

NKBA | KBIS

Texas North Plains Chapter 2024 K+B Awards

Official Entry Packet

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Call For Entries

Open to local NKBA members only
First entry is \$150
Subsequent entries are \$80 each
Co-Designer Fee \$50 per entry
Student competition is completely * **FREE** *

Enter NOW!

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All entries are due August 14, 2024

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Winner Recognition

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- Winners will be announced at our Annual Kitchen and Bath Month event on **Wednesday, October 16, 2024**
 - All entries will be displayed at our Annual Kitchen + Bath Month event
 - All entries will have the opportunity to include an item into our Kitchen + Bath Month swag bag (drop off 10/14)
 - All entries have the opportunity to create a presentation board for the Kitchen and Bath Month Evening Event as a part of the "People's Choice Award" for 2023 (drop off 10/14)
- Winners will receive a tangible award
- Winning project photographs will be **featured on our chapter website**
- Winning designers will be shared on our social media platforms
 - All entries will be eligible for a "Friday Feature" on our Instagram page at the board's discretion

Student Competition: both the designer and school will be recognized



Categories

Traditional Kitchen

- Small (under 300 sf)
- Large (300 sf or more)

Classic and timeless spaces, traditional kitchens are defined by their architectural details, decorative moldings and lighting, and customization. They often feature raised panels and furniture-style features as well as brushing/glazing or distressed details.

Traditional Bath

- Small (under 75 sf)
- Large (75 sf or more)

Traditional bathrooms typically have distinguishing characteristics, such as: detailed moldings, furniture-style vanities, unique tile work, and antique-style fixtures. Classic wainscoting and wallpaper are common wall treatments in these spaces.

Contemporary Kitchen

- Small (under 300 sf)
- Large (300 sf or more)

Modern and minimalistic, contemporary kitchens are styled with a more simple and "clean" look in comparison to traditional. Trending color schemes and materials are used, and cabinets are typically slab or flat-paneled. Integrated features are common.

Contemporary Bath

- Small (under 75 sf)
- Large (75 sf or more)

Contemporary bathrooms make use of clean lines, typically flowing curves or hard angles to create interest. Large format materials are commonly used to reduce grout lines in a bathroom space while both floating and integrated features are often seen.



Categories

Universal Design

- Kitchen
- Bath

Also known as "Living in Place," a universally designed space accommodates people of all ages, abilities and physical challenges. The design improves accessibility and safety in the home. *Cannot be entered in another kitchen/bath category.*

Student Competition

- Kitchen
- Bath

Open to students of all ages showing proof of pursuing a design degree or enrolled in a kitchen + bath industry class for the 2023-2024 school year. Students will be provided before plans and client requirements to design from. * FREE TO ENTER *

Specialty Categories:

- Outdoor Kitchen

The outdoor kitchen category will include designs/spaces of any size, but must include a grill and at least 3 of the following items: sink, refrigerator (any size), cabinet/built-in storage, dishwasher, ice makers, additional cooking appliance. *Will not be included in the People's Choice award and cannot be entered in another kitchen category.*

- Design Element

This category represents one special design element in an interior home design. This includes, but is not limited to: bars, stairs, fireplaces, home offices, bedroom built-ins, banquettes, tile work, surface materials (such as counters), specialized wall/floor finishes, masonry, or lighting. Design element can be a part of a space included in another category.



Competition Guidelines

Traditional Kitchen Small 2023 KABA Winner
Rebecca Sutton, CMKBD, CKBR (Kitchen Design Concepts)

- Must be a local member of the Texas North Plains Chapter of the National Kitchen and Bath Association as of February 28, 2024
- Submit professional photography (300 dpi or more)
- Project(s) submitted must have been **completed between July 1, 2022 and July 31, 2024**
- Projects may not have been previously submitted for a KABA in the same category. Submissions to other organizations' awards (ie., Coty, Star Awards, etc.) are eligible.
- Enter project into the one category for which it is best suited based on size and style
- Entries must be **submitted by August 14, 2024**, fee(s) included
- All identifying business/designer information must be omitted, removed, or blacked out from all photographs, floor plans, elevations and design statements
- The entrant must be the main designer on the project. There is a maximum of two co-designers for each project.
- Disqualified entries will NOT be refunded



Entry Checklist

Contemporary Kitchen Large 2023 KABA Winner
Dana Bass, ASID, NKBA, NCIDQ, RID (Dana Bass Designs)

