Ventura County is growing in many ways. How do you think our public transit system will help connect and grow our community in the next 40 years? (Less traffic, cleaner air, active transportation, green technology/jobs, connected community.)

To commemorate the opening of Gold Coast Transit District’s new Transit Operations and Maintenance Facility at 1901 Auto Center Drive (Oxnard, CA) we are inviting Middle School, High School and College Students within GCTD’s service area to create an artistic poster depicting the ways that our new facility and public transit system will help build our community in the future.

**DEADLINE FOR ENTRIES - JUNE 7, 2019 - 5 PM**

See reverse for rules and submission details.

**AWARD CATEGORIES**
- Middle School (6th – 8th)
- High School (9th – 12th)
- College or University

**PRIZES**
One Winner in each category will win a $50 Amazon Gift Card and a 31-Day bus pass.

Winning posters will be displayed at our new facility / may be reprinted / used in bus book / or displayed in bus.
ART CONTEST RULES  DEADLINE FOR ENTRIES JUNE 7, 2019 – 5PM

1. Artwork must be 11” x 17” in size and drawn on WHITE poster board or WHITE drawing paper (Oversize Artwork WILL NOT be accepted).

2. Artwork must have AT LEAST a (1/2”) one-half inch white or blank border on all four sides. (A framing requirement.)

3. Posters MUST be drawn HORIZONTALLY. Vertical artwork WILL NOT be accepted.

4. Artists are encouraged to be creative in interpreting the theme “PUBLIC TRANSIT BUILDS COMMUNITY”

5. A “short” positive message MAY be written on the artwork, but is NOT required. The less words the better. If used, words MUST be spelled correctly.

6. Art media: Use one or more of the following materials: pencils, watercolor, paints, markers, ink, pastel, chalk, charcoal. BOLD, BRILLIANT & BRIGHT art is preferred!

7. ARTWORK MUST BE ORIGINAL. NO traced, trademarked or copyrighted characters such as Disney, Superheroes, Cartoons etc. No “copycat” ideas of artwork from other posters or artists. Artwork MUST be truly the work of the student and represent the age, grade and skill of the student.

8. Do not sign front of artwork. Each art poster MUST have the following TYPED/PRINTED on an 8 ½ x 11 white piece of paper. The sheet should be TAPED on the back center of the poster. Please make sure names are spelled correctly.

   1. Artist NAME
   2. Artist GRADE LEVEL
   3. SCHOOL NAME
   4. CITY WHERE STUDENT LIVES
   5. STUDENT EMAIL
   6. STUDENT PHONE
   7. TEACHER NAME (if under age 18)
   8. TEACHER EMAIL (if under age 18)
   9. PARENT NAME (if under age 18)
   10. PARENT PHONE # (if under age 18)

BRING ENTRIES OR MAIL TO
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All Art submitted will become the property of Gold Coast Transit District.