



Annual Young Artists Showcase Guidelines

2020 Theme- One World: Out of Many, We are One

Sister Cities International aims to promote peace through mutual respect, understanding, and cooperation – one individual, one community at a time. This year's theme is One World: Out of Many, We are One.

This year's theme asks students to explore these questions by highlighting citizen diplomacy and creative ways that we create peace through people-to-people interaction. How can internationally engaged future leaders help communities respond to the various global challenges of the 21st century? In what ways does international experience (not just limited to travel abroad) affect an individual or community's ability to adapt? What are some examples/illustrations of coming together and celebrating our humanity?

MEDIUM & SPECIFICATIONS

- One (1) piece of artwork will be accepted from each U.S. member community and one (1) from each of their sister cities. After the state wide shelter in place order is lifted the winning entrant will be required to submit the actual artwork to the Red Wing Sister City Commission who will forward it to SCI.
 - ◊ Ex. Oil paint, acrylic paint, watercolor, charcoal, colored pencil, crayon, ink, marker, etching, collage, and more!
- Only two-dimensional (2D), unframed artwork will be accepted. All entries must be supported by matting if applicable.
- Dimensions of the art and matting must not exceed 24 in. x 36 in. (61 cm. x 91 cm.).

Students must be between 13 and 18 years of age at the time of the 2020 deadline.

*The student must be affiliated with a dues-paying member of Sister Cities International or an international community with a dues paying sister city. The Red Wing, MN Sister Cities Commission has this affiliation.

*All entries must meet the criteria listed above, or will be ineligible and returned to the artist.

*All entries must conform to Sister Cities International's policy on plagiarism found at sistercities.org/YAAS.

*The application accompanies this email. You may copy and paste the application to complete it and return as an attachment with your art piece. The Sister Cities section will be completed by the Red Wing SC YAAS Committee.

***Take 1-3 pictures of your artwork from different angles and attach those along with your application to an email and send it addressed to shawn@redwingarts.org**

Red Wing, MN local competition entrants must email a clear picture of the art piece and a copy of the application to shawn@redwingarts.org

All entrants will be judged by a panel of judges chosen by the Red Wing Sister City YAAS Committee. One winner from Red Wing will be chosen. That winner's artwork will be forwarded to SCI by the Red Wing YAAS committee to be entered into the national competition.

AWARDS

- All artists' work will be published to Sister Cities International's [website](http://www.sistercities.org)
- One (1) U.S. artist and one (1) international artist will be selected as Grand Prize Winners.
- **Each Grand Prize Winner will receive \$1,000 cash!**
- Five (5) U.S. and five (5) international finalists will be selected.
- After the conference, the artwork will go on a tour to select cities across the U.S.

There is NO FEE to enter the Young Artists Showcase.

Please print clearly in English and enclose this form with the artwork

******NEW DEADLINE****: SUBMISSION MUST BE emailed BY APRIL 30, 2020 **** NEW DEADLINE******

Artist Information:	
Full Name (First, Last)	
____/____/____	_____
Birth Date (MM/DD/YY)	Gender
_____	_____
Phone Number	E-mail Address
_____	_____
Mailing Address (Street, City, State, Zip Code, Country)	

Title of Artwork	

Sister Cities Member Sponsor Information:	
Sister City Program Sponsoring the Entry	

Sister City Contact Person	
_____	_____
Phone Number	E-mail Address
_____	_____
Sister City Program Address (Street, City, State, Zip Code, Country)	

How did you hear about YAAS?	

Please tell us what inspired you to create this work. Continue on another sheet of paper if you need more space.

Artist's Waiver

I understand that all showcase entries become the artistic property of Sister Cities International. Although the artist retains his/her copyright for other uses, Sister Cities International will retain perpetual, non-exclusive rights to use submitted artwork in any future publication, promotional material, and/or online service with no compensation other than credit with the artist's name and community. Sister Cities International takes no responsibility and will not compensate for any lost or damaged artwork.

By submitting this entry, I agree to give Sister Cities International, its members and affiliates permission to publish and display the submitted entry at public exhibits, online, in publications and/or in promotional materials, at the discretion of Sister Cities International. I agree to abide by all the rules and terms of the showcase and agree to waive all claims of any kind against the showcase organizers.

Date

Signature of Artist

Date

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Would you like the artwork returned?

- NO, I hereby donate my artwork to Sister Cities International to sell as an item at its Annual Conference silent auction.
- YES, I would like my artwork returned.

If the art is to be returned, please indicate below the recipient's address. P.O. Boxes cannot be accepted by the mail service.

The return address is:

Submit this application and 1-3 pictures of your art work via email to shawn@redwingarts.org no later than midnight April 30, 2020.