



Doodle for
Google



Dear Educator,

We are happy to announce that **Doodle for Google** is returning for its 15th year this January! If you aren't familiar, Doodle for Google is an annual contest where we invite students in grades K-12 to express their creativity by drawing their very own Google Doodle in response to a prompt. The winning Doodle will be **displayed on the Google homepage for 24 hours**.

This year, we're excited to share that the prompt will be:

I am grateful for....

Taking a step back to think about what we're grateful for can be a great way to take care of our mental health and refocus on what's most important. What moments, people, places and things are special to you? What or whom can you not imagine living without? What are the things that get you through the day? Our theme this year encourages you to share what you appreciate most.



As an educator, you play an important role in encouraging creativity among your students. Visit <https://doodles.google.com/d4g/> or use the QR code below to learn more about the contest, discover how to submit, and find educator resources and curriculum guides around the prompt. We've also included a handy submission form on the back of this note that you can copy and use in your classroom.



Contest submissions open on **January 11, 2023** and run until **March 7, 2023**. 54 students will be named winners from their state/territory. Four finalists will win a \$5,000 scholarship and one winning student will receive:

- A \$30,000 college scholarship
- A \$50,000 Google for Education technology package for their school
- Their artwork will be placed on the Google homepage for a day

We can't wait to see what your students create! Happy doodling!!