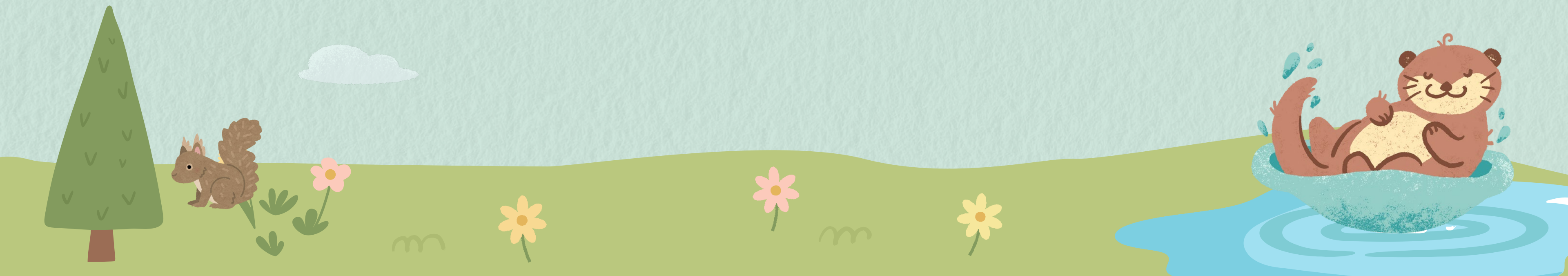


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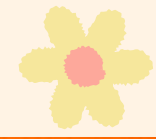




# Kindergarten







3rd Place



**“Alachua County Wetlands”**

Kameron Wright • Kindergarten • Healthy Learning Academy



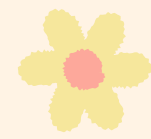
# 2nd Place & Calendar Selection



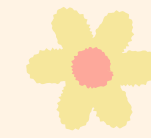
**“Untitled”**

Liam Young • Kindergarten • First Christian Academy





1st Place



## **“The Frog is So Cute”**

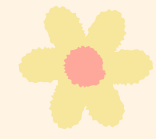
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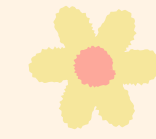
# 1st Grade







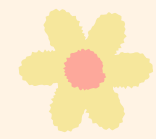
3rd Place



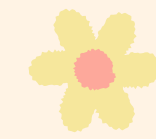
**“Rainbow Frog”**

Presley Yates • 1st Grade • First Christian Academy





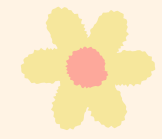
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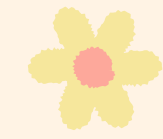
**“Red-Winged Blackbird”**

