



25525 Katy Mills Parkway
P.O. Box 676
Katy, Texas 77492
281.391.2149 phone
281.391.3181 fax
www.bvscu.org

Brazos Valley Schools Credit Union
Classroom Decorating Contest
Official Rules

1. The Brazos Valley Schools Credit Union ("BVSCU") Classroom Decorating Contest period is from May 1 – June 30, 2019.
2. Contest is open to educators in grades K-12 who will be actively teaching in an accredited public or private school classroom during the 2019-20 school year. Applicant must be a legal resident of the United States (including Alaska and Hawaii) and at least 18 years of age.
3. All entries must include the 1) Contest Application; 2) "Before" photos of classroom; and 3) Signed Publicity Waiver in order to be considered. Entries that are missing one or more of these items as of June 30, 2019 will not be considered.
4. All entries become the property of the credit union, will not be returned, and are subject to verification. Limit one entry per teacher. Applicants must sign a waiver allowing BVSCU to use photos of applicant and room. Waiver must be submitted along with the contest entry.
5. Entries will be judged according to expression of need, creativity and thoroughness of essay, feasibility of proposal and benefit of students. In the event of a tie, the entry that shows the greatest need will be awarded the prize.
6. Winners must agree to a follow-up visit from a BVSCU representative to take photos of the classroom after the makeover has been completed.
7. Winners consent to the use of their name and likeness for publicity purposes without further compensation, unless prohibited by law.
8. All entrants agree to release and hold harmless BVSCU and their employees, agents, representatives and affiliated companies from all claims of any kind arising directly or indirectly from participation in the Classroom Decorating Contest. BVSCU is not responsible for any injuries that may occur during the Contest.
9. Winners will be required to sign an affidavit of eligibility and a publicity release. Failure to comply may result in forfeiture of the prize and the awarding of the prize to another individual.
10. Six (6) winners will be chosen from the pool of applicants based on the quality of their entry to receive \$500 each to be used to make improvements in their classroom.
11. All decisions of BVSCU in applying these contest rules will be final.
12. BVSCU is not responsible for lost entries, misdirected entries, undelivered or late entries, computer or internet problems, hacking, virus, technical or other issues beyond the reasonable control of BVSCU.
13. No purchase is necessary to enter this contest. Void where prohibited by law.
14. Winners will be notified by email, mail or by telephone during the week of July 22, 2019. The number of qualified entries will determine the odds of winning. If the winner cannot be contacted or does not respond within five (5) days, the winner will be disqualified and a substitute winner will be selected from the remaining entries.
15. Winners will be solely responsible for any tax obligations that arise as a result of receiving one of the cash prizes.



25525 Katy Mills Parkway
P.O. Box 676
Katy, Texas 77492
281.391.2149 phone
281.391.3181 fax
www.bvscu.org

16. Winners who want their names removed from any further promotional mailings can send a request in writing to Brazos Valley Schools Credit Union, Attn: Marketing Department, PO Box 676, Katy, TX 77492.



25525 Katy Mills Parkway
P.O. Box 676
Katy, Texas 77492
281.391.2149 phone
281.391.3181 fax
www.bvscu.org

BVSCU Classroom Decorating Contest Application

Applicant Name _____ Grade _____
Applicant Email _____ Phone _____
School _____ District _____
Principal's Name _____ Principal's Email _____
School Address _____
City/State/Zip _____
Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

Submit this application, a current or “before” photo of your classroom and the waiver to contests@bvscu.org by June 30, 2019.

How will \$500 to decorate your classroom best help your students in the coming school year? (Use the back of the page or a separate piece of paper if necessary, but please limit your essay to 500 words or less.) _____

Please visit bvscu.org/contestrules for official rules and information.



25525 Katy Mills Parkway
P.O. Box 676
Katy, Texas 77492
281.391.2149 phone
281.391.3181 fax
www.bvscu.org

I hereby grant the Brazos Valley Schools Credit Union, and its agents and assignees my full consent and authorization to use, publish, and display my name, voice, and photograph, or other likeness for advertising or other related purposes, in any media without additional consideration.

Signed: _____

Print Name: _____ Date: _____