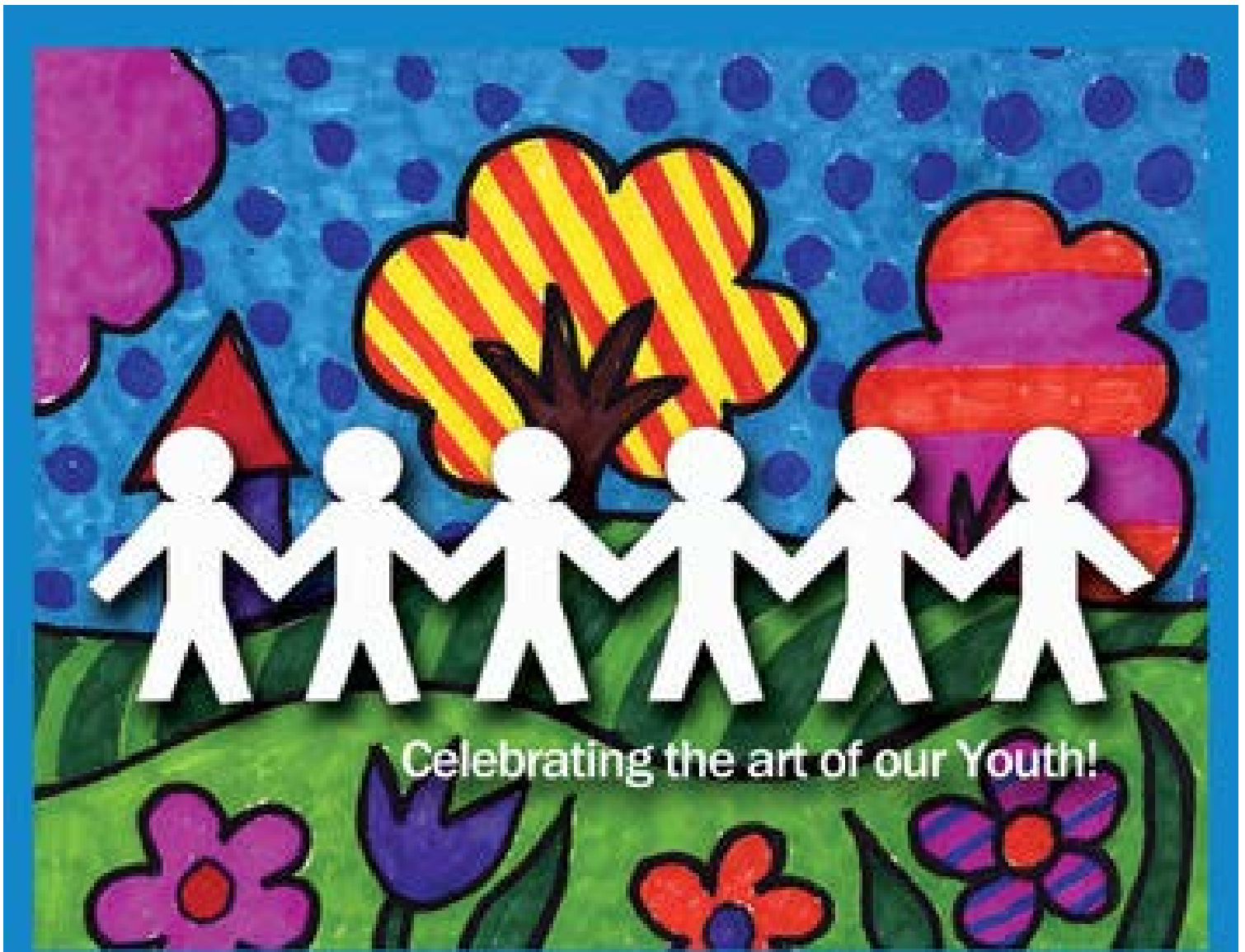




# YOUTH ART MONTH™



**March 2021**



FAYETTE COUNTY  
*Cultural Trust*  
ART • CULTURE • HISTORY • EDUCATION



FAYETTE COUNTY CULTURAL TRUST

To celebrate Youth Art Month, the Fayette County Cultural Trust decided to have a “Design a Connellsville Flag contest.” This contest was open to all schools in the Connellsville Area School District. The rules for the contest are below. XX students participated. A first place and second place winner was selected by Connellsville City Council and announced at their 2021 city council meeting. The first place winner will receive a \$50 gift card from Appalachian Creativity Center and the second place winner will receive a \$25 gift card from Atkin’s Music.



YOUTH ART MONTH™

In honor of Youth Art Month, during the month of March, Downtown Connellsville is sponsoring a “Design your city flag” contest.

Connellsville City Council will pick winning entries on March 16<sup>th</sup> 2021.

Art will be displayed in downtown windows.

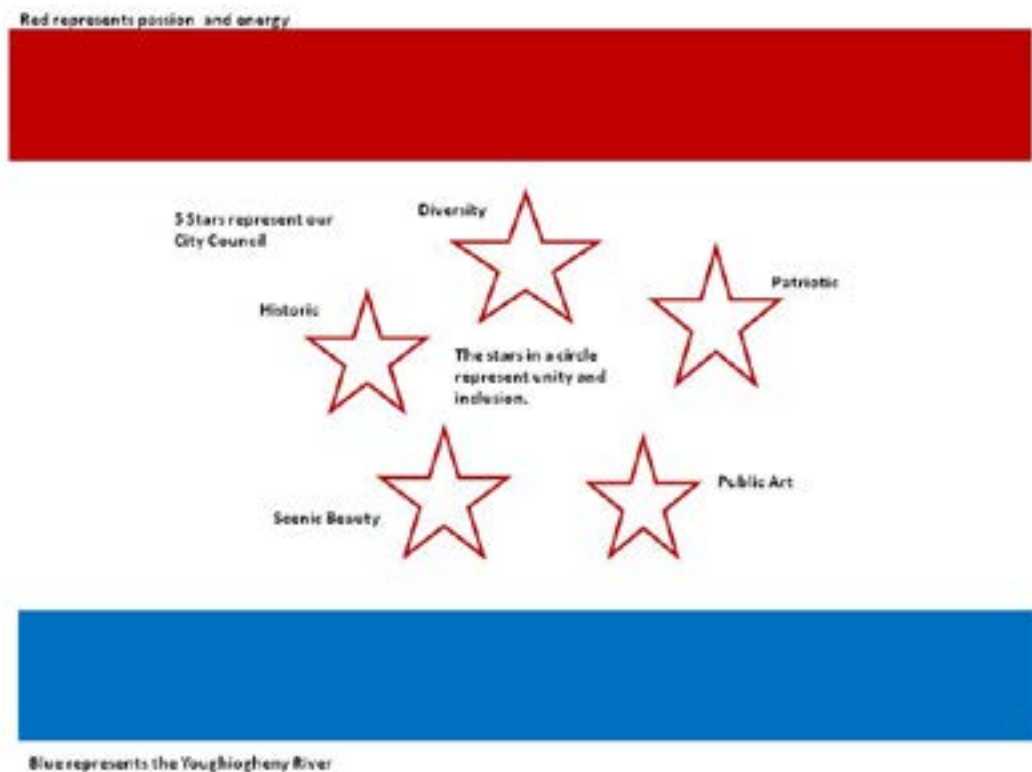
Contest open to Elementary through High School Students located in the Connellsville Area School District.