Emelia Clemens • 1st Grade • Laniakea Montessori School





1st Place



**“Egret”**

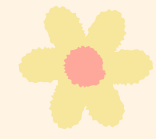
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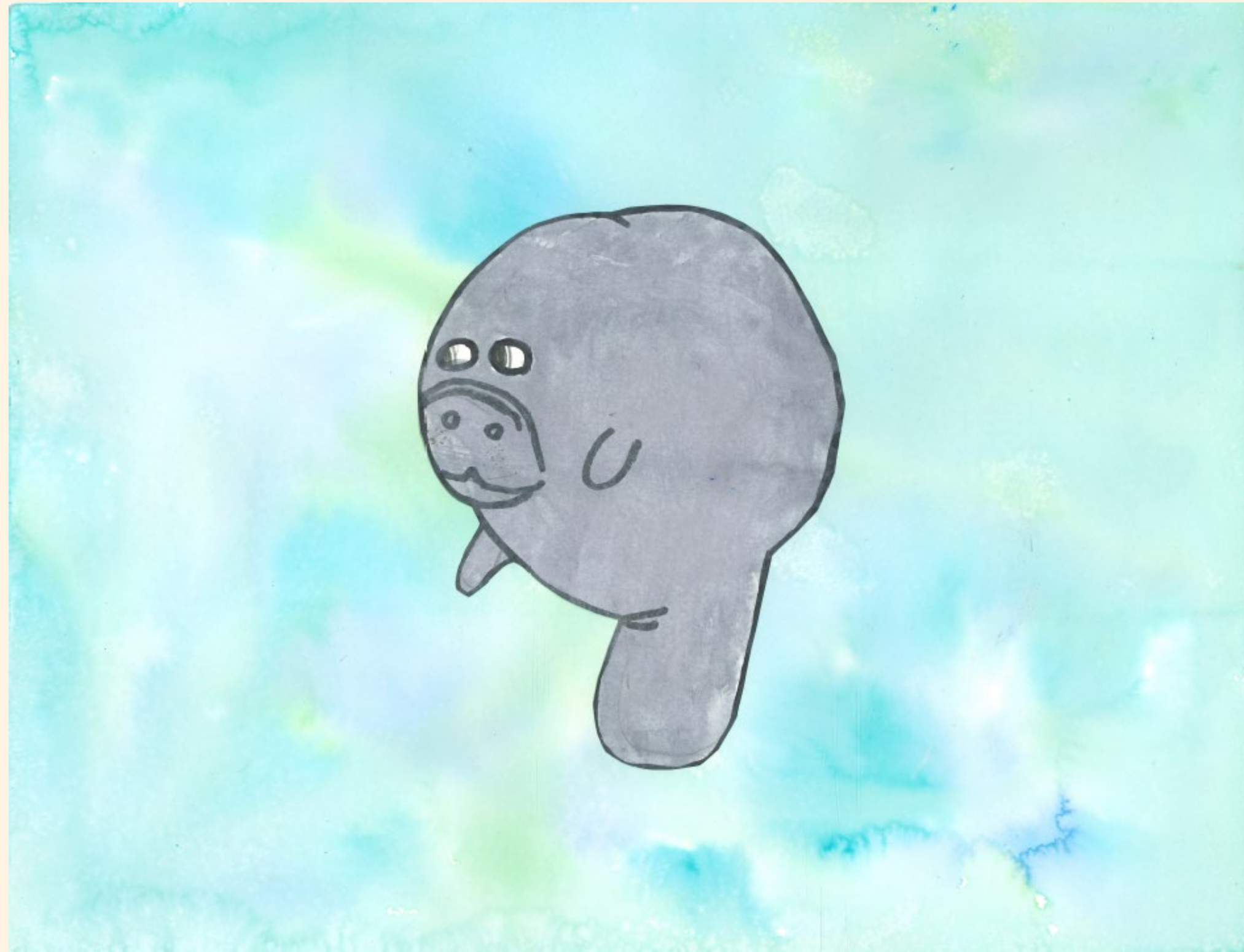
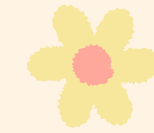
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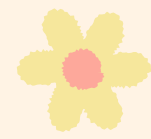
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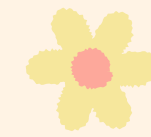
**“The Manatee”**

Kate Logan • 2nd Grade • First Christian Academy





2nd Place



## **“Alachua County Wetlands”**

Claire Alexander • 2nd Grade • Healthy Learning Academy



# 1st Place & Calendar Selection



## **“Tired of Fishing for Trash”**

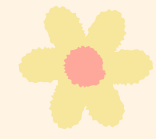
Bligh Komanski • 2nd Grade • The Rock School



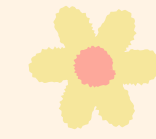
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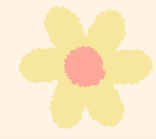
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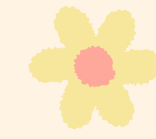
## **“Eye to Eye”**

Kegan McMullen • 3rd Grade • Micanopy Area Cooperative School





2nd Place



**“A River in the Sunset”**

Braxton Brown • 3rd Grade • Williams Elementary



# ✿ 1st Place & Calendar Selection ✿



**“The Divided Earth: A Future in Our Hands”**

Victoria Xu • 3rd Grade • Frazer School



# 4th Grade





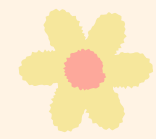
# Calendar Selection



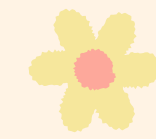
## **“See From Their View”**

Karlyn Snyder • 4th Grade • Expressions Learning Arts Academy





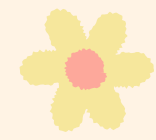
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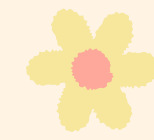
## **“The Changing Canvas”**

Abigail Tan • 4th Grade • P.K. Yonge





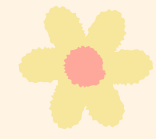
2nd Place



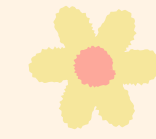
**“Please Don’t Throw Away Toxic Waste”**

