



Our Best Yesterday, Today, and Tomorrow Champaign's 150th Anniversary Celebration



ART CONTEST

Student Rules and Entry Form

*Help us celebrate the City's 150th Birthday! Create an entry for the Art Contest that visualizes the theme
Yesterday, Today, Tomorrow • Honor, Celebrate, Build*

Entry open to any child, pre-K through 12th grade that lives within Unit 4 School District boundaries.
Child does not need to attend Unit 4 Schools

Guidelines and Rules

- All art must be flat and may not be more than 3/8" thick. Nothing three-dimensional (beads, noodles, boxes, etc. may extend of the surface of the work.
- Entries can be traditional drawing, painting, photography, computer generated or fiber art.
- No art may exceed 24" x 30", including a mat.
- No copyrighted images (such as cartoon characters).
- Entries must be submitted on paper, canvas board, cardboard, hot or cold pressboard, or canvas (not to exceed 3/8" thickness).
- Mount all paper or canvas entries on sturdy cardboard mats, but not in wood, metal, plastic or glass frames.
- Place the *Student Entry Form* in a sheet protector and secure it with masking tape to the back of the artwork.
- Attach a wire or fishing line hanger to the back of the picture.

All entries must be submitted by students living within Champaign Unit 4 School District boundaries, but students need not be attending Unit 4.

All entries must be submitted to the Mellon Building front desk (703 S. New, Champaign, M-F 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.) by Wednesday, February 9th.

Questions? Contact Lauren Smith, Community Outreach Coordinator – Unit 4 Schools at 351-3722.

Awards

Artwork will be judged in the following age divisions:

Primary: Preschool - Grade 2

Intermediate: Grades 3-5

Middle School: Grades 6-8

High School: Grades 9-12

Selected artwork will be displayed in the Springer Cultural Center from February 25th - March 18th, with an opening reception/awards ceremony on March 3rd at 5:30 p.m. A winner from each age group will be selected at the March 3rd ceremony. A grand prize winner will be announced from the winning age group entries on March 11th at the Champaign 150th Legacy Ceremony. The grand prize design will be replicated on a local billboard.

Artwork for Sale

I would like to offer my artwork for sale, with the proceeds of the sale returned to me. yes no

Price of artwork _____.

(Your contact information will be given to the interested buyer. Further arrangements are up to you.)

Entry form on back

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Student Entry Form

Please Print

First Name _____ M.I. _____ Last Name _____

Address _____ City _____

Zip _____ Phone _____ Email _____

Grade _____ School _____ Age _____ Gender: M _____ F _____

Parent or Guardian to contact _____ Daytime Phone _____

Title of Work _____ Dimensions of artwork (including mat) _____

Medium used (crayons, oil on canvas, photography) _____

Is your artwork for sale? Yes _____ No _____ Price _____

I affirm that this is my original work. If my work is selected as a finalist, I understand it may be used by the City of Champaign.

Signature (student) _____

Signature of parent/legal guardian _____ Date _____

All artwork must be turned in to the Mellon Building (703 S. New, M-F, 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.), attention Lauren Smith. Your entry form must be attached to the back of your artwork and signed by a parent (if you are under 18). A wire or fishing line hanger must be attached to the back of your artwork. Questions? Lauren Smith, 351-3722.