



*Excellence Through Classics for Elementary/Middle Levels* (ETC), a standing committee of the *American Classical League* (ACL) is excited to announce its **THIRD** Annual t-shirt design contest!!!

This is your opportunity to showcase your student's artistic and/or photographic abilities while also garnering some momentum for your existing program.

The student(s) of the winning design will receive a **FREE** t-shirt showcasing their illustration, a featured article in ETC's Spring newsletter of *PRIMA*, a **1 GB Apple® iPod Shuffle**, and finally bragging rights for an entire year!

In addition, sponsoring teachers will receive a free **\$25 gift certificate** to the ACL's Teaching Resource and Materials Center (TMRC).

The submitted design can be in the form of illustrated text, an original drawing or photograph and must incorporate this year's *Exploratory Latin Exam* (ELE) theme of "Notable Women of Ancient Rome" OR the *National Mythology Exam* (NME) theme of "Jason and the Argonauts."

There will be **TWO** winners – one based on each of the themes above. Students may submit designs for either or both of the two contests above.

The design will be featured on the back of a short-sleeved t-shirt, and a smaller ETC logo above will be on the t-shirt front.

Submission may be sent:

1. Via e-mail: [chair@etclassics.org](mailto:chair@etclassics.org). Please include "T-Shirt Contest" in the subject line.
2. Via ground mail: M. Posey, ETC Chair, The Collegiate School, 103 N. Mooreland Rd, Richmond, VA 23229

Include in your correspondence the following:

- Original art/photograph (in JPEG format if sent electronically)
- Name, grade and contact information of student designer
- Name, school and contact information of sponsoring ACL member
- Briefly address what the design depicts and how it relates to the selected theme.



Roman personification of Victory

## Contest Rules:

1. All t-shirt designs must be received by **WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1, 2009**. Entries may be sent via electronic or postal mail. Scanned images would be greatly appreciated.
2. If submitted electronically, the design must be submitted as a high quality/high resolution JPEG image (sized @ least 5"x7" @ 300 dpi).
3. All entries must include **ORIGINAL** art or photographs. ETC will not accept any designs that feature:
  - existing registered trademarks
  - tobacco, firearms, alcohol and/or inappropriate images
  - previously copyrighted materials
4. Only **ONE** winning design may be selected from each participant, but each student may submit up to **three** designs.
5. The winning T-shirt design selected will become the property of ETC.
6. This contest is only open to **ALL** students from **grades K-9**. Students may submit designs directly to ETC. Students must be sponsored by an ACL member.
7. Students are encouraged to submit images drawn in marker or felt tip pen. Since the image will be featured on a white t-shirt, it is important to make each design as clear as possible.
8. Designs will be judged on both creativity and composition. The design must also prominently illustrate either of the themes above.
  - Prints may be any size up to 8x10 inches. Include name and address on the back of each print. Also, provide caption/title info for each submitted image.

For further questions, please contact ETC Chair, Micheal A. Posey, [chair@etclassics.org](mailto:chair@etclassics.org). Please note that submitted materials will not be returned!

Contest announcement and rules are also posted on the ETC website: <http://www.etclassics.org>.