

Oklahoma Student Art Exhibition

2020 PROSPECTUS

Overview: The Oklahoma Student Art Exhibition (OSAE) is FREE to enter and open to all Pre-K thru grade 12 schools across Oklahoma. OSAE is divided into three (3) divisions:

Elementary

Jr. High/Middle School

High School

Additional Category: OSAE offers a section for developmentally challenged students. Each school may submit up to five (5) pieces. All artwork submitted in this section will be eligible for awards. These pieces will be in addition to the 20 pieces allowed for each school and will be included in the count of merit awards.

Judging: Distinguished jurors carefully inspect each piece, then select artwork for display during the Oklahoma State Fair. From these selected pieces, some are given merit and exceptional merit awards during state level judging. All artwork selected for OSAE will be displayed in the Oklahoma Contemporary Arts Center galleries during the Oklahoma State Fair.

\$6,500 in Awards to school art funds!

Awards: \$3,400 in Hobby Lobby gift cards and \$3,100 in cash will be presented to schools. See page 6 for complete award details.

Registration: ONLY TEACHERS MAY REGISTER ARTWORK.

Attention Teachers: If you have student art in the show and are interested in helping to hang the show in September, please contact Sarah Carnes with the OAEA at (405) 570-6701. "Many hands make light work."

Five District Sites for Art Take-In

FIVE sites have been established to make it easier for schools to participate. Each county is assigned to one of the sites. See page 2 for your assigned district.

Art will only be accepted at your assigned district. No exceptions will be made. All accepted art will be picked up at the Oklahoma City Fairgrounds following the Oklahoma State Fair.

Central District - Oklahoma City

State Fair Creative Arts Building - 3100 General Pershing Boulevard, Oklahoma City 73107

Northwest District - Enid

Chisholm Trail Event Center - 111 West Purdue Avenue, Enid 73701

Northeast District - Tulsa

Central Center in Centennial Park - 1028 East 6th Street, Tulsa 74120

Southeast District - Ada

Pontotoc County Agri-Plex & Convention Center - 1710 North Broadway Avenue D, Ada 74820

Soutwest District - Duncan

Chisholm Trail Heritage Center - 1000 Chisholm Trail Parkway, Duncan, OK 73533

Important Dates

Registration Opens

Wednesday, March 4 at 9 a.m.

Registration Deadline

Monday, April 20 at 5 p.m.

Submission of Artwork

Friday, May 8 from 3 - 5 p.m. or Saturday, May 9 from 9 a.m. - noon (Oklahoma City)

Saturday, May 9 from 10 a.m. - noon (Enid/Tulsa/Ada/Duncan)

District Judging

Saturday, May 9 from 2 - 5 p.m. (Oklahoma City)

Saturday, May 9 from noon - 1:30 p.m. (Enid/Tulsa/Ada/Duncan)

Pick-up Unaccepted Artwork & State Qualifier Ribbons

Friday, May 15 from 3 - 5 p.m. or Saturday, May 16 from 9 a.m. - noon (Oklahoma City)

Saturday, May 9 from 2 - 3:30 p.m. (Enid/Tulsa/Ada/Duncan)

State Judging for Awards

Saturday, May 16 (Oklahoma City)

Awards Ceremony

Saturday, September 19 at 11 a.m. in the Capital City Auditorium during the State Fair

Artwork Reclaim

Friday, October 2 from 3 - 5 p.m. or Saturday, October 3, 9 a.m. - noon (all districts)

Creative Arts Building at the OKC Fairgrounds.

Designated Districts by County

Central - OKC

Canadian
Cleveland
Custer
Lincoln
Logan
McClain
Oklahoma
Pottawatomie
Roger Mills
Washita

Northeast - Tulsa

Adair
Cherokee
Craig
Creek
Delaware
Haskell
Le Flore
Mayes
McIntosh
Muskogee
Nowata
Okmulgee
Osage
Ottawa
Pawnee
Payne
Rogers
Sequoyah
Tulsa
Wagoner
Washington

Northwest - Enid

Alfalfa
Beaver
Blaine
Cimarron
Dewey
Ellis
Garfield
Grant
Harper
Kay
Kingfisher
Major
Noble
Texas
Woods
Woodward

Southeast - Ada

Atoka
Bryan
Carter
Choctaw
Coal
Garvin
Hughes
Johnson
Latimer
Love
Marshall
McCurtain
Murray
Okfuskee
Pittsburg
Pontotoc
Pushmataha
Seminole

Southwest - Duncan

Beckham
Caddo
Comanche
Cotton
Grady
Greer
Harmon
Jackson
Jefferson
Kiowa
Stephens
Tillman

* County assignments are based on estimated driving time to the nearest site.