Fayette County Cultural Trust  
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DESIGN A CITY FLAG





## Example Connellsville Flag

Contest open to Elementary through High School Students in the Connellsville School District.

This is just an example, but gives you an idea of what we are looking for. Draw and color your flag, then illustrate in another area what the flag means to you.

Create your Connellsville flag using one of our 22" x 28" poster boards. A **FREE** poster board is available at the Appalachian Creativity Center located at 139 West Crawford Avenue. (One per child). 724-208-1746



### Rules -

- Keep it Simple - *The flag should be simple enough that a child can draw it from memory.*
- Use Meaningful Symbols to the City of Connellsville - *The flag's images, colors, or patterns should relate to what it symbolizes.*
- Use 2-3 Basic Colors - *Limit the number of colors on the flag to three, which contrast well and come from the standard color set (red, blue, green, black, yellow, and white)*
- No Lettering or Seals - *Never use writing of any kind or an organization's seal.*
- Be distinctive and Be related to the City of Connellsville - *Avoid duplicating other flags, but use similarities to show connections.*
- Contest open to Elementary through High School Students located in the Connellsville Area School District.
- Submissions must be turned in to the Appalachian Creativity Center located at 139 West Crawford Avenue **NLT March 15.**
- Connellsville City Council will pick two designs, during the **March 16<sup>th</sup>** City Council Meeting. One as a winner and one as a second runner up.
- All posters submitted will be on display in the windows of participating downtown businesses after the selection of winner and second runner up.
- Winner will receive a **\$50** gift card and the second runner up will receive a **\$25** gift card from a downtown business.

This contest is just for fun and is in no way a solicitation for a flag design for the City of Connellsville.

Any questions please email us at [DowntownConnellsville@zeominternet.net](mailto:DowntownConnellsville@zeominternet.net)





## **Springfield Township Elementary**

**1991 saw the untimely death of the district's first and longtime Superintendent of Schools, Clifford N. Pritts. As a honorable gesture, the Board of Education named the Saltlick Elementary School in his honor in 1991 as he was instrumental in the efforts of a consolidated school in Saltlick Township. A modern roof was added to the school shortly after the name change, however the school would be a casualty of district reorganization in 2017 with the students being absorbed into the more modern Springfield elementary school. As a result of a condition of the naming of the former Saltlick school, the name of the newly-consolidated school in the Indian Creek Valley was changed to Springfield-Clifford N. Pritts Elementary School.**

**Springfield Clifford N Pritts Elementary School is located in the mountain area of Connellsville Area School District. The school provides education services for students in grades kindergarten through the fifth grade. Currently, Springfield has an enrollment of approximately 355 students with an average class size of 20 students.**

## **Springfield Clifford N. Pritts Elementary 5th Grade Class**

**Dr. Rosensteel  
Mrs. Firestone  
Mrs. Mickey**



# Springfield Clifford N. Pritts Elementary

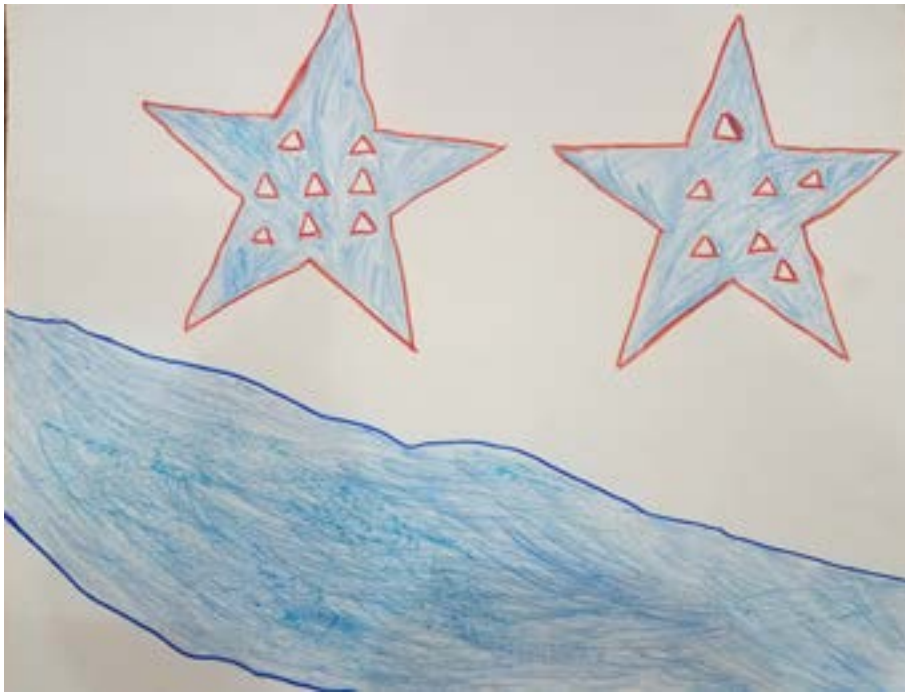
## 5th Grade Class

### Completing their projects





**Springfield Clifford N. Pritts  
Elementary  
5th Grade Class  
Completing their projects**



**Collin Ritenour  
5th Grade  
Springfield Clifford N.  
Pritts Elementary**

- White Stars for Hope
- Blue Stars for Youghioghenny River
- Both red stars stand for 200 Years and the triangles stand for 15 years which equals 215 years

**Tanner Johnson  
5th Grade  
Springfield Clifford N. Pritts  
Elementary**



- Red is for the passion people have for this town
- Blue if for the Youghioghenny River, unity and people's loyalty to this city
- Pink is for the love people have for this city and each other





**Nathan Carnes**  
**5th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N. Pritts**  
**Elementary**

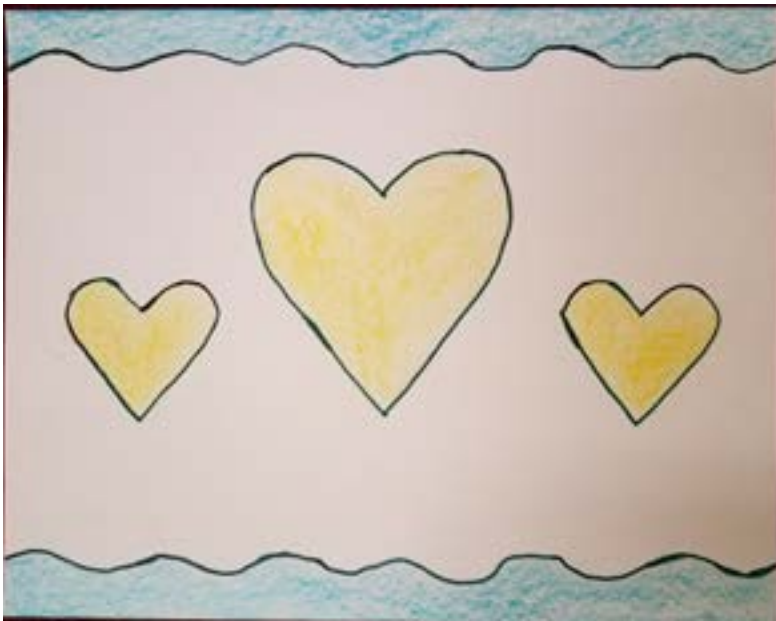
- Blue stands for the river
- White stand for freedom
- Red stand for love

