



AMoA's 2019 Youth Art Month Juried Student Art Competition Call for Entries

Guidelines and Requirements – Please Read Carefully

All forms and entry information can also be found at <http://www.themuseum.org/teachers/youth-art-month>.

JURORS: The jurors for this competition will be Michael and Leslie Elliott-Smith, acclaimed local artists and photographers.

ELIGIBILITY:

All K-12 students residing in Rapides Parish are eligible to enter and all visual mediums are accepted. Not all works entered are accepted.

Art Teachers: Please be your school's (and students') contact for this competition. If your school does not have an art teacher and you would like to enter, please select one teacher to be the representative.

Homeschool Parents: You are your child's contact for this competition.

AWARDS:

Awards for First, Second and Third Places, 2 Honorable Mentions and a Viewer's Choice Award will be presented during the Youth Art Month Festival on Saturday, March 9, 2019.

One Viewer's Choice Award will be voted on by the attendees of the Youth Art Month Festival on Saturday, March 9, 2019.

The Youth Art Month Exhibition will be on display at the Alexandria Museum of Art Friday, March 2 – Saturday, April 13, 2019 simultaneously with *Sordid & Sacred: the Beggars in Rembrandt's Etchings - Selections from the John Villarino Collection*.

SCHEDULE:

Call for entries opens:	December 4, 2018
Entry deadline:	January 21, 2019
Emailed Acceptance Notifications:	February 1, 2019
Deadline for delivery of accepted works:	Friday, February 9, 2019 -no exceptions
YAM Opening Reception:	Friday, March 1, 2019 at 6:00pm
Youth Art Month Festival and Awards:	Saturday, March 9, 2019
Exhibition Dates:	March 2 - April 13, 2019
All artwork will be available for pick-up:	April 16 - May 13, 2019

*AMoA is not responsible for works left after May 13, 2019.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:

- Entries must follow all guidelines.
- Teachers may submit 2 entries per grade level. One entry per student.
- All works must be created during the current school year.
- Individual and original artwork only. No reproductions or group projects will be accepted.
- Computer generated artwork or photography will not be accepted in this competition.
- The number of works accepted is based on space availability at AMoA.

HOW TO ENTER:

- Select two students' works from each grade level.
- Take a photo of each work (cell phone is acceptable). Email them to yourself and save each as a JPG with its title as its name.
- Send an email to nancy@themuseum.org with:
 1. Subject Line: YAM ENTRY
 2. Body: Name of Student, Grade Level, Title of Work (do this for all entries).
 3. Attached entry photos with titles.
- All works will be juried and email notifications of accepted works will be made on or before February 1, 2019.

PREPARATION (for accepted works):

- 2-D hanging artwork must be matted and/or mounted in/on white or black, with a 2" border.
- Artwork ***must be ready to hang or display*** - strong backing to keep 2D work flat (backing may be cardboard, foam core or mat board) with a hanging wire or string securely attached. TIP: do not use scotch tape or painters tape to attach wires or string.
- Total dimensions of 2-D artwork should not exceed 25"x31".
- No framed art.
- 3-D pieces are limited to 3' in all measurements and must be less than 20lbs.
- All accepted works must have a Student Art Label securely attached. (Forms may be copied as needed.)

DELIVERY (of accepted works):

- All accepted artwork must be delivered to AMoA no later than **Saturday, February 9, 4:00pm**. No exceptions.
- All entries must be accompanied by one **Teacher Entry Form** and a **Student Entry Form**.

CONSIDERATIONS:

Judges critique works based on creativity, originality and overall presentation.

If you have any questions, visit, <http://themuseum.org/teachers/youth-art-month>,
or contact Nancy Noles at nancy@themuseum.org.

Thank you for all your efforts in supporting our students in the visual arts!



Youth Art Month Teacher Entry Form

Please fill out form and deliver with your accepted pieces. Please print.

School _____

Teacher's Name _____

Email _____ Contact #: _____

Students Name	Title	Medium	Grade
1. _____	_____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____	_____
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12. _____	_____	_____	_____
13. _____	_____	_____	_____
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16. _____	_____	_____	_____

Please make additional copies if necessary.

2019 Youth Art Month Competition Label for Accepted Works
This completed form must be securely attached to the back of all delivered artwork.

NAME _____

TITLE _____

MEDIUM _____

SCHOOL _____

GRADE _____ TEACHERS NAME _____

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