

41st Annual Agnes Markwalter Youth Art Exhibition

The Gertrude Herbert Institute of Art, in collaboration with the Markwalter Family is pleased to announce the 2020 Agnes Markwalter Youth Art Competition. **This year's theme is *Take A Journey Through Art*.**

Divisional entries from each school will be on exhibit in the student galleries at the Gertrude Herbert Institute of Art, 506 Telfair Street, from February 26 - March 20, 2020. All entries must be available to hang for the duration of the exhibition.

Entries for this competition will be accepted from all private and public schools and home school associations (K-12) in Aiken, Burke, Columbia, McDuffie and Richmond counties. The entry deadline is Friday, February 14, 2020 by 4:30 p.m.

A reception and awards presentation will be held on Wednesday, February 26, 2020 from 4:30 – 5:30 p.m. at the Gertrude Herbert Institute of Art. Awards will be presented at 5:15 p.m.

If you should have questions about any information contained in this brochure, please feel free to contact **Cathleen Yates, Education Director** at cyates@ghia.org or 706.722.5495.



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Divisions

Please note the divisions listed below. Ribbons and prizes will be awarded for “Best of Show” and for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners in each division. All other participants will receive a certificate. Professional artists and/or art educators will jury the competition.

Division 1 - Elementary School (Grades K - 2)

Division 2 - Elementary School (Grades 3 - 5)

Division 3 - Middle School (Grades 6 - 8)

Division 4 - High School (Grades 9 - 12)

Juror: Kristi Jilson

Kristi Jilson joined the executive leadership team at Westobou in early 2014. She is responsible for overseeing all strategic and operational efforts, financial planning and fundraising, and the artistic direction of the organization's multi-arts festival, year-round gallery space, and various other events and programs. Prior to Westobou, Kristi worked in various management roles for the Savannah College of Art and Design (SCAD). Additionally, Kristi has a diverse arts administration background including co-founding an artist co-op and serving on multiple Boards and committees. She is an ambitious leader whose enthusiasm for projects is contagious. Kristi is a 2007 graduate of SCAD.



Rules and Regulations

All entries must be delivered to the Gertrude Herbert Institute of Art, 506 Telfair Street, Augusta, GA, on Thursday, February 13, or Friday, February 14, 2020 between 10 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Works must have been completed within the current school year. A copy of the application on the back of this form must be completed legibly and attached to each submitted artwork. Please photocopy the required number of applications.

- Artwork must be created entirely by the student.
- Two- and three-dimensional artwork may be submitted.
- **Include a summary list of all entries in addition to labeling the works individually.**
- Only one entry per student is permitted
- Three entries per division will be accepted from each participating school.
- Two-dimensional entries must not be larger than 18 x 24 inches (excluding matting). Artwork that is three-dimensional is restricted to a base size no larger than 15 x 15 inches.
- Entries must be matted and firmly secured to backing board and available to hang for the duration of the exhibition.
- Artwork mounted in heavy frames and/or under glass will not be accepted.
- Teachers of students receiving awards will be notified.

Artwork Pick up

All artwork submitted should be picked up by the teacher, not the student or their family, Monday – Thursday, March 23 – March 26, 2020 between the hours of 10:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.