

2020 Official Rules & Information

San Pedro Art Association Virtual Online Student Art Competition and Exhibition

The San Pedro Art Association (SPAA) All Grades Harbor Wide Student Art Competition is for all Elementary, Middle and High School students in the greater Harbor area. Student 2-D art works that are selected will be featured in an online exhibit that will be shown throughout the summer until September.

This will be our ninth competition and will be presented differently than before due to the current public health concerns and school closings that make it necessary. We are not holding a reception at Crafted this year nor mounting an exhibition there, but will be displaying the selected student artwork online.

Entering the competition is also super easy. Students only need to take a photo of their artwork and text or email it to us along with their name, grade and school. Those students whose artwork is selected for the online exhibition will receive entry forms which will contain a permission line for parents or guardians to sign. You will be able to fill them out and email or text them back to us.

Also new, this year is a video category. We know video is a very popular online medium these days and we would like to encourage students to explore the creative possibilities in short video clips. The clips can be sent by text or email along with the student name, grade and school. We will be offering cash rewards to the different grade levels just like the 2D art.

A panel of art professionals will do judging the artwork. Submitted artwork may be of any appropriate subject matter (at the discretion of the judges).

Art mediums accepted will be: charcoal, pastel (chalk or oil), all drawing materials, all painting materials, photography (darkroom or digital.) All “loose” materials (chalk, pastels) must be sprayed with a proper fixative. Art should be done on paper, canvas, canvas board, or other surfaces appropriate for the medium. We have size guidelines below, but they are just suggestions.

Drawings up to 11” x 15”
Photography – 8” x 10” or 11 x 14”
Canvas board or canvas – up to 16” x20”

CONTACT INFORMATION

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Awards:

Four cash prizes will be awarded for all three-grade categories in 2D art and video:

1st Prize:	\$150.00
2nd Prize:	\$100.00
3rd Prize:	\$75.00
Honorable Mention	\$50.00

Students whose work is accepted into the on line exhibition will receive art supplies, a ribbon and a Student Membership in SPAA through high school.

Reproduction:

Artwork may be reproduced and used to promote SPAA and/or the online or exhibit at Crafted and for distribution to news organizations and publications.

Art will be reproduced and made for sale at Crafted and on line to help raise funds for future Student Art Competitions.

Rules:

Eligibility: Participants must be between the ages of 4 and 18 (TK -Grade12) and be schooled in the greater harbor area (San Pedro, Wilmington, Harbor City, Harbor Gateway South, Harbor Gateway North, Gardena, East Torrance, East Lomita, Rancho Palos Verdes, Palos Verdes and Carson).

Deadline for online or actual submission is June 20th. Please send a jpg photo or video clip by text or email to 310-612-1949 or spaa@sanpedroart.org. Please include the student's name, grade and school.

Artwork also may be brought to SPAA at 376 W. 14th St. San Pedro CA 90731. Please include the student name, grade and school on the back.

All chosen students will need to must submit completed and signed release forms. Students 18 years of age may sign their own forms. No personal information provided on the form will be distributed to outside parties.

When received, the following forms must be filled out in their entirety and emailed back to spaa@sanpedroart.org.