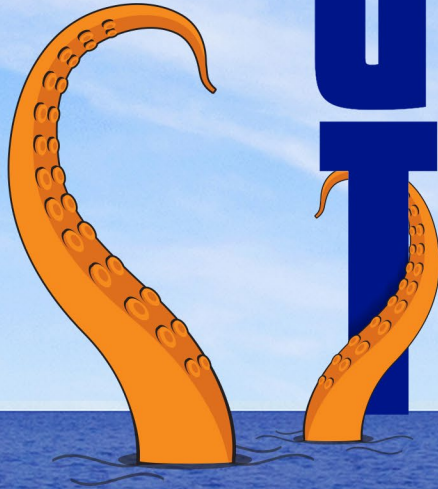


Watermill Express' Young Entrepreneurs Contest!

GUPPY TANK



Helping kids become future entrepreneurs!

Submit your business idea for a chance to win a grand prize of \$300!

Become your own boss!

Research, develop, and present a **business concept** that will **reduce plastic pollution**. It could be a hot, new invention. It could be an essential service. Or maybe it's a bit of both. You'll have a chance to present your idea and compete for funding to start your own business in the future!

Prizes

4th-8th Graders

First place winner - \$300 cash prize

Second place winner - \$200 cash prize

Third place winner - \$100 cash prize

9th-12th Graders

First place winner - \$300 cash prize

Second place winner - \$200 cash prize

Third place winner - \$100 cash prize

Social impact

Watermill Express will also donate \$5 to Make-A-Wish® for every business plan submitted, up to \$2,500, to help make a wish come true for a child in the Rio Grande Valley.

Bracket : 4th-8th Graders. Bracket: 9th-12th Graders

Submission deadline is April 2nd, 2019

For full contest rules visit

www.watermillexpress.com/guppytank

Presented by

Watermill
EXPRESS®

to benefit

Make-A-Wish®
RIO GRANDE VALLEY

Watermill Express' Young Entrepreneurs Contest!

GUPPY TANK

Presented by

Watermill
EXPRESS®

to benefit

Make-A-Wish
RIO GRANDE VALLEY

ENTRY FORM AND CONTEST DETAILS

Guppy Tank is a contest that challenges students to present their best business idea for a chance to win a \$300 grand prize.

This Year's Challenge: For this year's contest, your business idea must address plastic pollution in some manner. This could be a product, an invention, or a service. Let's see how you plan to turn pollution into profit!

Rules: Contestants must create and present a business plan on their own business concept. Students may compete alone or in groups of up to four. Plans and presentations must be submitted by April 2nd via email (info@watermillexpress.com).

Judging: Each submission will be evaluated based on potential of business concept, originality, quality of business plan, grammar, presentation, and creativity.

Prizes:

4th-8th Graders

First place winner - \$300 cash prize
Second place winner - \$200 cash prize
Third place winner - \$100 cash prize

9th-12th Graders

First place winner - \$300 cash prize
Second place winner - \$200 cash prize
Third place winner - \$100 cash prize

Social Impact: Watermill Express will also donate \$5 to Make-A-Wish® for every business plan submitted, up to \$2,500, to help make a wish come true for a child in the Rio Grande Valley.

**ENTRY
FORM**

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

CONTEST RULES & PRIZES

Contest is open to children who, as of date of entry, are between grade levels 4th through 12th in the Rio Grande Valley. Contest is separated into two brackets: One for younger students (grades 4th-8th) and one for older students (grades 9th-12th). Make-A-Wish will receive \$2,500 to help make a wish come true for a child in the Rio Grande Valley. Each submitted business idea or product must be the original work of the student. The business idea must have been conceived by the contestant and be the sole and original work of the contestant (although the contestant can be helped by a teacher, parent or legal guardian to explain the entry materials). Criteria will include, but is not limited to, potential of business concept, originality, quality of business plan, grammar, presentation, and creativity. Three finalists from each age bracket will be given the opportunity to present their ideas, in person, to a panel of judges. First place contest winner(s) will receive a one-time cash prize of \$300. Second place contest winner(s) will receive a one-time cash prize of \$200, and third place contest winner(s) will receive a one-time cash prize of \$100. Contestants working as a team will receive one cash prize per team. Contest prizes are awards and gifts to winners from Watermill Express, LLC. No obligation applies. Business plans must be emailed to info@watermillexpress.com. Submit completed entry form with your submission. For more information call 1-800-839-2482 or visit www.watermillexpress.com/guppytank for complete details. Contest begins 2/13/2019 and ends 4/1/2019. Finalists announced by 4/15/2019 and present their ideas in person on 4/24/19.