**Jasan Fletcher**  
**5th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N.**  
**Pritts Elementary**



- Blue stands for Connellsville Falcons
- Red stands for the bravery of all of Connellsville
- White stands for the hope of all Connellsville





**Aubrey Miller**  
**5th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N. Pritts**  
**Elementary**

- Waves at the bottom and top stand for the Youghiogheny River
- Right heart stands for the towns beauty
- Middle heart stands for the town's pride
- Left heart stands for the town's beautiful nature

**Zachary Hall**  
**5th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N. Pritts**  
**Elementary**



- Blue stands for the loyalty and trust we put into each other
- Red stands for the bravery courage and independence of Connellsville
- White stands for peace and innocence that we have in Connellsville
- Seven stars stand for seven thousand people who live together in Connellsville
- Large star stand for how the town of Connellsville shines bright



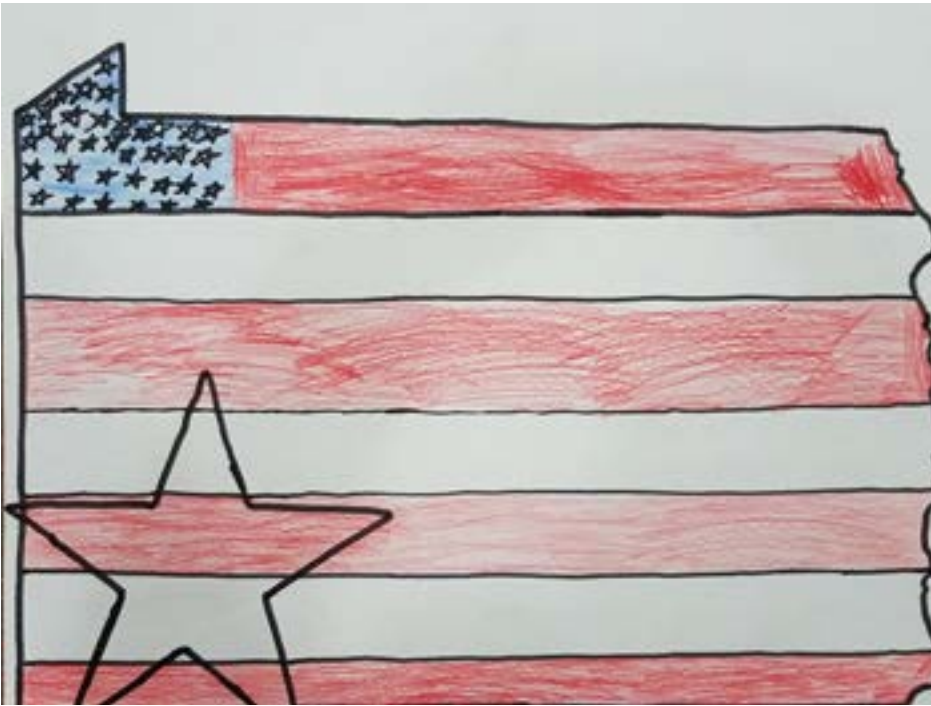
**Parker Wilson  
5th Grade  
Springfield Clifford N.  
Pritts Elementary**

- The star stands for Connellsville “It’s the Star of Pennsylvania!”
- The blue stands for the Youghiogheny River and the loyalty of the people of Connellsville
- The heart stands for Connellsville “I love Connellsville and Pennsylvania”
- The red stands for the love that holds us together

**Gunner Pickford  
5th Grade  
Springfield Clifford N. Pritts  
Elementary**



- Blue stands for the Youghiogheny River
- Red stands for love in Connellsville
- White stands for hope in Connellsville



**Aizik Fullem**  
**5th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N.**  
**Pritts Elementary**

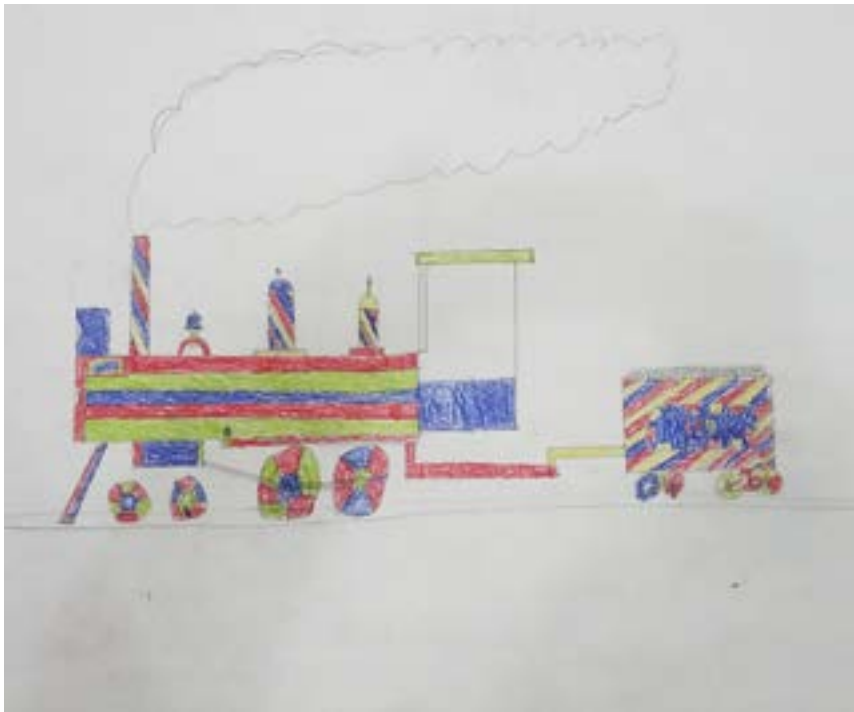
- Blue stands for the loyalty of the people
- Red stands for bravery and strength of the people
- White stands for the hope of the people

**Holly Riley**  
**5th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N. Pritts**  
**Elementary**



- Blue stands for the Falcons
- The rainbow stands for a bright new future
- The heart stands for the love that the Falcons share





