



Students from Hartford Sylvia Encinas Elementary School, Chandler USD, showcasing their work.

The Arizona Department of Education Character Education Unit is proud to announce the winners of this year's Character Education Pennant Contest! More than 100 students participated, submitting 99 inspiring works that beautifully showcased the Six Pillars of Character through their creativity and artistic expression. Choosing the winners was no easy task, as every submission reflected thoughtful effort and a strong understanding of character.

Congratulations to our winners, **Paulina Araujo**, who created a pennant representing Respect, and **Emmah Guillen**, who designed a pennant highlighting Caring. Both students attend Aguila Elementary School District 63. Their artwork was submitted by fourth-grade teacher Glizann May B. Ventic.

Thank you to all who participated in celebrating the values that strengthen our schools and community.



Paulina Araujo – 4th Grade



Emmah Guillen – 4th Grade