The Kansas State Department of Education (KSDE) is pleased to announce the winners of this year's KSDE Annual Conference Art Design Contest. The contest was open to all K-12 students in Kansas, both public and private. The KSDE Annual Conference has been renamed the Kansas State Department of Education Great Ideas in Education Conference and this year's theme is Unfinished Learning.

Liam Keating was selected as the 1st place winner. Liam attended Grand Start Elementary, Goddard and was in the 4th grade during the 2020-2021 school year. Liam will receive $150.

Gianna Brouilette was selected as the 2nd place winner. Gianna attended St. Francis of Assisi Catholic School, Wichita and was in the 6th grade during the 2020-2021 school year. Gianna will receive $100.

Maggie Hopper was selected as the 3rd place winner. Maggie was a 9th grader at Pittsburg High School, Pittsburg during the 2020-2021 school year. Maggie will receive $75.

KSDE would like to congratulate Liam, Gianna, Maggie, as well as all of the students who entered this year's contest.