**Daniel Myers**  
**5th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N. Pritts**  
**Elementary**

- Red stands for bravery
- Blue stands for police
- Green stands for the army

**Logan Miller**  
**5th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N.**  
**Pritts Elementary**



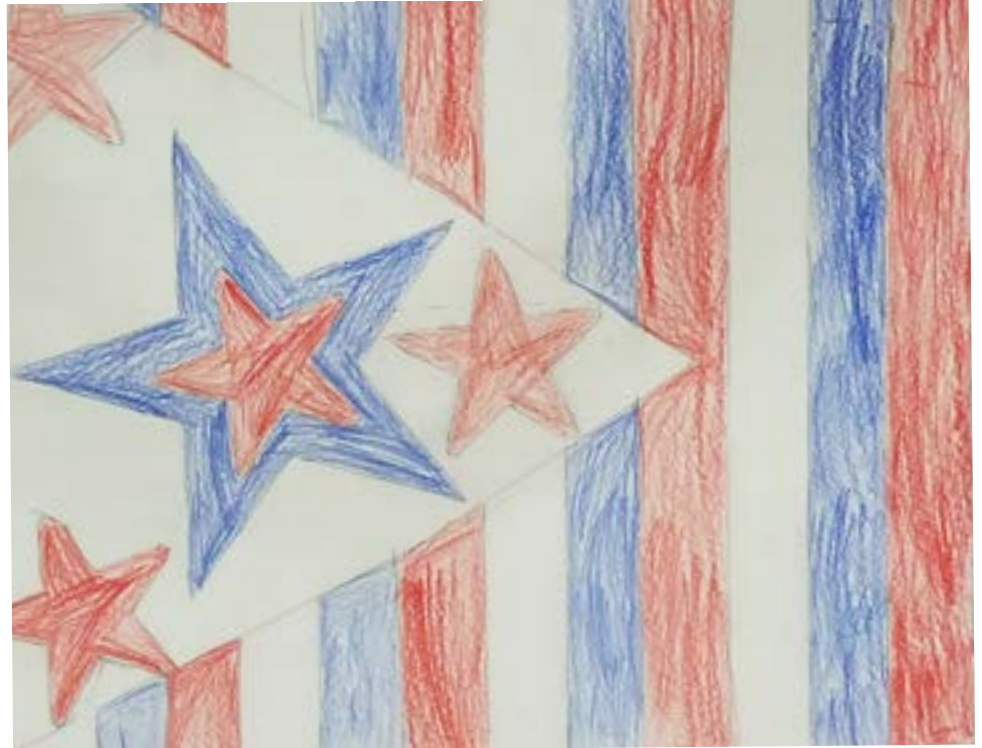
- Blue stands for the cops
- Red stands for bad people
- Black stands for black people



**Eva Nicholson  
5th Grade  
Springfield Clifford N. Pritts  
Elementary**

- The C stands for Connellsville**
- The Falcon stands for the Connellsville Falcons**
- The blue, black and white stand for Connellsville's Colors**

**Lucy Hunt  
5th Grade  
Springfield Clifford N.  
Pritts Elementary**



- The stars represent the elementary schools in Connellsville**
- The big star represents city council**
- The red, white and blue represent the American flag**



**Piper Hoffer**  
**5th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N.**  
**Pritts Elementary**

- Blue stands for the Youghiogheny River
- Pink stands for the love of this city
- Yellow stands for the joy and loyalty in this town
- Blue diamond stands for Connellsville

**Max Ritenour**  
**5th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N.**  
**Pritts Elementary**



- Blue stands for freedom
- Red stands for all the people that died during wars
- White stands for liberty
- The star stands for pride





**Haley Nichcole Ritenour**  
**5th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N.**  
**Pritts Elementary**

- Pink stands for hope
- Blue stands for the Falcons
- Purple stands for love and care

**Logan Rugg**  
**5th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N. Pritts**  
**Elementary**



- Blue stands for cops
- Red stands for the firefighters
- Green stands for ambulance



**Sidney Johnson**  
**5th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N. Pritts**  
**Elementary**

- Pink stands for love
- White stands for all the people
- The hearts stand for love
- The star stands for Connellsville

**Levi Lauffer**  
**5th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N.**  
**Pritts Elementary**



- No interpretation given



**Jayna Mackey**  
**5th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N. Pritts**  
**Elementary**

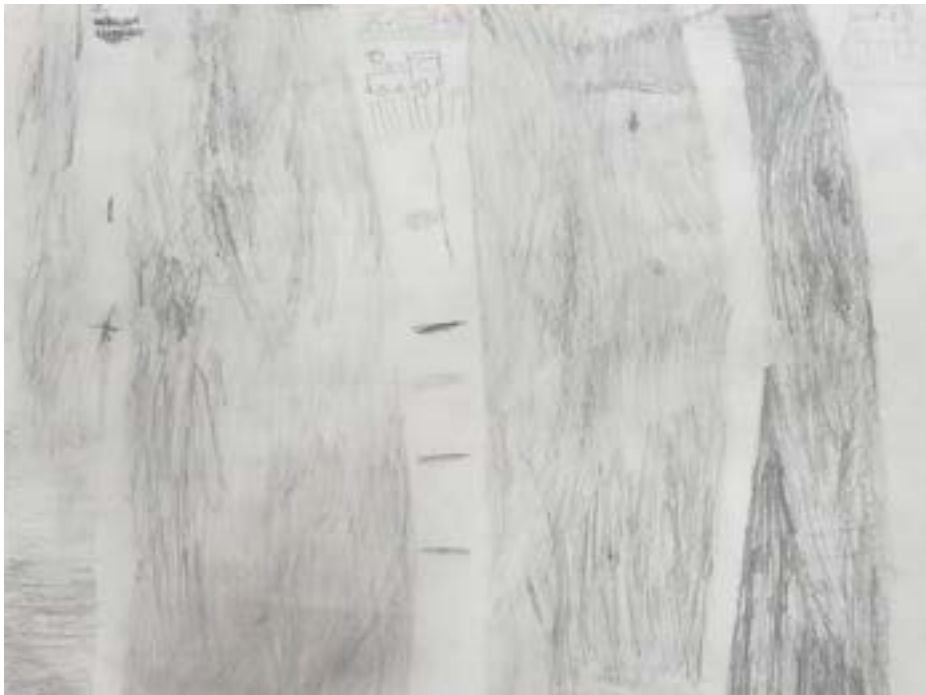
- The heart stands for the love of Connellsville
- Squiggly lines stand for the uncertain times
- Straight line stands for steady times

**Owen Show**  
**5th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N. Pritts**  
**Elementary**



- Falcon freedom
- Red stands for strength
- Blue stands for the Youghiogheny River





