

BROWN COUNTY UNITED WAY FUTURE VISION CONTEST

Complete Teacher Guidelines and Contest Rules

Contest Overview

The Future Vision Contest invites Brown County students to envision their community 100 years from now. This contest aligns with Brown County United Way's mission to co-create inclusive community solutions.

Prizes will be available for the top entries in each age category. Prize allocation will be determined based on the number of entries received.

To find more contest information and documentation please visit the website: www.browncountyunitedway.org/contest

Student Eligibility

Grade Levels: K-12 students enrolled in Brown County schools (or home schools)

Participation Options: Individual submissions OR collaborative group work

Residency: Students must live or attend school within Brown County boundaries

Teacher Responsibilities

Assist with student submissions

Verify student eligibility, obtain parent release form, and distribute prizes for winning submissions

Content Guidelines

Appropriate Content: All submissions must be school-appropriate

Original Work: Students must create original content (no plagiarism)

Respectful Representation: Must show respect for all community members

Positive Focus: Emphasis on solutions and improvements

Submission Process for Teachers

Collection Methods

- Digital works may be submitted on Brown County United Way Contest website through a Dropbox submission form. Students are advised to name their files in the format [FirstLast].(pdf/mp3/mp4/etc.) You can find the submission link on this page: www.browncountyunitedway.org/contest
- Group projects should be named in the format [TeacherName]GroupProject[1].(pdf/mp3/mp4/etc.) and include all students' names in the project content. Any unidentifiable projects may be ineligible for prizes. You can find the submission link on this page: www.browncountyunitedway.org/contest
- Physical items including but not limited to paintings, drawings, or sculptures should be collected by a teacher and pickup arranged with Brown County United Way staff or volunteers. Please include details of the number of items, pickup location, and desired pick-up time. Physical items can also be dropped off at Brown County United Way's office at 111 N Roosevelt St., Green Bay, WI 54301. Please arrange for a staff member to meet you via bcuwle@browncountyunitedway.org . Physical items should be identified with the student(s)' name, grade, teacher/classroom, teacher contact information and school.

Required Documentation

For each submission, provide:

Student name(s) and grade level(s)

Contact information (teacher name and email)

School Name

Timeline and Deadlines

Key Dates

Submissions Open: September 1, 2025

Student Submission Deadline to Teachers: October 3, 2025

Teacher Submission Deadline: October 10, 2025

Winner Notification: October 30, 2025

Centennial Gala: November 8, 2025

Judging Process

Brown County United Way staff and board members

Community leaders and volunteers

Legal and Administrative Details

Intellectual Property

Students retain ownership of their creative work

Brown County United Way requests permission to use submissions for educational and promotional purposes, including the BCUW centennial gala.

Works considered for BCUW reproduction or promotional use will require a parent-signed release form.

Privacy and Safety

Student personal information kept confidential

Only first names and grade levels used in public recognition

Parental consent required for any public appearances

Accessibility

Accommodation available for students with disabilities

Alternative submission formats accepted as needed

Please contact bcuwle@browncountyunitedway.org with any accessibility needs

This contest is designed to inspire students to think critically about their community's future while developing creative expression and communication skills. Thank you for your participation in building tomorrow's community leaders.