Rules and Guidelines

Please read carefully!

Eligibility: Open to any Pre-K thru grade 12, public or private, Oklahoma school.

Divisions: When registering, indicate if your school is an **elementary, jr. high/middle school or high school**. If you teach at multiple schools, please create separate registrations for EACH school within your account, **Do not create separate exhibitor accounts**. If there are different levels within your school, please create a separate school listing for each (i.e., Washington Elementary School and Washington Middle School).

Entry Limit: Each school may enter up to 20 pieces of art plus an additional one (1) to five (5) pieces in the Developmentally Challenged category for a total of 25. **Note:** *each student may submit only one (1) piece of art, but may also be involved in a group project and/or the Ribbon Recycle Challenge*. As of 2018, the Ribbon Recycle Challenge pieces are to be registered. Pieces may not exceed 30", in any direction, and we must be able to rotate the piece for transport.

Delivery Procedure: All work must be hand-delivered to the designated district take-in site. Please feel free to check with other teachers in your area for help in transporting entries for more than one (1) school. Each entry (individual artwork) must have the OSAE entry label **attached to the back or underside** of the artwork or display board. If you see an option during online registration that asks if you wish to print labels, ignore this request, as they are not the labels you need. **We will email your full set of labels** following receipt of your registration. The attachment of the label on the back should be positioned in a way that indicates the "up" direction. Inventory sheets and artwork entry labels will be sent to the email listed on your registration.

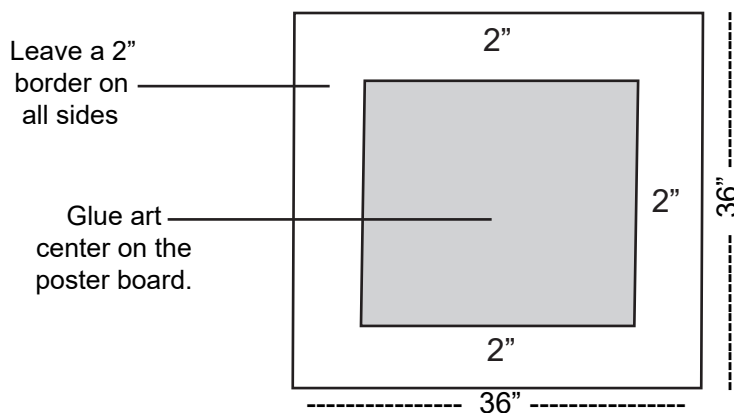
Originality: All entries must be original and created solely by the student. Teachers are encouraged to select high quality work that is original, creative and representative of the child's age level and learning skills. **Work should not use trademarked logos and nude art is not permitted**.

Group Submissions: Group art submissions must be the work of at least two (2) students and be entered under the age of the oldest student. The group number should be listed under "name" during registration. Please list group submissions as Group 1, Group 2, etc., do not list individual student names. **Note:** If a group project receives a merit award, one (1) student must be designated to attend the Awards Ceremony and accept the ribbon on behalf of the group.

Medium: All mediums will be accepted for jury. If you are submitting a mask or any other 3-dimensional hanging piece, please make sure it is READY TO HANG. Hobby kits, models, paint by numbers, edible and reproductions of any sort will not be accepted. **Teachers, please specify the medium from the list provided.**

Size: Artwork, including backing, may not exceed 36" in any direction.

Backing: In order to preserve the integrity of the artwork being submitted, it must be in ready condition to attach to the walls. This will require a 2" border **around** the art to allow us to add the label and staple the piece to the wall without damaging the artwork. Poster board is best, and white is the preferred color, but you are not required to re-mount if it is on another color. If your art is on a stretched canvas or canvas board, it does not need a border. **Note: absolutely no art will be accepted in frames or with mat boards.**



PLEASE do not use mat board as it is too thick to hang. You may add an additional border color next to the art but you must leave a 2" border area for the label, without exceeding the 36" maximum.

