

# 'Express Your Environmental Self' Earth Day Creative Challenge

## Grades 4-6

**First Place: Alfred Harrison, Sixth Grade, Porter Elementary**

I am a covid mask

I wonder how long I will stay in this ditch

I hear the kids talk as they walk by

I see people giving me more friends in this ditch

I want to be picked up and thrown away

I am a covid mask

I pretend to be in the trash with my family

I feel sad and alone

I touch the leaves as they lay under me

I worry about being blown away by the wind

I cry because I miss my family

I am a covid mask

I understand that I will always be here

I say nothing

I dream about being free

I try to be happy

I hope to be free

I am a covid mask

Second Place: Alexandra Epps, Fifth Grade, Red Mountain Ranch Elementary



Third Place: Mary Callan, Fifth Grade, Nathan Hale Elementary