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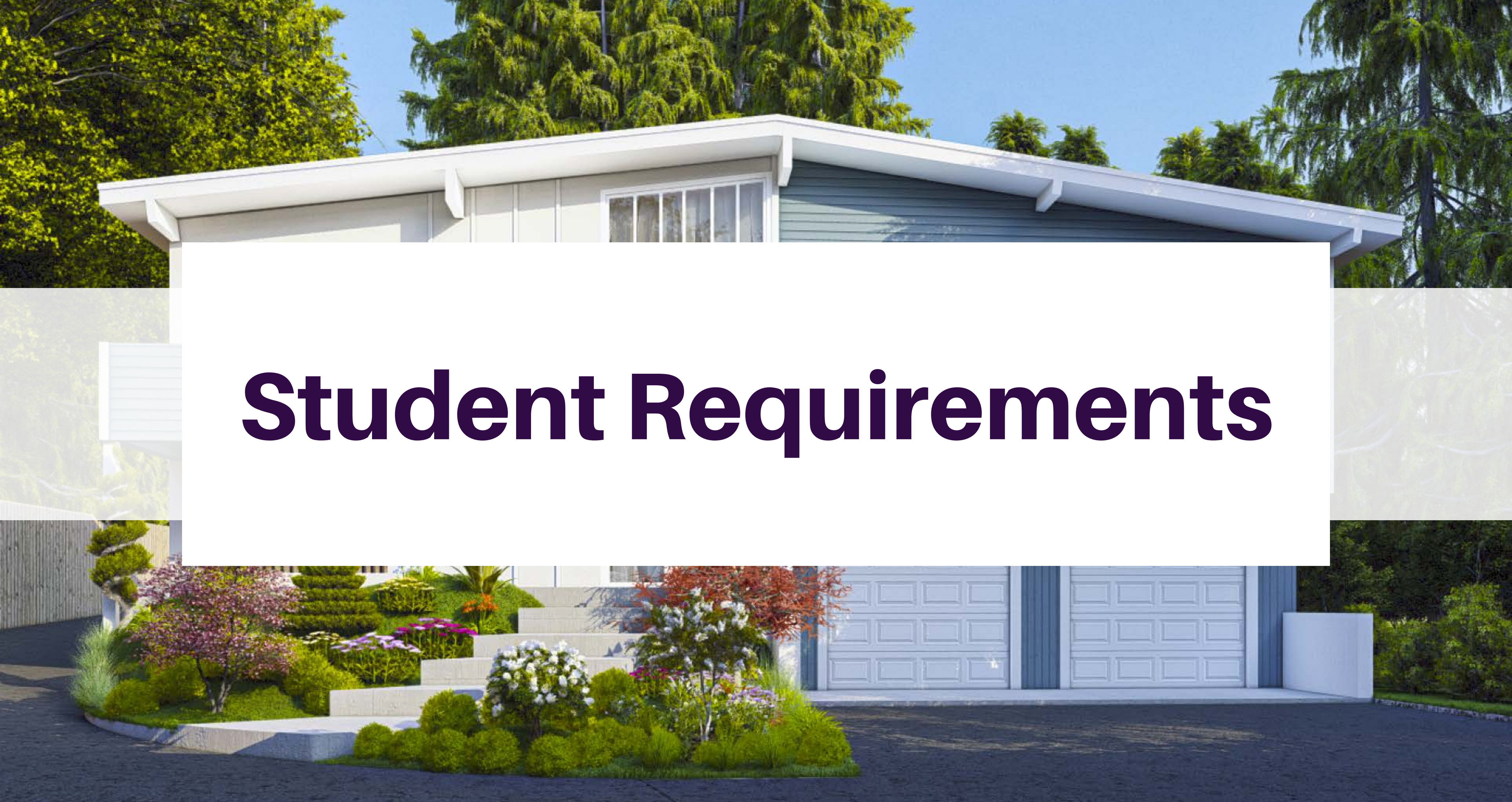
- Project budget, completion date, and square footage
- Design Statement (250 words or less)
- Design Statement Condensed Version to be read at awards ceremony if won (2-3 sentences) and **headshot**
- List of client wants and needs
- List of design challenges and solutions
- Design Packet (**with dimensions**) including at least:
 - Floor Plan
 - Elevation(s) - one minimum
- Optional supporting documents (i.e., perspectives, mood boards)
- Photography
 - After pictures (300 dpi)
 - **Student entrants** will be required to submit a minimum of one rendering and mood board instead of after picture(s)
 - Before pictures (if applicable)
- Signed Photography, Client, and Business Owner release forms
- Ensure that designer and/or company (or school) names/logos are NOT included on any form except where specifically requested



People's Choice

2022 K+B Month Event
Project Presentation Boards

- This category is open to any designer that submits at least one project to the K+B Awards (student entries *excluded*)
- There is **NO additional submission fee**, but you must provide your own printed foam board (18"x24" in size) to be presented during our Annual K+B Month Event on October 16, 2024
- Designer may only submit **one (1) board**
 - This is *regardless* of the number of entries submitted into the Design Competition
- One (1) board will present only **one (1) project**
 - This project must have been submitted to the Design Competition in one of the twelve (12) standard categories
 - The "project" is defined by a singular kitchen, bathroom, or design element, and cannot be - for example - multiple rooms in a singular home
- Each board may be laid out at the designer's discretion and host as little/many pictures of the completed project as desired
- Ensure that designer and/or company names/logos are NOT included on the board in any form
- Winner will be chosen **during K+B Month event** by all attendees



Student Requirements

- Students are NOT REQUIRED to be NKBA members to enter
- Download the **2023-2024 NKBA - Student Design Competition** file from nationals: <https://nkba.org/students/student-design-competition/>
- Students must be working towards a design degree, or taking/have taken a kitchen and bath related course during the 2023-2024 school year
 - Must provide proof of degree/course, signed by a teacher/professor via **Student Release Form**
 - Students who are graduating prior to the submission due date are still eligible to submit
- Students may choose to enter the kitchen, bath, or both categories (but may only submit to each category once)
- Student competition is * **FREE** * to enter
- Entries must be submitted by **August 14, 2024**
- Submission packet must include (at a minimum): floor plan, two (2) elevations, one (1) rendering (color optional), and mood board
- Ensure student, school, and/or teacher name is EXCLUDED in entry