CALIFORNIA COASTAL ART & POETRY CONTEST ENTRY FORM – Mail-In

Student Name:	Age:	Grade:
Title of Art or Poetry:	Is it Art:	or Poetry:
School/Organization:	Teacher Name:	
School Address:	City:	Zip:
School Phone:	Teacher Email:	
Parent/Guardian Name:	Home Email:	
Home Address:	City:	Zip:
Home Phone:	Medium, if art (for example, watercolor):	

By signing this, I grant to the California Coastal Commission (CCC) the non-exclusive right and permission to use, publish, reproduce, and display the original writing or artwork that I have submitted to the CCC, in any and all media; and to include the artist or writer's name and grade level to identify the work. I hereby release and discharge the CCC from any and all claims and demands arising out of or in connection with the use of the original artwork or writing. In any of the winning categories, the CCC maintains the exclusive right to declare no winner and withhold prizes. The CCC assumes no responsibility for lost or damaged poetry or artwork. The CCC may sell, assign, license, or otherwise transfer all rights granted to it by this agreement.

_____, being the **parent or guardian** of the above-named minor, l, _____ consent to and join in this agreement and consent on behalf of said minor. If, I the student, am at least 18 years old, I consent on my own behalf.

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

If my child is a winner or honorable mention in this contest, I consent to have their city publicized along with name and grade level: Yes____ No____

Pledge of Originality:

The poem or artwork I am submitting to the Coastal Art and Poetry Contest is my own original work. If my poem is a reference to an existing poem, I have named the poem and poet on my entry. I did not trace other artwork or photography, or digitally alter an existing photo or image that was created by someone else. My art is not AI-generated. If I used an image created by someone else (a photo of an animal, for example) as a model for an art entry, my artwork is significantly different to avoid plagiarism. No hands other than my own were involved in the creation of the artwork.

Student Signature:

Mail to: CONTEST, California Coastal Commission, 455 Market Street, Suite 228, San Francisco, CA 94105

Poems should be printed on the back of Entry Form or stapled to the Entry Form. Attach completed Entry Form and a short Artist's Statement about the inspiration for artwork to the back of each piece of artwork with glue or tape. Please do not fold art or use paperclips or staples.

Mailed entries must **arrive** at the Coastal Commission no later than February 1st. Entries will not be returned.