



Durham Soil & Water Conservation District 2018-2019 Conservation Creativity Slide Show Contest: **The Living Soil**

Contests & Grade Eligibilities:

- Slide Show: 6th grade
There will be a 1st and 2nd place award given in Durham County:
- 1st place - \$50 and entered in regional competition
 - 2nd place - \$25

Educators who have a 1st place winning student in any category will receive \$30 to use towards school supplies**

***Parents, Scout Leaders, Children/Youth Leaders and other Educators are eligible for the \$30*

Show off your creativity by participating in the 2018-2019 Durham Soil & Water Conservation District's Conservation Creativity Contests!

Theme:

The Living Soil



This is an opportunity for the student to do independent study on a science topics and help meet NC DPI Essential Standards and Common Core Standards in the classroom.

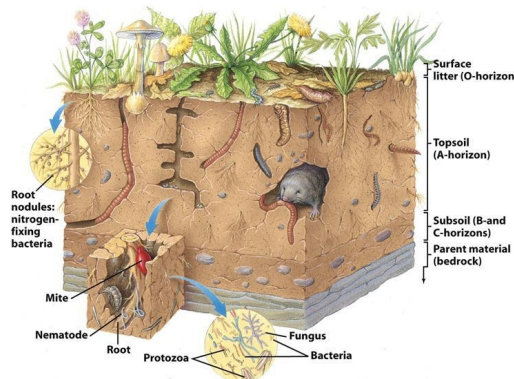
DEADLINE : All contest entries are due to the Durham SWCD office by 5pm - February 8, 2019

Please call or email for complete rules and registrations for each contest:
919-560-0558 or Imarochak@dconc.gov

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Theme - The Living Soil

All entries should reflect the theme's content and be a representation of what the student feels best exemplifies this topic. Students are encouraged to be original in their design. The judges will be looking for the entries that best teaches the message to an audience while at the same time being original and creative.

Official Rules - Computer Slide Show, 6th grade

1. Max amount of slides allowed = **15 slides** of content. Fewer slides are allowed.
2. No identifying information (names, school info, etc..) should be located in the body of the slide show in order to insure impartiality in judging
3. The slide immediately following the slide show (*slide number 16 if 15 slides are used*) should be blank. The slide immediately following the blank slide (*slide number 17 if 15 slides are used*) should contain identifying information (detailed below). For example, the correct order for the slide show should be:
 - Slide Show (up to 15 slides)**
 - Blank Slide (#16)**
 - Identifying Information Slide (#17)**
3. Slide shows must be created using Microsoft PowerPoint software. Files shall be saved so that they are compatible with PowerPoint 2003 (ppt file). (Do not save as a pptx file.)
4. The use of audio (sound) is allowed.
5. The use of slide animation is allowed.
6. The use of video is prohibited. Slide shows using video will be disqualified.
7. Slide shows shall not exceed a maximum of 5 minutes in length.
8. The slide shows shall be submitted electronically to **lmarochak@dconc.gov** by the February 8, 2019 deadline
9. All slide shows will be judged electronically.
10. Slide shows must be the **original work** of the student. Students should be made aware of **copyright protection**.
11. Entries must be the work of **individual** student, no team entries are allowed.

Identification Information (to be included on the LAST slide)

Slide Shows must be identified by containing the following information on the last slide of the entry:

Student's Name: _____ Grade: 6
Slide Show Title: _____
Slide Show File Name: _____
Educator's Name: _____
Educator's Email: _____ ***Required**
School: _____
County: DURHAM District: DURHAM