



Children's Art Contest *Twiglet's First Birthday*

Contest details and regulations



Read the attached storyboard of *Twiglet's First Birthday* to a child and ask them to illustrate one of the outlined sections. Each child may choose to submit only one artwork for a specific section, or one artwork for each of the three sections (resulting in a total of 3 artworks).

The artwork can be a drawing, a painting or any other kind of art that could be reproduced and printed in a book. The artwork must be the entrant's original hand-drawn creation, with the exception of children with special needs who may have assistance from a parent or a teacher.

The original artwork must be submitted on letter size paper (8½ x 11). Coloured pencils, crayons, water color, markers, pastels and cut-out coloured paper are acceptable. Reproductions and photocopies will not be accepted. The child's name should be neatly printed on the back side (not front) of the artwork in case the entry form and art become separated. Please note that the artwork will not be returned to you and will become the property of the contest organizers.

Children of a same family may enter the contest, but each entrant must fill a specific application form. Applications and artworks from a same family may be sent together, but please be specific when identifying the child's name for each artwork.

To be eligible to enter the Natasha's Wood Military Family Children's Art Contest, the applicant must be the child of an active Canadian Forces member (Regular or Reserve), aged kindergarten to grade 2.

Applications and artworks must be sent together. They must be mailed or dropped off at the MFRC-NCR (main reception) before November 10, 2011. Any application received after the deadline will not be eligible.

Prize: Winning artworks will be selected and published in a Fay Maddison's first children's reader *Twiglet's First Birthday*. The winners will be contacted by Mrs. Maddison.

The names and age of each winner will be published in subsequent promotional material. The name of the CF member is asked for internal documentation only; it will not be made public. Permission to take and publish the photos of the winners will be solicited separately by the contest organizers.

For more detailed information and the application form, go to www.natashaswoodfoundation.com or send an email to Julie.fotheringham@hageman.ca.

Mail your artwork and application form to:

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