

## **2021 - CHRISTMAS CARD DESIGN COMPETITION**

### **ENTRY GUIDELINES**

The Christmas Card Design Competition is open to all students in Catholic primary schools and secondary colleges in the Diocese of Sale.

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## Theme

This year the theme is based on the following scriptural quote:

“... they saw the child with Mary his mother;  
and they knelt down and paid him homage.  
Then, opening their treasure chests they offered him gifts  
of gold, frankincense, and myrrh”. (Mt 2:11)

- Only religious images are to be used, not images of Santa, Christmas trees or presents
- The Artwork must not be decorated with such things as leaves, cotton wool, sparkles etc.
- No words are to be written on the picture.

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## Artwork Conditions

- All artwork submitted must be the original work of the student. Group submissions will not be eligible for prizes.
- A maximum of one entry per student is permitted on the Entry Form provided.
- All entry forms must include the student's name, school, class and year level. Please specify which grade level for students in composite classes. Please also ensure that the handwriting can be easily read.
- A typed list of all entries is to accompany submission from each school.
- Entries become the property of this Office and may be used for publicity purposes. The artist will be acknowledged at all times. The *Best of Primary School* and *Best of Secondary College* entries will be featured on this year's Diocese of Sale Catholic Education Limited Secretariat Digital Christmas Cards.

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### **Awards**

- Successful entries in the following categories will receive awards. The entries will be judged by the Christmas Card Design Competition Committee and based on the entry's aesthetic appeal, creativity and relevance to the theme. The Christmas Card Design Competition Committee's decision is final.

### ***Best of Secondary Colleges***

- Students will receive a \$100 Spotlight Voucher for the purchase of art supplies. They will also receive a *Best of Secondary Schools' Award Certificate*.
- The school will receive a \$250 voucher for their school to purchase art supplies.
- The students' artwork will be used to create a digital Christmas card for Diocese of Sale Catholic Education Limited.
- The digital Christmas Card will also be sent to the student/school for their own use and/or publishing.
- The students' artwork will be published on the DOSCEL website.

### ***Top 10 across all Schools***

- Students will receive a *Top 10 Entry Award Certificate* and a set of 24 Coloured Pencils.
- The students' artwork will be published on the DOSCEL website.
- At the request of the students or school the artwork will be used to create a digital Christmas card which will be sent to the schools/students for their own use and/or for publishing.



### ***Best of each School***

- Students will receive a *Best of School Entry Award Certificate*.
- At the request of the students or school the artwork will be used to create a digital Christmas card which will be sent to the schools/students for their own use and/or for publishing.
- These will be judged by the Christmas Card Design Competition Committee based on their aesthetic appeal, creativity and relevance to the theme. The judges' decision is final.

**Please save your images using the example below using your name, class and year level:**

**Student Name\_StPetersCollege\_Art\_Yr12**

**Students must submit their teachers by 4:00 pm on Thursday 21st October**