Skylar Wiles-Distasio • 4th Grade • Expressions Learning Arts Academy





1st Place



**“Raccoon, Pig Frog, Golden Topminnow & Box Turtle”**

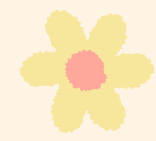
Coral Bitter • 4th Grade • Laniakea Montessori School



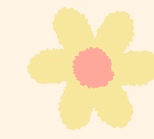
# 5th Grade







3rd Place

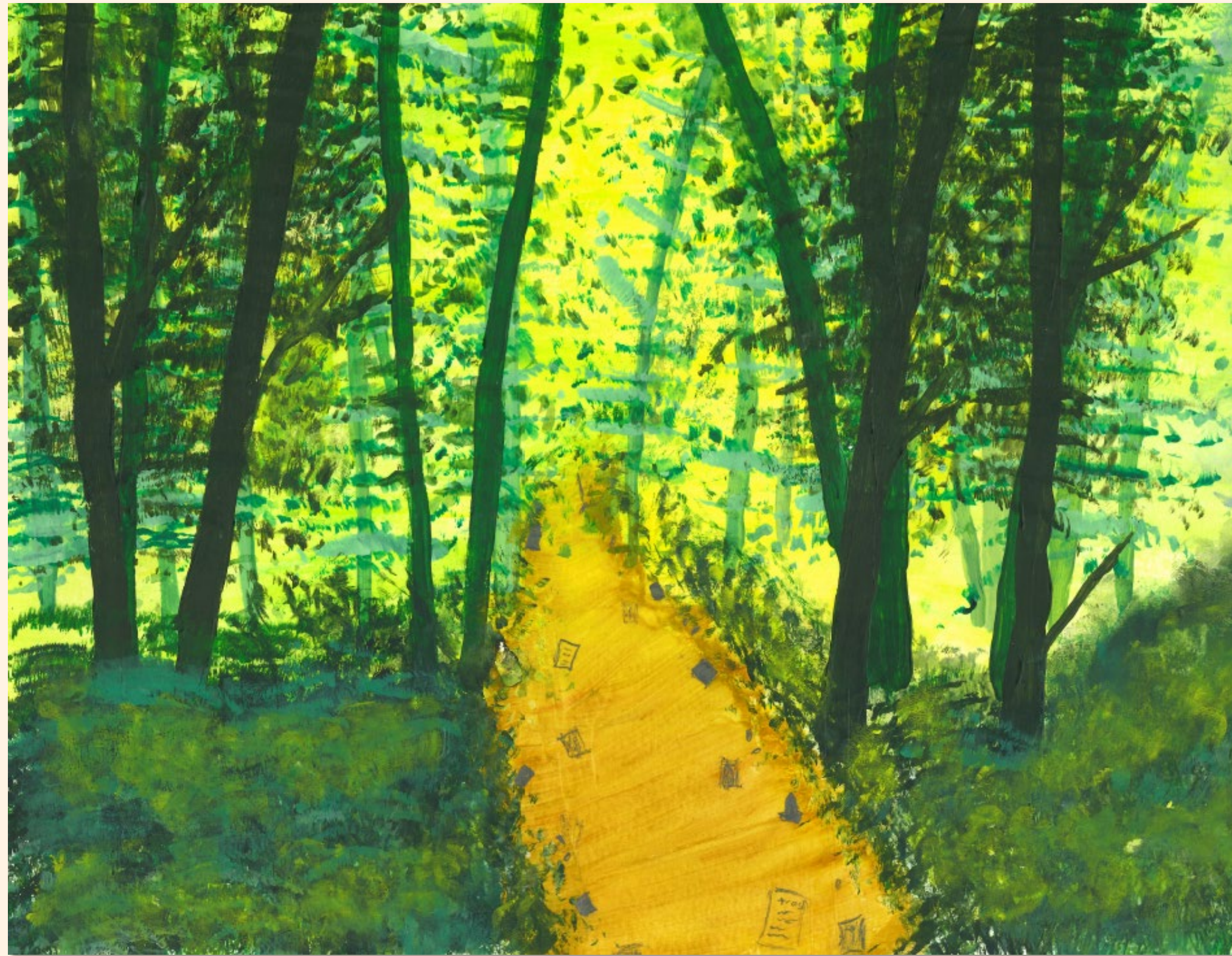


### **“Cypress Swamp in Evening”**

Daniela Dodds • 5th Grade • Constellation Charter School



## 2nd Place & Calendar Selection



**“Our Future Right Now”**

Diana Salimova • 5th Grade • Bhaktivedanta Academy



# 1st Place & Calendar Selection



**“Tri-Colored Heron with Kingfisher”**

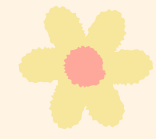
Shyla Brunson • 5th Grade • Sunflower Homeschool



