

2025 Student Art Show & Competition

Entry Deadline February 17

- K-2 Grade
- 3-5 Grade
- 6-9 Grade
- 10-12 Grade



Student Entry Form

Name of Student:

Grade:

School:

Entry Title:

Medium:

Price:

Contact Information for Parent or Teacher

Name:

Telephone No.:

Email:

Certification by Teacher or Parent

I hereby certify that the artwork described above is the original work of my student/child and it has been completed in the last two years. I have read and fully understand the rules of the competition and agree to allow the artwork to be reproduced for promotional purposes.

Teacher or Parent Signature

South Arkansas Arts Center
110 East 5th Street
El Dorado, AR 71730
870-862-5474
www.saac-arts.org

CASH PRIZES

Best of Show \$100
SELECTED FROM ALL ENTRIES

& IN EACH DIVISION
K-2 • 3-5 • 6-9 • 10-12

First Place \$50
Second Place \$25
Third Place \$15

\$5.00 Per Entry
2D & 3D Original Artwork
completed in the last 2 years

Entry Deadline
Monday, February 17

Deliver Artwork to
South Arkansas Arts Center

Submit a completed form
with each entry and
write the student's
name, grade and school
on the back of the artwork.

Exhibit
February 24 - April 1
in the SAAC Galleries
Reception Saturday,
March 8, 2:00-3:30pm
Awards Presentation 2:30pm
Pick-up Artwork April 2-3
Sponsor • R. Eric Hatley, M.D.

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OFFICIAL RULES

CALENDAR

Entry DEADLINE • Monday, February 17

First Day of Exhibit • Monday, February 24

Reception • Saturday, March 8, 2:00-3:30pm
with Awards Presentation at 2:30pm

Last Day of Exhibit • Tuesday, April 1

Pick-up Artwork • Wednesday or Thursday, April 2-3



ENTRY FEE: \$5.00 per entry. Payment can be made through the SAAC office by credit card, check or cash. Make checks payable to SAAC. Entry fee is non-refundable.

ELIGIBILITY: The contest is open to all students grades K-12. Work will be divided into four divisions for judging; grades K-2, 3-5, 6-9, and 10-12.

AWARDS: Cash prizes will be awarded to the Best of Show (\$100) selected from all entries received and in each division to First Place (\$50), Second Place (\$25) and Third Place (\$15).

JUDGES: Local artists Dinah Van Hook and Janice Hughes, both retired art teachers and current members of SAAC's Visual Arts Committee, have made significant contributions to the art education community—Dinah, with her Master's in Art Education from Louisiana Tech and over three decades of teaching at South Arkansas College, and Janice, a Southern Arkansas University graduate who initially taught art before transitioning to a school librarian, where she continued to inspire students until her retirement.

ART WORK: All 2-D, 3-D, and multi-media fine arts accepted. All work must have the student's name, grade and school on it. Pieces must be the original work of the student and completed in the last two years. Pieces may not have been previously shown at SAAC. The judge and show chairperson have final authority to define what constitutes an acceptable entry.

SALES: Sales are encouraged. All works NOT FOR SALE must be clearly marked NFS.

DELIVERY & PICK-UP: Works must be delivered to the SAAC Office by Monday, February 17, and picked up on Wednesday or Thursday, April 2-3. Artists are responsible for the delivery and pickup of all works. Shipped pieces must include a return shipping label or instructions when received. Work not picked up after 30 days will become the property of SAAC.

EXHIBITION: All accepted works will be on exhibit in SAAC's Galleries February 24 - April 1. All work must remain for the duration of the exhibit. An artist's reception will be hosted on Saturday, March 8 from 2:00-3:30pm with and the Awards Presentation at 2:30pm.

PHOTO WAIVER & LIABILITY: The receipt of an entry in the exhibition will constitute agreement with all conditions set forth in the prospectus and acknowledgment the artwork may be reproduced for promotional purposes. Every precaution will be taken for the safety of each entry, but neither SAAC, its board, staff, volunteers, nor anyone connected with the exhibition will be responsible for loss or damage however caused preparing work for exhibit.

Don't forget to label your entry!

Write the student's name, grade and school
in pencil on the back of the art work.

