

Young Artists' Summer Show

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Call for entries

An exciting opportunity for students aged 5–19 to exhibit their artwork online and at the Royal Academy of Arts

Open for submissions
11 January – 26 April 2021

Find out more and enter
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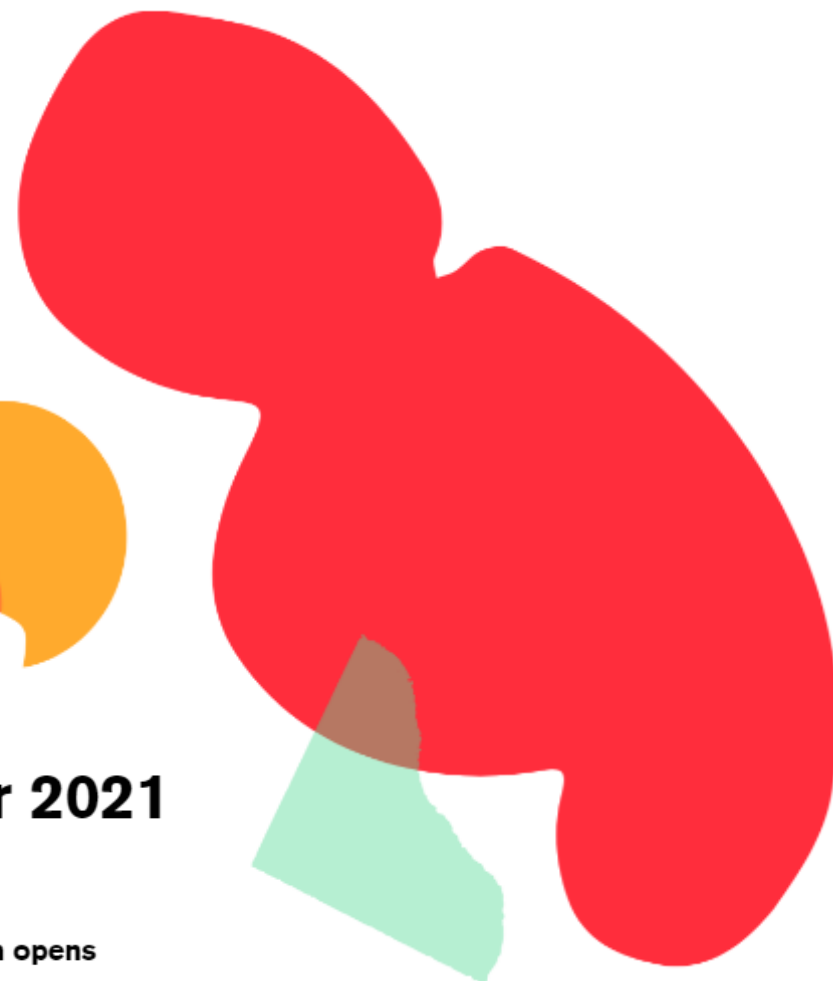
How does it work?

The Young Artists' Summer Show is a free, open submission exhibition for young artists aged 5 - 19 years studying in the UK and British schools overseas.

To take part, teachers must first register their school. Next, students, their parents/guardians or their teachers can submit artworks. These artworks are then judged by a panel of artists and arts professionals with selected artworks displayed online and on-site at the Royal Academy of Arts.

Who can take part?

Students aged 5-19 studying in the UK or attending a British school overseas can enter artworks.



Key dates for 2021

Registration and submission opens

11 January 2021

Submission closes

26 April 2021

Judging

May 2021

Online and onsite exhibitions open

11 July 2021

How can I enter?

Submitting artwork is completely free and is done online. First, a teacher needs to register your school. Once the school is registered, your artworks can be submitted. If you're 12 or under, a teacher or parent/guardian will need to enter for you; if you're 13 or over you can submit artworks yourself.

Each student can submit up to three artworks of any type and there is no theme. When you enter, we'll ask for images of your artwork plus some information about the piece such as title, size, and a little text about the artwork and why you made it. Your artwork will be seen by our panel of judges and the selected pieces will be shown in our online exhibition. Some of the artworks will also be shown at the Royal Academy of Arts.



What kind of artworks do you accept?

The artwork can be made using any medium (a word for the materials you've used to create your piece). It can be a painting, sculpture, photograph, installation, video, drawing, or a combination. There is no theme so artworks can be of any subject and we don't mind when you made the artwork as long as you are between 5-19 when you submit it. We also welcome collaborative pieces made by more than one student, a whole class, or even a whole year group! If you are doing art at GCSE, A Level or BTEC level, we suggest entering artworks that won't be part of your exams.

How does the judging work?

All of the artworks are viewed and judged by a panel of artists and art professionals. There are two sets of judges, one for artworks made by primary students and one for secondary. When the judges make their selections, they choose which artworks will be shown online and which will be shown at the Royal Academy. Everyone who submits artworks will hear from us by the end of May.



Prizes

Prizes are awarded each year for two inspiring artworks from each key stage, as chosen by the President of the Royal Academy, and you can also vote for your favourite artwork in our annual People's Choice Award. Take a look at the [2020 prize winning artworks](#).

You can upload your work below this PowerPoint or if it is too large to upload email it to: school@hansdworth.waltham.sch.uk with FAO Mr Mussell as the subject.

When you upload your art give it a title and a description in the comments box. I also need to know if you want to use your real name, the medium you used (e.g acrylis on canvas) and whether your art is for sale!

Artwork title

This will appear on the label of the artwork if your work is exhibited

Description

This should be a short statement about this particular artwork and what inspired you to make it. It should be no more than 150 words.

Word count:

Alias (optional)

If you would like a name to appear on the artwork label that is not the 'First name' entered earlier, please add it

Alias (optional)

If you would like a name to appear on the artwork label that is not the 'First name' entered earlier, please add it here (e.g. anonymous)

Artwork type

Please select ▼

Medium (optional)

You can add specific materials used to make this artwork here, such as 'Acrylic paint on canvas'

Dimensions

Please select ▼

Available for sale?

If your artwork is selected for the online or onsite exhibition, we would like to know whether it is available to buy should we receive any public enquiries

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No