



BexarFest Multimedia Festival

Official Rules

- The BexarFest multimedia festival is open to all high schools and out-of-school time programs in Atascosa, Bandera, Bexar, Comal, Guadalupe, Kendall, Medina and Wilson counties.
- One team per school or out-of-school program.
- All participating high school and out-of-school program teams participating in the BexarFest multimedia festival must register through the BexarFest registration portal by 5 p.m. Oct. 7, 2022.
- Each school or out-of-school program team can have up to 15 student members and two faculty or staff member coaches.
- All members of school or out-of-school program teams must be enrolled in high school or the equivalent.
- Each school or out-of-school program team will be paired with a nonprofit organization based on its expressed field of interest and geographic convenience.
- All nonprofit organizations participating in the festival must be approved by the BexarFest organizers.
- Each school or out-of-school program team, in partnership with its designated nonprofit organization, has the option to produce any or all of the following assets:
 - One three-minute video,
 - One half-page ad for use in the BexarFest premiere program,
 - (Final Size: 5.5" X 8.5" Bleed Area: 5.75" X 8.75")
 - Up to 12 still photos,
 - Original music to be used in the soundtrack of its video,



- Awards by category
 - Best Cinematography
 - Best Editing
 - Best Sound
 - Best Storytelling
 - Most Creative
 - Best Picture
 - Best Graphic Design
 - Best Still Photography
 - Best Original Music
 - Jesus Ramirez Newcomer of the Year
 - Best Portfolio
- Only teams submitting entries in **all categories** will be eligible for the BexarFest Best Portfolio Award.
- The Jesus Ramirez Newcomer of the Year award is available only to teams submitting entries in **all categories** while participating in BexarFest for the **first time**.
- The nonprofit organization will have final approval of all assets created by the high school or out-of-school program team with which it is paired. No entries will be accepted to BexarFest that have not been approved in writing by the featured nonprofit. Teams will provide written approval with final submission.
- All material to be entered in BexarFest must be provided to the nonprofit being featured by 5 p.m. Feb. 10, 2023 for its approval.
- All entries must be submitted digitally through the upload facility provided by BexarFest by 5 p.m. February 17, 2023.
- All teams who are nominated for an award must have at least ONE representative present on award night
- All decisions by the organizers of BexarFest are final. Official updated rules will be included in each team's MOU.