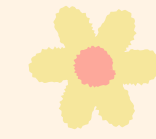
# 6th Grade







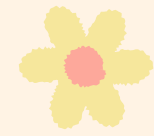
3rd Place



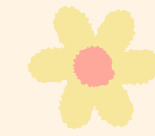
## **“Preserve the Prairie”**

Ally Mitchell • 6th Grade • The Community Classroom





2nd Place



**“Green Heron”**

Sophia Williams • 6th Grade • Oak Hall



# 1st Place & Calendar Selection



**“River Otter, Heron, Pirate Perch & Round-Tailed Muskrat”**

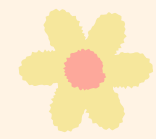
Pepper Durant • 6th Grade • Laniakea Montessori School



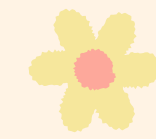


7th Grade





3rd Place



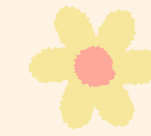
**“Florida Panther”**

Vivienne West • 7th Grade • Oak Hall





2nd Place

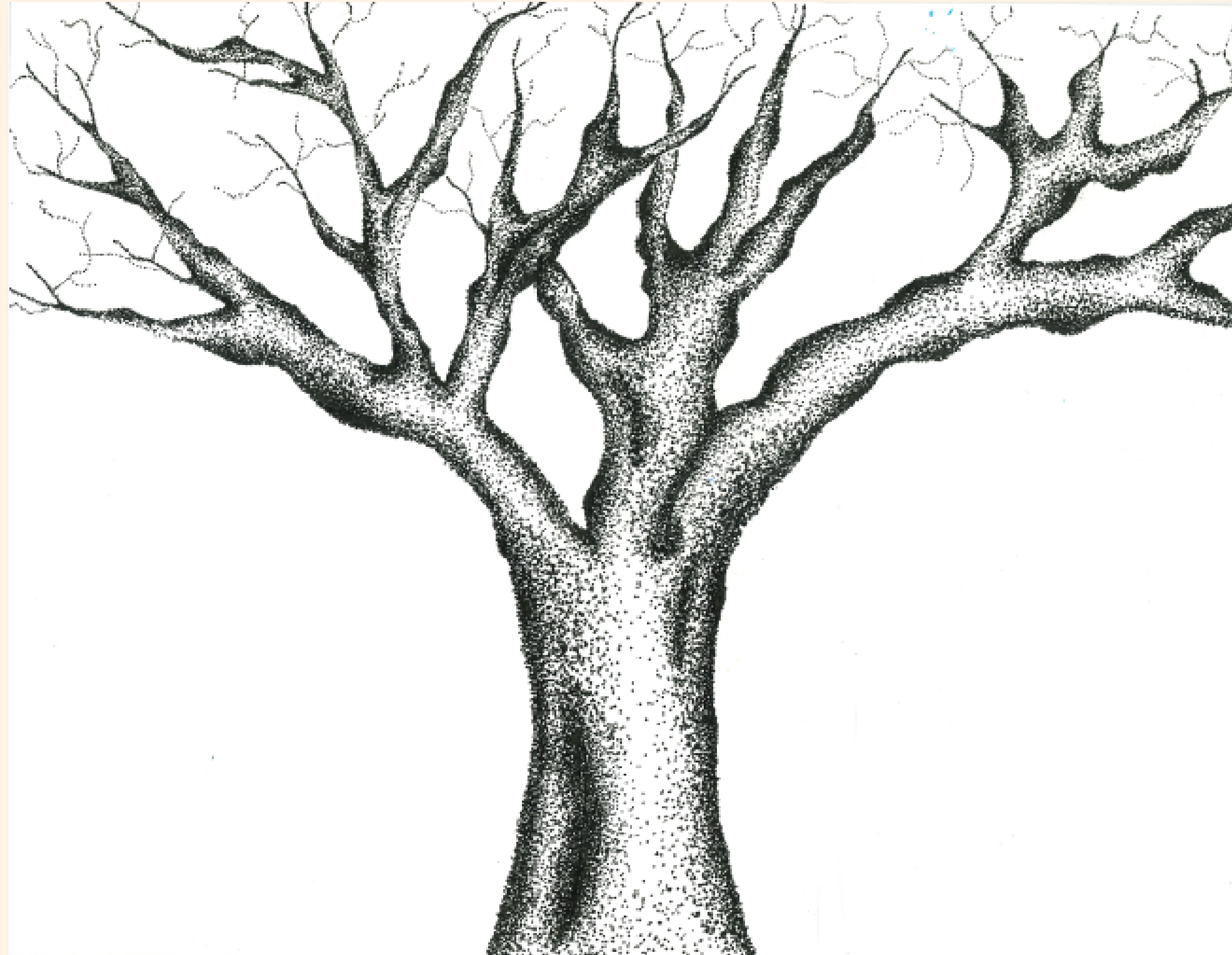


**“Bison on the Prairie”**

Ansley Jett • 7th Grade • High Springs Community School



1st Place



**“My Love Like”**

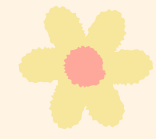
Hannah Baun • 7th Grade • First Christian Academy



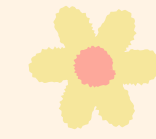


8th Grade





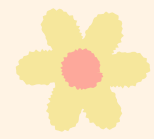
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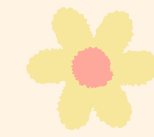
**“Before Doom”**

Amaia Ramirez Krueger • 8th Grade • P.K. Yonge





2nd Place



## **“Nurture Nature”**

Makayla Bryan • 8th Grade • First Christian Academy



# 1st Place & Calendar Selection



**“Florida Burrowing Owl”**

Ginevra Serafin • 8th Grade • P.K. Yonge



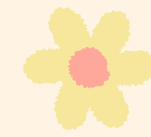
A vibrant, stylized illustration of a meadow. In the center, the text "9th Grade" is written in a teal, rounded font. The background is a light beige field under a pale blue sky with three white, fluffy clouds. On the left, a tree with a brown trunk and olive-green foliage is partially