

OFFICIAL RELEASE FORM
EARTH SCIENCE WEEK PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST
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This form is only required for persons under the age of 18.

Name (First and Last) Age _____

Address

City State Zip

Signature below affirms review and agreement with all contest rules.

Name of Parent or Guardian (First and Last)

Signature of Parent or Guardian (required for entrants under the age of 18) **Date** _____

Email Address **Daytime Phone #** _____

Eligibility: Contest is open to individuals of any age in any part of the world.

Deadline: All submission materials must be submitted electronically by the announced deadline.

Recognition: One winning submission will be chosen. All finalists' entries will be posted to the Earth Science Week website.

Judging: Artwork will be judged by a panel of scientists on content, presentation, originality, creativity, and relevance to and incorporation of the ESW Photography Contest topic.

Other Rules: Submission of an entry constitutes consent to use the entrant's name and/or photograph, including posting on the AGI website, without compensation unless prohibited. All photos become property of AGI and will not be returned. Only one entry per person will be accepted. Entries must be composed of original, authentic, unpublished material and must be the sole property of the entrant, not previously submitted in any other contest. AGI is not responsible for lost, late, misdirected, incomplete, or postage-due entries. Contest void where prohibited or restricted by law.

Submit Entry Materials To:

First, complete the required [Microsoft Form](#).

Then, email this release form, signed by a parent or guardian, to contests@americangeosciences.org using the email address you entered in the above Microsoft Form. Entrant's photography submission should also be included. The subject heading of the email should be "ESW 2024 Photography Contest".