

RCAS & RICHARDSON ISD “Young People’s” ART SHOW

February 22, 2019 – March 22, 2019

Hosted by the Richardson Civic Art Society (RCAS) and the Richardson Public Library
Sponsored in part by the City of Richardson and the Richardson Cultural Arts Commission
\$2,000.00 in Cash Prize Awards

Please carefully read and follow all the instructions in this Prospectus. Failure to do so may result in disqualification from the show. Entry labels for the back of your artwork are included on page 3 of this Prospectus.

ONLINE ENTRY: All work must be entered on line. Online Entry Deadline is **Monday, February 11, 2019, 5pm.** No exceptions. **Please carefully consider which pieces you plan to enter and their titles. Changes after the entry deadline will not be accepted.** The Online Entry Forms can be found on our website at www.richardson-arts.org.

ELIGIBILITY: 9TH, 10TH, 11TH & 12TH Grade Students attending RISD High Schools and High School Students residing in Richardson, but attending non-RISD schools. All 2-D works are accepted including: Painting, Drawing, Collage, and Photography. **Works must be created during current school year.** Prize categories will be awarded as 1st Yr., 2nd Yr., 3rd Yr., or 4th Yr. Art Credit (not by Grade Level), Photography, and Senior Portfolio.

The Richardson Library and/or RCAS reserve the right to reject questionable subject matter: nudes, conspicuous religious or political images or statements will not be accepted. Every effort will be made to screen works at Take-In. If a work is deemed questionable, a RCAS member will notify the artist who will be granted an opportunity to rectify his/her entry.

NUMBER OF ENTRIES: Each Student may enter ONE piece of two-dimensional artwork. Maximum size is 30”x30” (outside measurement – height x width - including mat and/or frame). Seniors may submit SENIOR PORTFOLIOS containing 4 two-dimensional pieces of artwork, in addition to entering one piece into their art year credit category. The 4 pieces in a Senior Portfolio will be judged collectively.

READY TO HANG: All works must be ready to hang. Work deemed unsafe or insecure will not be accepted until corrected.

FRAMED WORK AND CANVAS ON WOODEN STRETCHERS must be wired for hanging using D-rings as shown. **No eye-screws or saw-tooth hangers!**



UNFRAMED ARTWORKS must be mounted on mat board, foam core, or poster board. Velcro dots will be attached to the backs of these works at the time of hanging. The Velcro dots will be provided by RCAS. The Velcro dots will stick to the hanging panels, so no strings, wires or taped hanging materials will need to be attached to the backing board by the student. Please review this short video on the proper way to mat and mount your artwork securely: <https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=G3zEg7txH9U&feature=youtu.be#>

You can use artists masking tape or artist hinging tape (available online or at art supply stores) to attach your artwork to the mat. Please don't use ordinary double-sided scotch tape to secure your mat to the backing board. It will not hold securely once it is hung at the art show. Artist transfer tape is available at local art supply stores or on Amazon for approximately \$8 per roll (example: 3M ATG Adhesive Transfer Tape 924 Clear, 0.25 in x 36 yd).



LABELING YOUR ARTWORK: In addition to online entry, the labels(s) below must be printed, filled out, and attached to the back of the artwork. Please provide your teacher's full name.

Step 1: Please carefully read this prospectus for instructions on preparing your artwork for hanging.

Step 2: Then print out the entry labels below.

Step 3: Please fill out one entry label for each piece of artwork you plan to enter. Please print your name and information legibly.

Step 4: **Important:** Before arriving at the Richardson library for Take-In, cut out and tape completed entry information to the upper back right corner of each artwork (as you look at the back).

Step 5: Return to www.richardson-arts.org. Click on the entry link to the online entry forms. Submit your online entry prior to the Monday, February 11, 2019 deadline.

Scroll down to next page for entry labels and additional instructions:

Art Credit Year (Not Grade Level) 1 Entry

Name	_____
School	_____
Teacher	_____
School Phone	_____
Student Phone	_____
Student Email	_____
Title of Work	_____
Height in Inches*	_____
Width in Inches*	_____
Category (Circle One)	[1 st yr] [2 nd yr] [3 rd yr] [4 th yr] [Photography]

Senior Portfolio 4 Entries

Senior Portfolio	1 of 4
Student Name	_____
School	_____
Teacher	_____
School Phone	_____
Student Email	_____
Title of Work	_____
Height in Inches*	_____
Width in Inches*	_____

Senior Portfolio	2 of 4
Student Name	_____
School	_____
Teacher	_____
School Phone	_____
Student Email	_____
Title of Work	_____
Height in Inches*	_____
Width in Inches*	_____

Senior Portfolio	3 of 4
Student Name	_____
School	_____
Teacher	_____
School Phone	_____
Student Email	_____
Title of Work	_____
Height in Inches*	_____
Width in Inches*	_____

Senior Portfolio	4 of 4
Student Name	_____
School	_____
Teacher	_____
School Phone	_____
Student Email	_____
Title of Work	_____
Height in Inches*	_____
Width in Inches*	_____

*(Use outside measurements including mat and/or frame)

DELIVERY OF WORKS (Take-In): Fri., Feb 22; 4:00pm – 5:45pm and Sat., Feb 23; 10:15am – 1:00pm. Take-in is on the **third floor** of the Richardson Library.

AWARDS PRESENTATION: Awards will be presented Tuesday, March 19, 5:30pm-6:15pm in the basement meeting room of the Richardson Library. Award winners will be notified in advance.

PICK-UP: Thurs March 21, 7:00pm – 8:45pm and Fri, March 22, 4:00pm-5:45pm, Richardson Library 3rd floor.

RCAS and/or the Richardson Public Library will not be responsible for artwork that has not been picked up by 5:45pm on March 22, 2019.

Questions? Please contact Ted or Caren Houston at tedcaren@sbcglobal.net, or call 972 231-6450, (no calls before 8:00am or after 9:00pm, please).

Or contact Myron Stennett, Director of Visual Arts K-12, RISD at 469 593-7450 or myron.stennett@risd.org