1990 ASCD PHOTO CONTEST

Your pictures can tell a thousand words about what's happening in our schools, and you may win some money in the bargain!

Once again, ASCD is sponsoring its annual photo contest, and we invite you to submit photographs of all aspects of school life. These may include traditional settings, nontraditional settings, realistic and imaginative portrayals. As always, photos of adults are especially welcome. You may have other ideas, but here are some suggestions for photo content: civic involvement, community service, environmental education, global education, teacher empowerment, "real-world" skills, interdisciplinary teaching.

There is only one prize category this year: the single photo. Prize amounts are as follows:

1st prize: $500.00
2nd prize: $400.00
3rd prize: $300.00
4th prize: $200.00
5th prize: $100.00

Here's an example of a prize-winning photograph from our 1989 Photo Contest. This lively, natural playground shot won 2nd place in the single photo category for Glen Vogenitz of Uniontown, Ohio.

Contest Rules:
1. Photos must be black and white, 5" x 7" or 8" x 10". (Sorry, we can't use color.) They should be of high quality, with clarity and contrast and considerable dramatic quality. Close-ups are much more useful than panoramic shots or large-group photos.
2. The back of each photo must show the photographer's name, address, daytime telephone number, and social security number, plus a brief description of what the photo depicts, including school name and location.
3. Contestants must submit a signed entry letter stating that they have obtained permission for possible publication from persons portrayed in the photos.
4. All entries will become the property of ASCD and will not be returned. By entering, contestants grant ASCD nonexclusive rights to use their photographs in any ASCD publication.
5. Entries should be sent to Photo Contest, Jennifer Beun, ASCD, 1250 N. Pitt St., Alexandria, VA 22314-1403. More than one entry from the same person may be submitted in the same envelope. Please package to avoid damage to photos.

Deadline for entries is January 31, 1991.

ASCD reserves the rights (1) not to award a prize if none of the entries is deemed worthy and (2) to disqualify entries if they are not submitted according to the above guidelines.
Join the Arts in Education Network, which promotes arts education, especially by demonstrating its link with other subject areas. For information, contact:
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At a recent meeting of ASCD's Global Education Commission in Alexandria, Virginia, Executive Director Gordon Cawelti presented a model for helping elementary students develop an international perspective on events and issues. Operating under a grant from the Longview Foundation, ASCD will spend this year refining the elements of this model. Global education is one of the focus areas of ASCD's 1990-1995 Strategic Plan.

The following is a list of ASCD's upcoming events:

Upcoming Annual Conferences
1991, San Francisco, March 16-19
1992, New Orleans, April 6-8
1993, Washington, D.C., March 27-30

Upcoming Mini-Conferences
November 14-16, 1990, Building a Coalition of Support for At-Risk Youth, Chicago, Illinois
December 6-8, 1990, Redesigning Assessment, Washington, D.C.
January 30-February 1, 1991, Implementing the Exemplary Middle School, Cincinnati, Ohio

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