Congressman Welch will host the 29th annual Congressional Art Competition on May 10, 2010. Founded by former Senator Jim Jeffords in 1981, the competition is a unique forum for Vermont's high school artists to showcase their talent and abilities. The winning piece of artwork from Vermont will hang in the U.S. Capitol for a year.

Teachers should click here to download the 2010 Congressional Art Competition Information and Registration Packet. More details will follow soon. Each participating school should send their School Registration Form to Rep. Welch's Vermont office by Friday, March 22nd, 2010. An Artwork Label must be attached to the back of each piece of artwork. The artwork must be received at one of the Vermont Congressional Art Competition delivery locations no later than Friday, April 9th, as the exhibition will be set up shortly thereafter.

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Last year's winning piece: "Self Portrait" by Alison Howland