IMPORTANT: Place the art labels on the back in a way that indicates the "up" direction of the artwork. Please attach the art to the backing securely, a glue stick is not sufficient.

List of Mediums

<i>Acrylic</i>	<i>Paper mosaic</i>
<i>Batik</i>	<i>Paper sculpture</i>
<i>Beadwork</i>	<i>Paper weaving</i>
<i>Ceramics & Pottery</i>	<i>Pastels</i>
<i>Chalk</i>	<i>Pencil–graphite</i>
<i>Charcoal</i>	<i>Pencil–colored</i>
<i>Clay (non-fired)</i>	<i>Photography</i>
<i>Collage</i>	<i>Plaster</i>
<i>Computer generated graphics</i>	<i>Pointillism</i>
<i>Crayon</i>	<i>Printmaking</i>
<i>Fabric craft–includes weaving</i>	<i>Quilting</i>
<i>Fiber Art</i>	<i>Scratchboard</i>
<i>Foil</i>	<i>Sculpture</i>
<i>Gourds</i>	<i>Silkscreen</i>
<i>Ink</i>	<i>Styrofoam</i>
<i>Jewelry</i>	<i>Tempera</i>
<i>Linoleum</i>	<i>Watercolor</i>
<i>Marker</i>	<i>Weaving</i>
<i>Mask</i>	<i>Woodcraft</i>
<i>Oil paints</i>	<i>Mixed Mediums</i>
<i>Oil pastels</i>	<i>Miscellaneous</i>
<i>Paper collage</i>	

**** If several mediums are used and there is not a predominate medium, please submit artwork as mixed medium. If there is not a close match on the list for the medium used, please submit the piece as miscellaneous.***

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Awards for 2020

The Oklahoma State Fair has partnered with Hobby Lobby & Wade Shows to provide our participating schools gift cards to purchase art supplies.

Student Awards: Students selected for OSAE will receive a state qualifier ribbon following district judging. Students receiving a Merit or Exceptional Merit Award, Best of Show, Judges' Choice or Superintendent's Award will be invited to the awards ceremony during the Oklahoma State Fair. During the awards ceremony, each student will be recognized and given a catalog with the appropriate ribbon, rosette and/or medallion for his/her accomplishment. All gift cards will be distributed during art reclaim.

Note: Teachers of students who are eligible for a "free or reduced lunch" program may submit a letter verifying the eligibility and request one (1) additional outside gate admission ticket for a parent or guardian to attend the ceremony. These requests must be submitted on school letterhead by August 1, 2019. For more information, please call or email the Oklahoma State Fair Creative Programs Manager.

Award Amounts: All gift cards will be in the amount of \$100. Gift cards are provided by our sponsor, Hobby Lobby. ***Cash premiums will be issued in check form by the Oklahoma State Fair and mailed. The check will be made payable to the art department of the school.***

Guidelines: All \$100 Hobby Lobby gift cards and premiums will be presented to the school where the piece of art was created. We encourage schools earning cash and/or gift cards to express your appreciation to Hobby Lobby.

Award Premiums/Gift Cards (total of \$6,500).

- The first 10 schools to register* receive a \$100 Hobby Lobby gift card.
- The 10 schools with the highest number of merit students receive a \$100 Hobby Lobby gift card and \$100 cash.
- The schools of the 3 Judges' Choice winners receive a \$100 Hobby Lobby gift card and \$100 cash.
- The schools of the 3 Superintendent's Award winners receive a \$100 Hobby Lobby gift card and \$100 cash.
- The schools of the 3 Best of Show** winners receives a \$100 Hobby Lobby gift card and \$100 cash.
- The school of the OSAE Teacher of the Year receives \$200 Hobby Lobby gift card.

Ribbon Recycle Challenge - Sponsored by Wade Shows*

- Each of the 3 Wade Shows Ribbon Recycle Challenge winning schools receive a \$100 Hobby Lobby gift card and \$150 in cash.
- The Wade Shows Ribbon Recycle Challenge Best of Show winning school receives an additional \$750 in cash.

*Wade Shows is the carnival provider for the Oklahoma State Fair