

The Art in

Science, Technology, Engineering and Math



CONTEST RULES

1. ELIGIBILITY AND CATEGORIES

All participants must be students attending grades 1-12 in a public, private or home school in South Texas and may submit only one entry per category and no more than two entries per person.

GRADES 1-2, 3-5

- Wet Media (liquid applied with a brush)
- Dry Media (pencil, ink, marker, printmaking)
- Mixed Media (artwork that is made using two or more mediums ie. collage)

GRADES 6-8, HIGH SCHOOL: ART I-II, ART III-IV

- Wet Media (liquid applied with a brush)
- Dry Media (pencil, ink, marker, printmaking)
- Photography/Digital Art
- Mixed Media (artwork that is made using two or more mediums ie. collage)

Please note that entered works may be re-categorized at the Curator's discretion if medium is incorrectly identified.

2. THEME AND WRITING COMPONENT

Entries should be based on the student's interpretation of this year's theme: *The Art in Science, Technology, Engineering and Math*. As part of Visionarios' support of literacy and weaving art into class curriculum, students are required to submit a short written statement that describes the significance of their creation. Artwork submitted to the contest without a written statement will not be judged and therefore, will not be eligible to win an award.

3. PRESENTATION OF WORK

Entries must be sturdily mounted and preferably matted. Only framed entries must be ready to hang with wire or monofilament line securely attached. If work is framed, please do not use glass. Unframed works will be displayed using push pins. The entry must not exceed 28" in length or width. A copy of the signed student entry form **MUST** be attached to the back of the work.

4. DEADLINE

Entries will be accepted:

- January 31, 2019, 9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.
- February 1, 2019, 9:00 a.m.– 6:00 p.m.
- No entries accepted prior to Jan. 31st or after Feb. 1st.

Entries must be delivered to the Art Museum of South Texas, 1902 N. Shoreline Blvd. by deadline. Teachers should submit class work in groups, along with all the original signed Student Entry Forms and other information listed under "Teacher Checklist."

*Please make sure to enter your information into the online Teacher Entry Form and submit it on the website before bringing your work. Please call 361.825.3504 for assistance, if needed.

5. EXHIBIT AND PICK UP

Please do not submit work that cannot remain on exhibit for the entire cycle or throughout the summer months in the event artwork is selected as a winner.

By entering this contest, you are agreeing to keep your work on view at the Museum without interruption. Entries are scheduled to be on display from February 24 to April 7, 2019 during normal business hours. Winning entries will be exhibited at the Museum during the summer of 2019 and will be kept at the Museum from the time of entry until the end of August 2019.

AWARDS AND PRIZES

Award winners will be notified and prizes will be awarded at the Visionarios Family Day and Awards Presentation, February 24, 2019 from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Art Museum of South Texas.

The following prizes will be awarded for each of the three media categories in elementary (dry media, wet media, mixed media) and each of the four media categories in middle and high school (dry media, wet media, mixed media, photography/digital arts):

- 1st place - \$100
- 2nd place - \$50
- 3rd place - \$25
- Honorable Mention - Museum Family Pass

Each teacher with a student who wins a first place award, will receive a \$50 prize.

Agreement: Sponsors and/or their representatives cannot assume responsibility for theft loss or damage of work submitted before or after the exhibit. No work may be withdrawn prior to the exhibition. We reserve the right to disqualify any entry that does not comply with the regulations of the competition. Signing the official entry form constitutes acceptance of stated conditions and permission to reprint work/winner's photo for publicity purposes.