



**2012** Art  
Calendar

**Our Water, Our Future**

Presented by Fulton County Public Works Department

Christine Jeong ★ "The Shower of Water" ★ 4th Grade, Wilson Creek Elementary School

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The Fulton County Department of Public Works would like to thank each student who participated in our “First Art Calendar Contest”. We take pride in preserving and protecting our water resources, as it is essential to our quality of life. With the students art work we’ve been able to capture a snapshot of how they view the importance of water today. The protection and conservation of Fulton County’s water resources for future generations can only occur through comprehensive stewardship practices and public education awareness and outreach. Most people don’t realize that many of the things they do every day in and around their homes contribute to the degradation of our water resources. When people know, understand, and change how they do things, water conservation and water quality issues can be solved.

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Water Services Division



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# Honorable Mentions



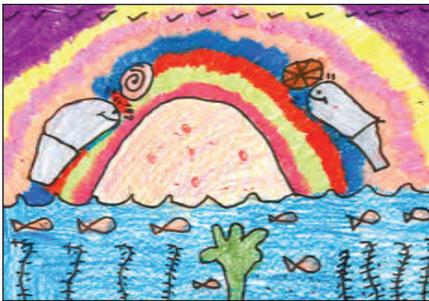
Ebony Morris

★ 2nd Grade, Campbell Elementary ★



Katherine Wu

★ 4th Grade, Wilson Creek Elementary ★



Lasya Sarraff

★ 2nd Grade, Wilson Creek Elementary ★



Nina Zhao

★ 3rd Grade, Wilson Creek Elementary ★



Kelly Jeong ★ "Water in the glass"

★ 1st Grade, Wilson Creek Elementary ★



Samantha Izzi

★ 4th Grade, Wilson Creek Elementary ★

Please join us in exercising proper stewardship over our water resources by incorporating the following actions into your daily lives.

## Water Conservation Tips

- Check toilets for leaks...they can be silent, but costly. From time to time place a dye tablet in the tank. After 30 minutes, if you see color in the bowl, you have a leak. A leaking toilet can waste 200 gallons of water a day.
- Turn off the water while brushing your teeth and shaving.
- Install a water-efficient, 1.28 gallons-per-flush toilet, which will reduce your water bill significantly.
- Install a low flow showerhead.
- Install a rain barrel to collect rain water and use to water lawns and gardens.
- Install a rain sensor on new and existing irrigation systems.
- Check and adjust sprinklers so you don't water the house, side walk, or street.

## Water Quality Tips

- Throw litter in its place. Never dump anything on the street, down a storm drain or in a drainage ditch.
- Compost grass clippings and leaves or bag them for curbside collection.
- Use fertilizers and pesticides sparingly. Do not apply on paved areas.
- Scoop up after your pet. Bag it and throw it away in the trash.
- Check your vehicles for leaks and repair them. Any drips or spills on the ground can be carried away by rainwater to a storm drain and into a nearby river, lake or stream.



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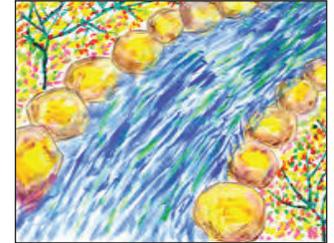
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