

SSEP MISSION 17 TO ISS: MISSION PATCH ART AND DESIGN COMPETITION

ART PATCH COMPETITION OPEN TO ALL PV 2-12 GRADE STUDENTS! DUE 9/30

This year many of our students in Grade 5-12 will participate in the Student Spaceflight Experiment Program—SSEP. One of the experiments that our students will work on will be **traveling to The International Space Station—ISS in June of 2023!** Your patch might be on it! On arrival back on Earth, our PV Mission Patch will be returned to our school for us to display. It will be a testament to the participation by you, your fellow students, teachers, and community in the Student Spaceflight Experiments Program, Mission 17 and a truly remarkable student research experience on the International Space Station. How cool is that?

DUE DATE: SEPTEMBER 30 TURN IN TO OFFICE

From the SSEP WEBSITE: "The National Center for Earth and Space Science Education (NCESSE) is using SSEP Missions 14 through 17 to commemorate the 50th anniversary of NASA's Apollo Program, given SSEP program operations for these three missions span 2019-2022. SSEP Mission 14 started in September 2019, and SSEP Mission 17 is to start in Fall 2022.

SSEP Mission 14-17 communities can therefore use their participation in SSEP as a 50th Anniversary Apollo celebration, with multidisciplinary connections to STEM, history, and art. What better way to celebrate the 50th anniversary than engaging a community of hundreds of students in the real space program, and real spaceflight, on the frontiers of human exploration."

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REQUIREMENTS

- 1. The Mission Patch must be composed by a single piece of paper NO LARGER than 3.5-inch x 3.5-inch, and its design should reflect **pride in** Pine View School and our participation in the SSEP.
- 2. To fly, it must be <u>paper</u> not card stock or cardboard. A Mission Patch can be black & white or full color. You can turn in a regular size paper, 8 1/2 x 11 inches as long as the design follows 3.5x3.5—Make sure you submit name and grade with your design.
- 3. Pine View's SSEP Team will pick the 10 top patches—school wide voting for the final TWO.

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