visible. On the right, another tree with a brown trunk and olive-green foliage is partially visible. In the foreground, there is a patch of green grass. To the left of the grass, there are three flowers: a large brown one with a yellow center, a medium red one with a yellow center, and a small purple one with a yellow center. To the right of the grass, there is a small blue flower with a yellow center. On the far right, a small brown deer with a white belly and pink inner ears stands facing forward. The overall style is flat and modern with soft colors.

9th Grade





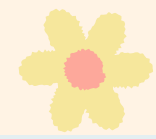
3rd Place



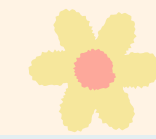
**“Wilderness and Harmony”**

Kira Uriasieva • 9<sup>th</sup> Grade • Eastside High School





2nd Place



**“Gaze by the Lake”**

Xiaoting Zeng • 9<sup>th</sup> Grade • Eastside High School



# 1st Place & Calendar Selection



**“Moorhen Family”**

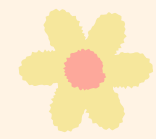
Sammie Bruner • 9<sup>th</sup> Grade • Oak Hall



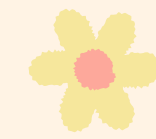
# 10<sup>th</sup> Grade







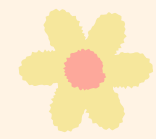
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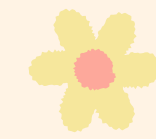
**“Happy Lives in the Springs”**

Katie Burklew • 10<sup>th</sup> Grade • First Christian Academy





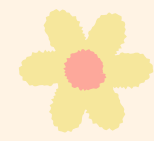
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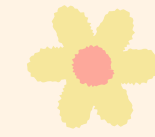
**"Birds in Sunlight"**

Jessica Wu • 10<sup>th</sup> Grade • Frazer School





1st Place



## **“False Rebirth”**

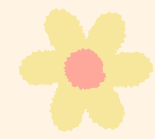
Samson Shulman • 10<sup>th</sup> Grade • Eastside High School



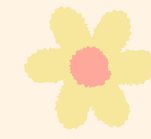


11th Grade





3rd Place (tied)



