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Dear Friend,

Each spring, the Congressional Institute sponsors a nationwide high school art competition which recognizes student artists in each congressional district. I want to take this opportunity to encourage all interested students to participate in this competition, which is open to *all* students throughout the 9<sup>th</sup> Congressional District, grades 9-12. For this year's competition, I would like to see students' artwork represent some aspect of our 9<sup>th</sup> Congressional District. Students may want to incorporate a landmark, industry, a person, or even their school.

All submissions for the Congressional Art Competition are due in my District Office in Gainesville, Georgia no later than **5:00 PM, Friday, April 25<sup>th</sup>, 2025.**

The winning awards are displayed for one year at the U.S. Capitol, where they are put on display for thousands of visitors throughout that year. A second and third place winner will also be determined and will be given the option to have their artwork displayed in either my Washington, D.C. Office or my Gainesville District Office.

Please direct any comments, questions, or concerns about this opportunity to Mr. John Sledge in my Gainesville District Office by calling 470-768-6520, or by email at [john.sledge@mail.house.gov](mailto:john.sledge@mail.house.gov).

Last year's submissions were incredible, and I am looking forward to seeing the tremendous talent in the 9<sup>th</sup> Congressional District. I am grateful for the opportunity to host this event again, and I want to thank all of the many educators and students in advance for your valued time. Good luck to all participants!

Sincerely,



Andrew S. Clyde  
Member of Congress