

STARK MUSEUM OF ART[®]

Any Way You Slice It 2023 Juried Student Art Exhibition

The Stark Museum of Art is pleased to announce the 2023 Juried Student Art Exhibition on view March 18 – May 13, 2023. The Juried Student Art Exhibition theme is offered in conjunction with the Stark Museum of Art's upcoming special exhibition *The Color Orange* on view May 13, 2023 – February 10, 2024.

The exhibition of student artwork will be juried by Staff at the Stark Museum of Art, and will include up to 100 works of art created by 4th - 12th grade artists in Region 5, TX and Calcasieu Parish, LA. Artwork will be displayed in the museum's Community Art Gallery and featured in an online exhibition. **Artwork should be created in a way to emphasize the color orange.**

Important Dates and Information:

- Registration forms will be available August 16, 2022 at starkmuseum.org.
- A series of three pre-recorded classroom videos will be available beginning November 1, 2022 for teachers to help them discuss this year's theme and guidelines with students. **Videos are available FREE to all teachers, but registration is required to access the videos.**
- **Artwork must be received by the Stark Museum of Art on Wednesday, February 1, 2023 at 5:00 p.m.**
- **Featured Artists and Award Winners will be announced on the Stark Museum of Art website no later than Wednesday, March 8, 2023.**
- All artwork meeting Requirements of Submissions (see reverse) will be scanned and featured in a digital exhibit displayed in the Museum and online.
- A Juried Art Reception is scheduled for Wednesday, April 5, 2023 from 5:00-8:00 p.m.
- **All artwork submitted from Orange County public schools will be delivered to the school on Thursday, May 18, 2023. All other artwork submitted for the Juried Student Art Exhibition must be picked up at the Museum between May 18 and 20, 2023.** Artwork that is not picked up will be deemed donated and will be discarded or used for other purposes as deemed appropriate by the Stark Museum.

**For questions or information, please contact Jennifer Dickinson at 409.221.6685 or
at jdickinson@starkmuseum.org**

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Requirements for Submission:

1. Artist must currently be enrolled in grades 4-12 in public, private, or homeschool in Region 5, TX or and Calcasieu Parish, LA. Artwork will be juried and exhibited in 3 categories: grades 4-5, 6-8, 9-12.
2. **Artwork must be two-dimensional, and either hand-rendered or traditional/digitally manipulated images.**
3. **Artwork must be no smaller than 8" x 10" and no larger than 9" x 12".**
4. Submissions must be on a flat, 2-dimensional surface, no deeper than ¼" inch. Entries on stretched canvas will not be accepted.
5. Matted and/or framed submissions will not be accepted and returned immediately to the submitting artist or teacher.
6. Only one original artwork per artist may be submitted.
7. **Artwork should be created in a way to emphasize the color orange.**
8. Artwork must be appropriate for an audience of all ages, including children. Excessively violent themes, offensive, crude, or derogatory subjects or designs are not permitted. **Stark Museum reserves the right to disqualify artwork which it considers inappropriate for any reason.**
9. Artwork must have a typed label with artist name, grade level, title of artwork, and school on the back of submission.
10. Artist must submit a completed artist statement worksheet with their submission (see registration form). Worksheets should be neatly handwritten or typed. The Museum is not responsible for misspellings due to illegible writing.
11. Completed registration form, with student and parent/guardian signatures, **MUST** accompany the artwork. All students, regardless of age, must have **both** parent/guardian and student signatures. Please do not staple forms to artwork.
12. Artwork will be juried in two rounds. In Round 1 three jurors will view all works in a category and will cast an "IN" or "OUT" vote on each submitted work. Works receiving 2 or more "IN" votes will advance to the second round. A maximum of 400 works from all categories will advance to the second round. In Round 2, works will be judged on 4 criteria: skillful use of chosen medium, commensurate with artist's grade level; composition and design; artist statement; and creativity. Round 2 Score sheets will be returned with artwork at the end of the exhibition.
13. Artwork will be matted for the exhibition using acid-free tape. Artwork featured in the exhibition will be returned matted.

*By participating in the Exhibition, the signatories below agree that the Stark Museum may publicly display the artwork, accompanying statement, and student name and school as it deems appropriate. Submissions not retrieved by the pick-up deadline are donated to the Stark Museum and will be discarded or otherwise used as the Museum chooses. The Stark Museum, at its sole discretion, reserves the right to reject or remove any submission that fails to meet the Requirements or that the Museum may determine to be inappropriate for display as part of the Exhibit. In consideration for acceptance of a student's artwork in the Exhibit, the Stark Museum and the Stark Foundation will have the perpetual worldwide and royalty-free right to use any photographic (including digital) images, video, or audio related to a student's participation in or submission to the Exhibit, as well as the artwork itself, that may be made for promotional, documentary, and/or educational purposes, without compensation to the student artist or his/her heirs or assigns. By participating in the contest, the signatories below agree that the Stark Museum may display and publicize the artwork and student name and school and any images or video related to student's participation as it deems appropriate. Participants and their schools will be identified unless express denial of this permission is attached to this submission form. The Stark Museum and the Stark Foundation, and its directors, officers, representatives, agents and employees, assume no liability for loss or damage to works of art submitted to the Any Way You Slice It: 2023 Juried Student Art Exhibition. Although care will be taken to prevent damage, theft, or loss, there can be no guarantee. **Entry in the show constitutes agreement with these conditions. The adult signing below confirms full authority to grant all permissions herein given.***

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Registration Form & Artist Statement

Student Name: _____ Grade: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____ Phone: _____

School: _____ Teacher: _____

Teacher Email: _____

School Mailing Address: _____

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I understand and agree to the Requirements for Submission for the 2023 Juried Student Art Exhibition sponsored by the Stark Museum of Art.

**Student
Signature:** _____

I agree that my child’s artwork may be submitted as part of the 2023 Juried Student Art Exhibition sponsored by the Stark Museum of Art, and I agree to the Requirements for Submission for myself and on behalf of the student.

**Parent/Guardian
Signature:** _____

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Artist Statement:

Student Name: _____ School: _____ Grade: _____
** THIS INFORMATION WILL NOT BE VISIBLE TO JURORS BUT IS REQUIRED FOR PROCESSING ALL ENTRIES. **

Title: _____

Medium: _____

If this work of art had a hashtag, what would it be? # _____
(You can do better than #cool, #art #vibes, or #thetitleofyourartwork – let your hashtag tell the viewer something about your artwork!)

Describe your artwork: _____

What inspired your meaningful use of the color orange? _____

What technique(s) did you use or learn to make this work of art? _____

What was the hardest part of making this work of art? _____

What was your favorite part of making this work of art? _____

If your artwork had a soundtrack, what song would it be? (Please select any published song)

Song Title: _____

Song Artist: _____