00 PM, Friday, September 29, 2023**, as a JPG, PNG, or PDF to iredellstickercampaign@co.iredell.nc.us. In the alternative, entries may be submitted as hard copies to the Iredell County Board of Elections and must be received by mail or in person by 5:00 PM, Friday, September 29, 2023.

Contest Rules: Providing false information or failing to obtain parent/guardian consent on this form will disqualify a contestant. By submitting this entry, I hereby acknowledge that I will be enrolled in Iredell County (or home-school equivalent) in the county of Iredell, North Carolina for the 2023/2024 school year. The image I am submitting is entirely my own original design. I did not copy the design from the Internet or any other source. The design contains no copyright protected artwork or pictures. I further understand that my design may be edited or altered to meet the guidelines of the Iredell County I Voted Sticker Design Contest for mass-production. The Iredell County Board of Elections shall notify the finalists using the contact information listed on this contest entry form.

I, _____ (full name of parent/guardian of contestant) understand and consent to the above terms. In doing so, I hereby give _____ (student) permission to participate in the Iredell County I Voted Sticker Design Contest and Iredell County permission to use this applicant's name, sticker design, grade level and school information for publishing.

Signature of Student/Contestant _____ Date _____ Age: _____ School:
_____ Grade Level: _____

Phone number: _____

E-mail: _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____ Date _____

Address: _____

Phone number: _____

E-mail: _____



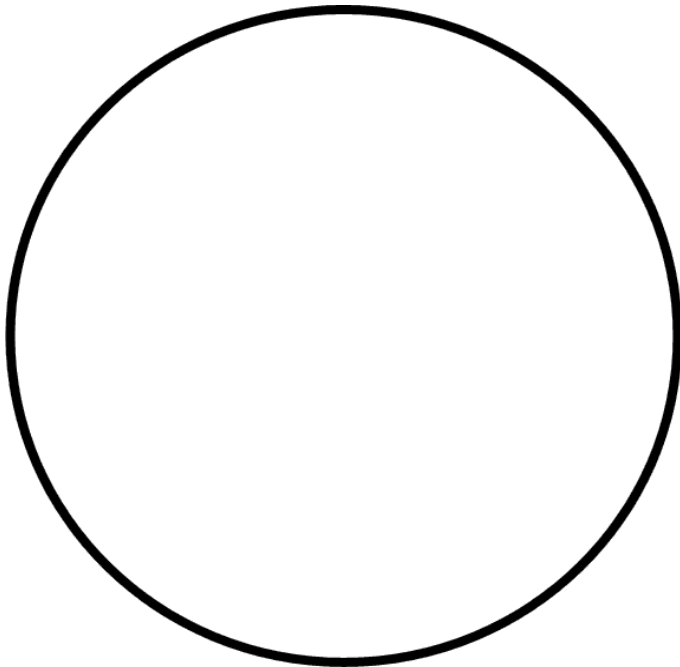
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2023 "I Voted" Sticker Design Contest Entry

Form



Draw your design inside the circle.

Name: _____

Grade: _____

School: _____

Email: _____

- Entries may be submitted as paper copies to Iredell County Board of Elections and must be received by mail or in person by September 29, 2023 by 5:00 PM to the address below or by email. Office hours are Monday-Friday, 8:00AM-5:00PM.

Mail/Hand deliver paper copy to: Iredell County Board of Elections
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- **Please submit the Parental Consent form along with this document.**