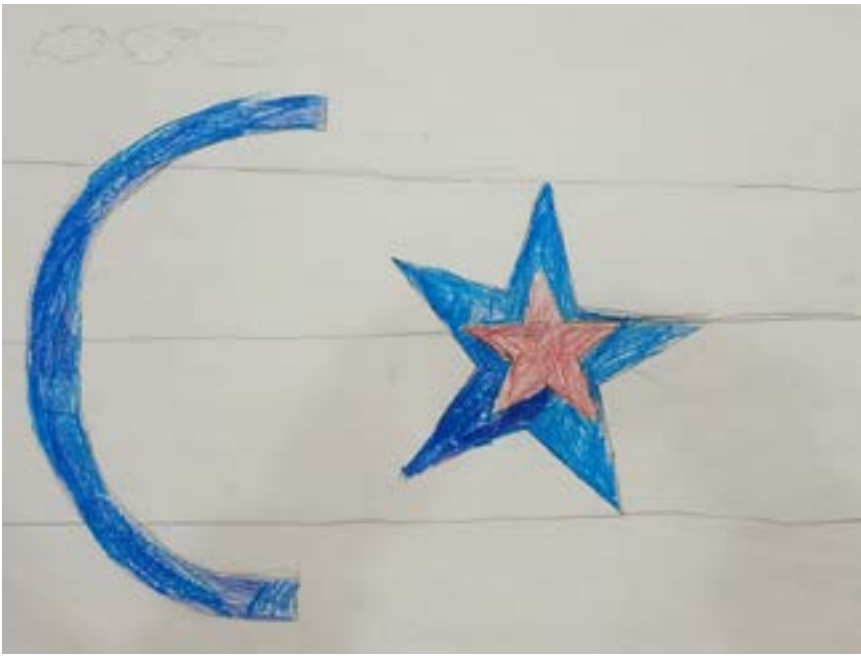
**Martin Kistner**  
**5th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N.**  
**Pritts Elementary**

**-The train tracks that was in Connellsville**

**Kaden Stobert**  
**5th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N. Pritts**  
**Elementary**



**-The black is a boat and the blue is the river**



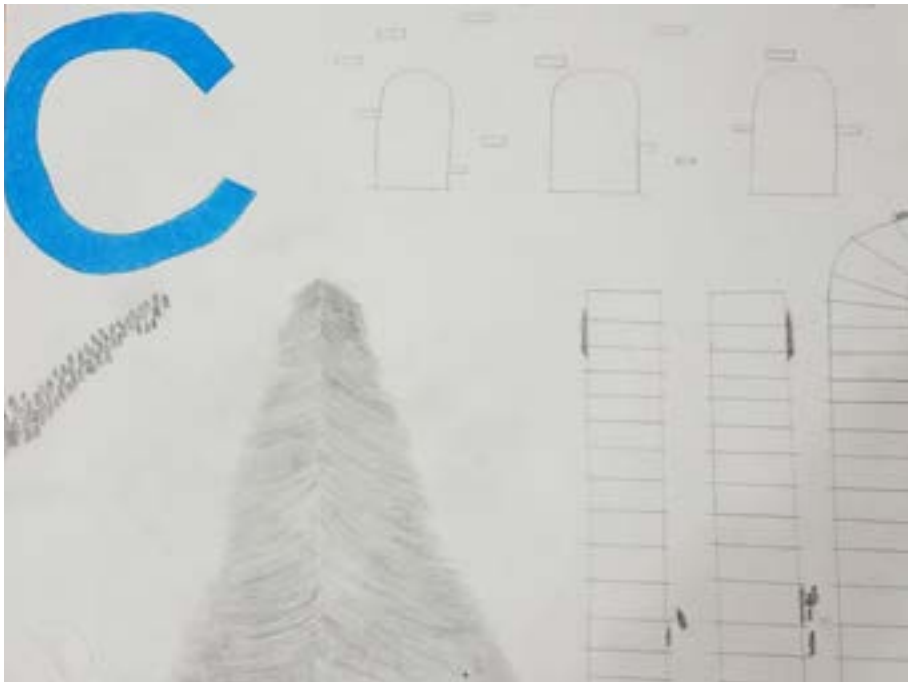
**Lilly Pirl  
5th Grade  
Springfield Clifford N. Pritts  
Elementary**

- Blue stands for the city of Connellsville**
- Red stands for peace**
- White stands for clouds**

**Addesen Carnes  
5th Grade  
Springfield Clifford N. Pritts  
Elementary**



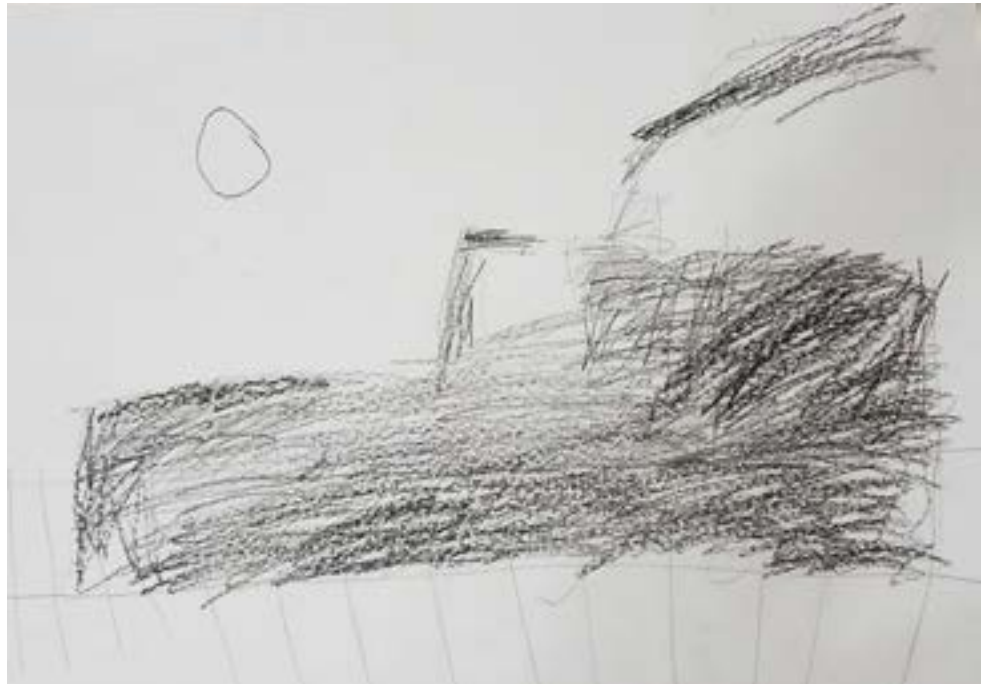
- Blue stands for respect**
- Red stands for love**
- Green stands for peace**



