

# Poetry About Trees



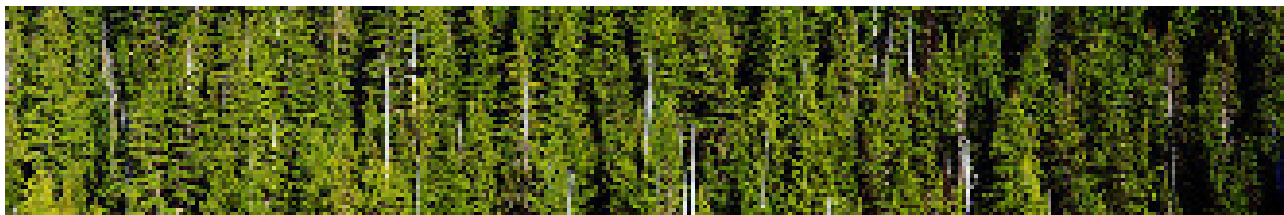
This contest celebrates the connections that we have to trees. Trees offer food, warmth, building materials to a place to relax and reflect. Also, the contest honors National Arbor Day, which is the last Friday in the month of April. The students can write anything about a tree or the forest from their backyard to the wilderness.

## To Enter

- The poem must be written on a single side of letter-sized paper. Drawings are allowed.
- Entries will be accepted from Cuyahoga County Students 1st-12th grades.
- Student's name, school, address, and grade must be written on the back of the entry.

## Send To

- Poetree Contest  
c/o Cuyahoga County Solid Waste  
4750 East 131 Street  
Garfield Heights, OH 44105.
- Postmarked by Monday,  
May 7, 2012.



## Winners

- A winner will be chosen from each grade. They will be awarded a bag of prizes made from trees.
- The winning poems and winner's pictures will be posted on the District's website, [www.cuyahogaswd.org](http://www.cuyahogaswd.org).
- All participants will receive a certificate of participation.



## Questions?

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