



# Youth Visions & Voices of the Outdoors

## South Dakota State Parks Art Contest

South Dakota state parks have been places where memories are made - camping under the stars, hiking scenic trails, fishing with family, and sharing stories around the campfire.

To help us celebrate the SD Parks & Wildlife Foundation's 40th anniversary, students are invited to create an original work of art that illustrates a memorable experience they've had in a South Dakota state park (or one they hope to have someday). Artwork could depict natural and beautiful landscapes, a special family memory or scene, wildlife in their natural habitat, or all of the above.

### AWARDS

#### Overall Winner Receives:

Outdoor Gear Package  
from Scheels and  
\$100 Go Outdoors SD Gift Card

#### Plus...

All Teachers & Finalists get  
State Park Passes & More!

### IMPORTANT DATES

Entry Deadline: **EXTENDED to**  
3/26/26  
for **Emailed Submissions**

Finalists Announced: 4/17/26

Showcase & Awards Ceremony: 5/8/26

### WHO CAN ENTER?

South Dakota Students

Grades 9-12



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