**Annalyse Miller**  
**5th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N. Pritts**  
**Elementary**

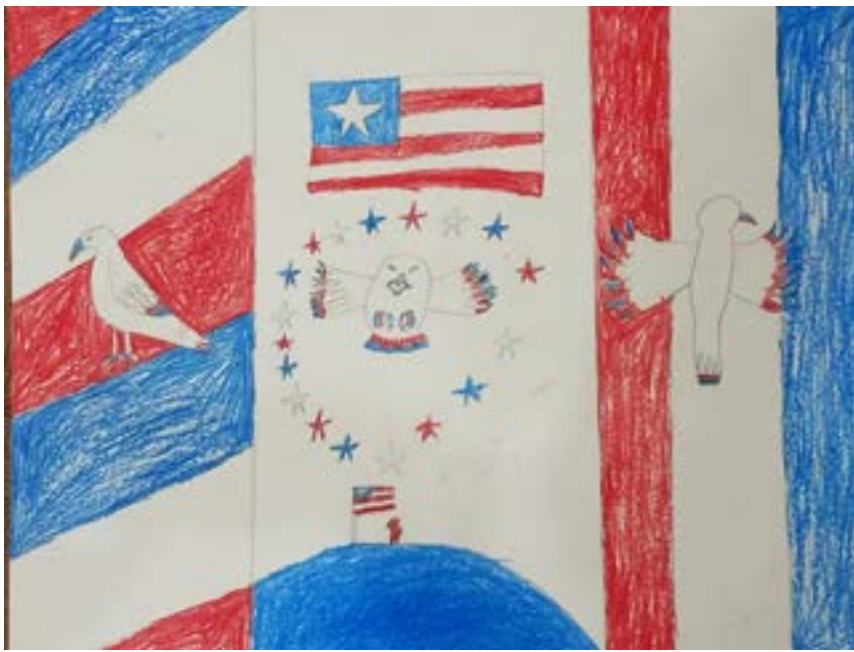
- The white and grey colors represent the old fashion Connellsville
- The three images represent what I think of Connellsville (Coke ovens, train tracks and the Youghiogheny River)
- The blue "C" represents the Connellsville Falcon's

**Maxxwel Carnes**  
**5th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N.**  
**Pritts Elementary**



- Black represents to me "Black lives Matter"





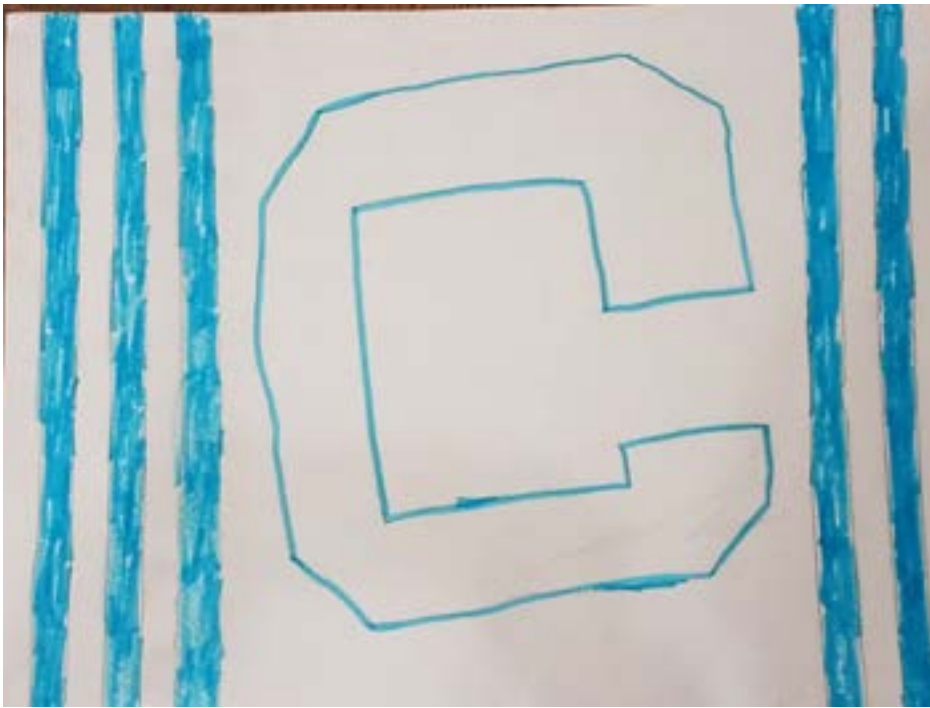
**Emma Dave**  
**5th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N. Pritts**  
**Elementary**

- Red represents bravery
- Blue represents community
- White represents entanment

**Makenzy Kuvka**  
**5th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N. Pritts**  
**Elementary**



- Blue represents loyalty and the Youghiogheny river
- Black represents all the dark times we have been through



**Jonah Morrison  
5th Grade  
Springfield Clifford N.  
Pritts Elementary**

- Blue stands for bravery**
- White stands for smart**

**Gennaro Strain  
5th Grade  
Springfield Clifford N. Pritts  
Elementary**



- White stands for liberty**
- Red stands for peace**
- Blue stands for freedom**



**Elizabeth Monticue  
5th Grade  
Springfield Clifford N. Pritts  
Elementary**

- Red represents the courage of the people of Connellsville
- Blue represents the Youghiogheny River
- The four stars represent indian tribes that lived near Connellsville
- The large star represents independence of the people of Connellsville
- White represents hope for the future

**George Jones  
5th Grade  
Springfield Clifford N. Pritts  
Elementary**



- Yellow lightning represents energy
- Red (wave, background and star) represent the wave of energy in Connellsville
- Blue (wave, background and star) represent a wave of the Yough





**Taylor Knopsnider  
5th Grade  
Springfield Clifford N.  
Pritts Elementary**

- Blue represents the gorgeous surroundings and nature**
- Red shows how the community works together**
- Yellow shows how people work hard to keep the community running**



# **Springfield Clifford N. Pritts Elementary**

## **3rd Grade Class**

**Mrs. Brooks**  
**Ms. Henry**



**Springfield Clifford N. Pritts**  
**Elementary**  
**3rd Grade Class**  
**Completing their projects**



**Springfield Clifford N. Pritts  
Elementary  
3rd Grade Class  
Completing their projects**







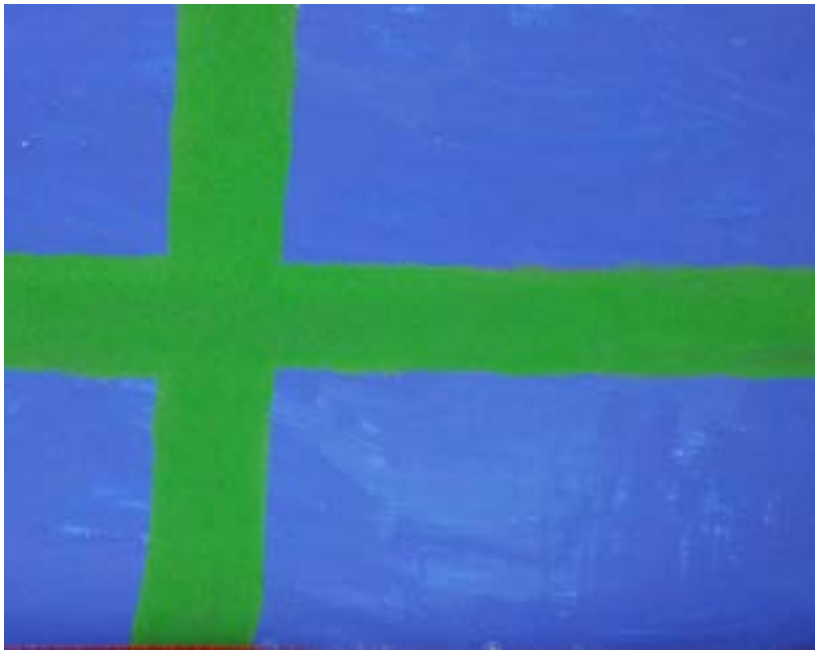
**Alex Ritenour**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N.**  
**Pritts Elementary**