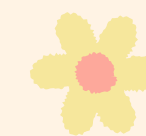
**“The Lazy Boat’s Stride”**

Iyabo Olamina • 11<sup>th</sup> Grade • Eastside High School





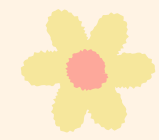
# 3rd Place (tied) & Calendar Selection



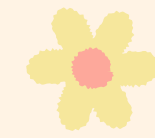
## **“The Deer’s Haven”**

Angelica Francisco-Jimenez • 11<sup>th</sup> Grade • Eastside High School





2nd Place



## **“Bat Houses”**

Evelyn Manley • 11<sup>th</sup> Grade • Eastside High School



# 1st Place & Calendar Selection



**“Florida Bluegill”**

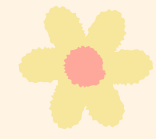
Harper Bullock • 11<sup>th</sup> Grade • Gainesville High School



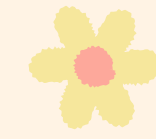


12th Grade





3rd Place



**“Kumbayaaaahhhhhh!”**

Cecilia Duda • 12<sup>th</sup> Grade • Eastside High School



# 2nd Place & Calendar Selection



## **“Helping Hand”**

Jaden Alfonzo • 12<sup>th</sup> Grade • First Christian Academy



# 1st Place & Calendar Selection



**“Love Bugs”**

Sina Etemadi • 12th Grade • Eastside High School



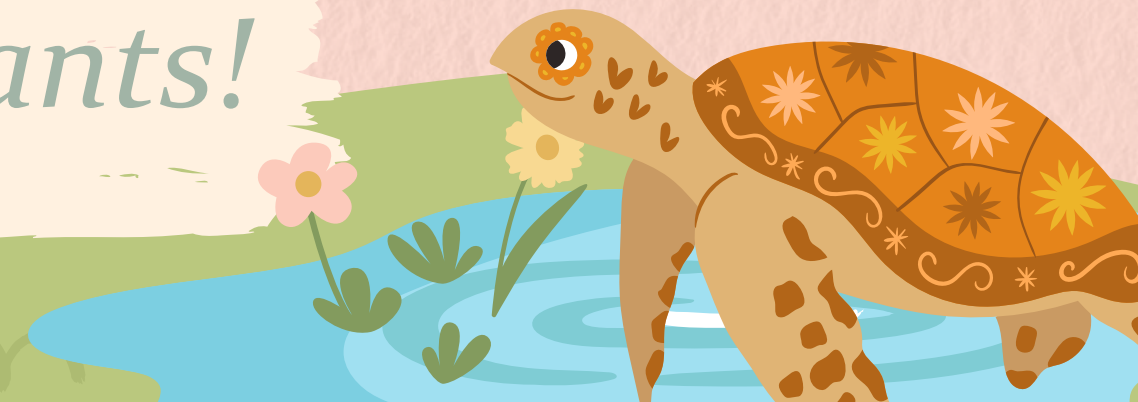
# Schools

- Archer Elementary School
- Bhaktivedanta Academy
- Brentwood Elementary School
- The Community Classroom
- Constellation Charter School
- Eastside High School
- Expressions Learning Arts Academy
- First Christian Academy
- The Frazer School
- Gainesville Christian Community School
- Gainesville High School
- Hawthorne Middle High School
- Healthy Learning Academy
- Hidden Oak Elementary
- High Springs Community School
- Homeschool
- Jordan Glen
- Laniakea Montessori School
- Micanopy Area Cooperative School
- Oak Hall
- Oakview Middle School
- P.K. Yonge Developmental Research School
- Premier Preschool
- The Rock School
- Sunflower Homeschool
- Talbot Elementary
- Trilogy School
- Westwood Middle School
- Williams Elementary

# Teachers

- Gigi Buigas
- Elsa Chiu
- Ana Hermida Cornelia
- Christa DeLoach
- Chelsee Florence
- Donna Foust
- Nicholas French
- Amy Grossman
- Neal Haines
- James Heaney
- Luann Howard
- Blaskowski
- Katje Janisch
- Audrey Jones
- Branislava Lakie
- Jasmine Laska
- Sadie Matteucci
- Elyse Moser
- Elizabeth Murphy
- Meia Pare
- Mandy St. Peter
- May Steward
- Sara Teasley
- Jenna Wolcott
- Emily Zawoy

*and all other participants!*







Thank You!