- Blue stands for good
- Red stands for best
- Green stands for cold
- Orange stands for bright

**Jaylin Ritenour**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N.**  
**Pritts Elementary**



- Red represents those that died in the past
- Blue represents the water
- Green represents life



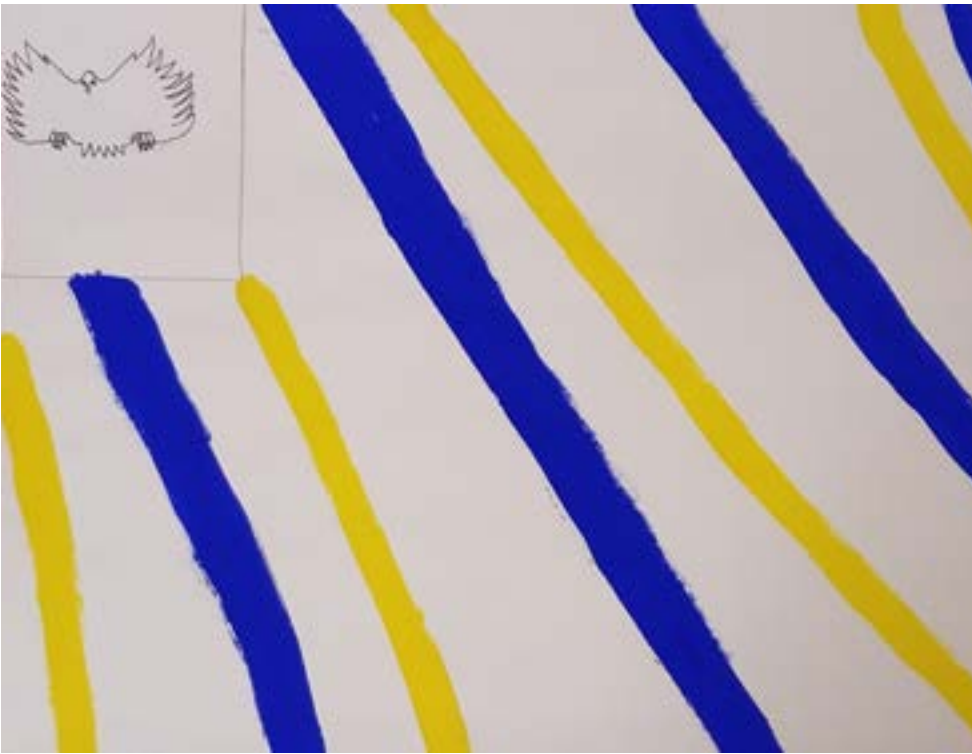
**Jackson Pirl**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N. Pritts**  
**Elementary**

- Sky blue represents kindness
- Lime green represents health

**Ellie Pirl**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N. Pritts**  
**Elementary**



- Blue represents water
- Red represents storms
- Yellow represents the sun
- Pink represents the stars



**Maura Richter**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N.**  
**Pritts Elementary**

- Blue represents peace and loyalty
- Yellow represents sunshine
- The Falcon stands for our school mascot

**Chloe Piry**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N.**  
**Pritts Elementary**



- Peace flag





**Lucas Arvin**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N.**  
**Pritts Elementary**

- The blue represents trust
- The green represents growth



**Ashton Berger**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N.**  
**Pritts Elementary**

- Red represents energy, passion and joy
- Blue represents trust, loyalty and peace
- Brown represents wholesomeness, warmth and honesty
- White represents hope, freshness and purity
- The horse represents me because I like them and own one



**Ellie Gardner**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N. Pritts**  
**Elementary**

- Pink represents romance
- Blue represents the sky
- Purple represents magic

**Kemper Dave**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford**  
**N. Pritts Elementary**



- White represents insight
- Red represents strong
- Blue represents a lot of water



**Logan Rickford**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N. Pritts**  
**Elementary**

- Grey represents all the calm mountains in Connellsville
- Red fish represents the youth

**Jace Carnes**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N.**  
**Pritts Elementary**



- Blue represents trust





**Megan Selinger**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N. Pritts**  
**Elementary**

- Blue represents Earth
- Red represents Mars
- White represents Venus
- Yellow represents Jupiter

**Allie Booth**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N.**  
**Pritts Elementary**



- Pink represents love
- Blue represents water
- Purple represents royalty
- White represents purity



**Charles Thorpe**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N. Pritts**  
**Elementary**

- Red represents strength
- Blue represents peace
- Orange represents freedom

**Dakota Myers**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N. Pritts**  
**Elementary**



- Green represents the army
- Yellow represents caution
- Red represents strong



**Nickalie Swope**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N. Pritts**  
**Elementary**

- Blue represents loyalty and water
- Brown represents crosse
- Green represents health

**Jayson Savago**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N.**  
**Pritts Elementary**



- No interpretation given





**Alex Gales  
3th Grade  
Springfield Clifford N.  
Pritts Elementary**

- Blue represents peace
- Red represents power
- Green represents nature

**Emmalee Ritenour  
3th Grade  
Springfield Clifford N.  
Pritts Elementary**



- Green represents nature and grass
- Yellow represents the sun
- Blue represents the sky and water



**Hayden Petty**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N.**  
**Pritts Elementary**

- Pink represents love
- Purple represents royalty
- Red represents power

**Emma Thorpe**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N.**  
**Pritts Elementary**



- My flag represents the flowers in Connellsville
- Red represents passion
- Blue represents the sky
- Green represents the outdoors and peaceful



**Miles Diesel**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N. Pritts**  
**Elementary**

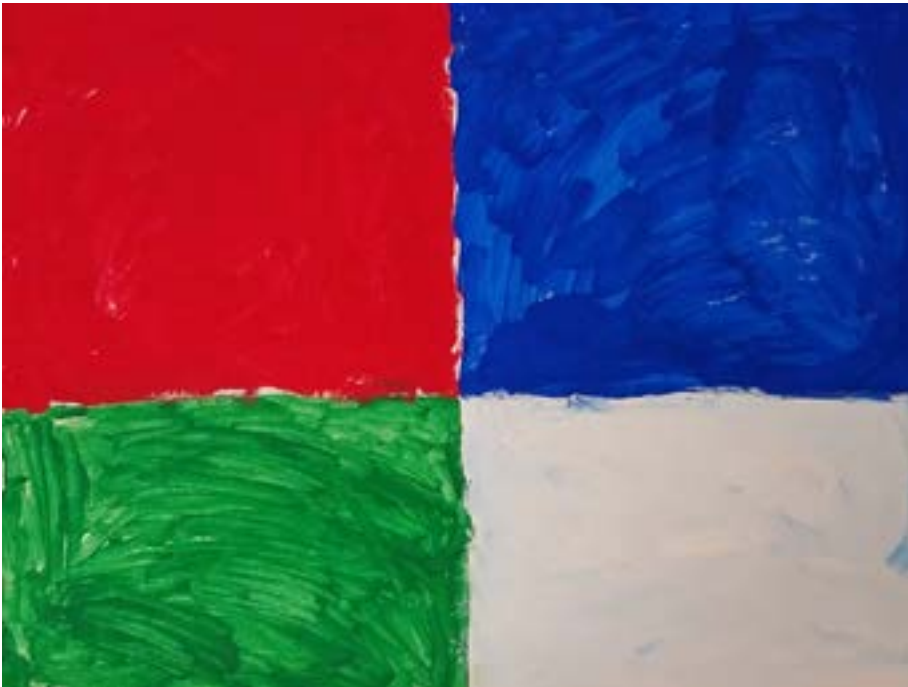
- Yellow in the school represents creativity
- Blue in the school represents trustworthy
- Blue at the top represents the sky
- Green represents the grass

**Deonna Carnes**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N.**  
**Pritts Elementary**



- Red represents power and passion
- Blue represents peace
- Yellow represents the sunshine and caution





**Isaiah Worley**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N. Pritts**  
**Elementary**

- Red represents bold
- Blue represents trust
- Green represents safety

**Lexi Dunaway**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N.**  
**Pritts Elementary**



- Blue at top represents the sky
- Green represents nature
- Two brown trails represent walking and biking
- Dark Blue represents river



**Adyson Kern**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N.**  
**Pritts Elementary**

- White represents purity and innocence
- Black represents ethnic heritage or the defeat of the enemies
- Green represents youthfulness and hope
- Orange represents courage and sacrifice

**Kendall Lauffer**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N.**  
**Pritts Elementary**



-No interpretation given



**Amelia Moore**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N.**  
**Pritts Elementary**

- Green tree cut and used for supporting the inside of coal mines
- Blue stands for the Youghiogheny which carried the barges of coke to be sold in Cleveland and all over the world
- Black stands for the coal that the coke was made from

**Cera Adenhardt**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N.**  
**Pritts Elementary**



- Blue represents the sky
- Pink represents the bricks the school is made of
- Black represents the storms
- Cat represents animals





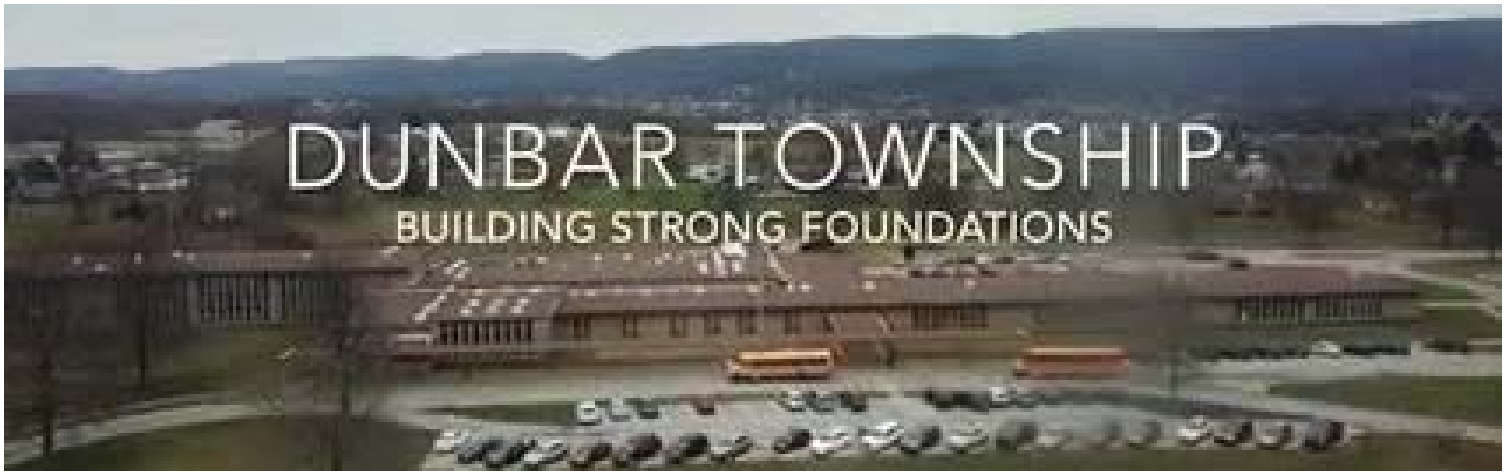
**Kamdyn Swope**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N.**  
**Pritts Elementary**

- Blue represents peaceful
- Yellow represents happiness
- Red represents love

**James Smith**  
**3th Grade**  
**Springfield Clifford N.**  
**Pritts Elementary**



- No interpretation given



## **Dunbar Township Elementary**

**Dunbar Township Elementary is located in the Connellsville Area School District and provides services for students in grades kindergarten through fifth grade. Currently, Dunbar Township has an enrollment of approximately 630 students.**

## **Dunbar Township Elementary 5th Grade**

**Ms. Shirley Rosenberger**



**Kelsey Clark  
5th Grade  
Dunbar Township Elementary**

**-This flag represents peace and love**

**2021 Yout Art Month  
“Design a Connellsville Flag Contest”  
Winners**

**Both winners were from Jane Mickey’s 5th grade class from  
Springfield CNP Elementary**

**Winner  
2021**



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**First Place**

**Taylor Knopsnider**

**5<sup>th</sup> Grade – Springfield CNP Elementary**

**\$75 Gift Card Appalachian Creativity Center**

**Representation**

**Blue – Gorgeous Surroundings & Nature**

**Red – Community Working Together**

**Yellow – People working hard to keep the community running.**

**Runner Up**

**Jason Fletcher**

**5<sup>th</sup> Grade – Springfield CNP Elementary**

**\$25 Gift Card Atkins Music**

**Representation**

**Blue – Connellsville Falcons**

**Red – Connellsville Bravery**

**White – Connellsville Hope**



**Thank you to all the teachers and students at the Springfield CNP Elementary for your participation and also to Connellsville City Council for picking the winning flags.**



Out of 68 entries from students the most used words were...

River/Youghioghney - used 19 times

Love - used 14 times

Peace - used 10 times

Trust/Loyalty - used 10 times

Falcons - used 6 times

Brave - used 5 times

Passion/Freedom/Nature - used 3 times

Pride - used 2 times

**The Fayette County Cultural Trust would like to thank the teachers at Springfield Clifford N. Pritts Elementary, the teacher at Dunbar Township Elementary and all the students for participating in this Youth Art Month activity. Thanks to the Appalachian Creativity Center for collecting the posters, and thanks to the Connellsville City Council members for selecting the two winning entries. This project was made possible through the Downtown Connellsville initiative of the Fayette County Cultural Trust.**



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