


REFLECTIONS

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VISUAL ARTS



- ❖ Only new pieces of artwork inspired by the theme may be submitted.
- ❖ Each entry must be the **original** work of one student only.
- ❖ **2D** artwork (e.g. drawing, painting).
- ❖ Dimensions must not exceed **24x30 inches**, including matting.
- ❖ Paper and poster board entries must be mounted on sturdy material.
- ❖ Include **one digital image of artwork** with your submission (Accepted file formats: JPEG, JPG, and PNG).
- ❖ Framed artwork and artwork containing loose materials is **not** accepted. Matting is accepted.

PHOTOGRAPHY



ACCEPTED FORMS OF PHOTOGRAPHY INCLUDE:

- ❖ A single photo, panoramic, photomontage (one print of multiple original photos), a multiple exposure, negative sandwich or photogram.
- ❖ **Original** black-and-white and color images are accepted.
- ❖ Accepted file formats: **JPEG, JPG, and PNG.**
- ❖ Only new pieces of artwork inspired by the theme may be submitted.
- ❖ Each entry must be the **original** work of one student only.
- ❖ Print must be **no smaller than 3x5** and **no larger than 8X10** inches.
- ❖ Print must be mounted on sturdy material such as cardboard or poster board **not to exceed 11x14 inches**, including matting.
- ❖ Dimensions must be **at least 640x960** (pixels) and 300 dpi (resolution).

NON-ACCEPTED FORMS OF PHOTOGRAPHY INCLUDE:

- ❖ Entries with added graphics over the image, including lettering, are not accepted.
- ❖ Collages and collections of photos are not accepted.
- ❖ Original film (negatives or transparencies) and multidimensional pieces are not accepted.
- ❖ Framed photos are not accepted.

LITERATURE



- ❖ Prose, poetry, drama, reflective essay, narrative, or short story.
- ❖ Only new pieces of artwork inspired by the theme may be submitted.
- ❖ Each entry must be the **original** work of one student only.
- ❖ Entry must not exceed **2,000 words**.
- ❖ Handwritten & typed entries are accepted on **8.5x11 paper (one sided only), PDF file**.
- ❖ **Number** each page.

FILM PRODUCTION



- ❖ Only new pieces of artwork inspired by the theme may be submitted.
- ❖ Each entry must be the **original** work of one student only.
- ❖ Video must not exceed **5 minutes** in length and **1,000 MB** (1,000 megabyte) in file size.
- ❖ Accepted file formats include: **AVI** and **MP4**
- ❖ Use of background music **must be cited** on the student entry form.
- ❖ If necessary, label CD/DVD/flash drive with title of artwork, arts category and division.

ANIMATION	NARRATIVE	DOCUMENTARY	EXPERIMENTAL	MULTIMEDIA
Demonstrates motion by sequencing still objects or using computer-generated graphics.	Tells a fictional story developed by the student.	Presents facts and information.	Explores movement, light and montage.	Uses a combination of different contents (text, audio, still images, animation, etc.).

MUSIC COMPOSITION



- ❖ All instruments, sounds, styles and combinations are accepted.
- ❖ Software may be used to produce an audio recording that **does not** include commercially pre-programmed imported MIDI or other source files.
- ❖ **Music score/tablatore/notation required** for middle school and high school divisions.
- ❖ Accepted file types include **PDF**.
- ❖ **Notation software** may be used to create a score. Whether the score is handwritten, or computer-generated, appropriate instrumentation and voicing are **required** for the performance.
- ❖ Only new pieces of artwork inspired by the theme may be submitted.
- ❖ Each entry must be the **original** work of one student only.
- ❖ Audio recording must not exceed **5 minutes** in length and **1,000 MB** (1,000 megabyte) in file size.
- ❖ Accepted audio file formats include **MP3** and **WAV**.
- ❖ If necessary, label CD/DVD/flash drive with title of artwork, arts category and division.

DANCE CHOREOGRAPHY



- ❖ Only new pieces of artwork inspired by the theme may be submitted.
- ❖ Each entry must be the **original** work of one student only.
- ❖ Video must not exceed **5 minutes** in length and **1,000 MB** (1,000 megabyte) in file size.
- ❖ Accepted file formats include: **AVI** and **MP4**.
- ❖ **Cite background music** (if any) on the student entry form.
- ❖ If necessary, label CD/DVD/flash drive with title of artwork, arts category, and division.

IF YOU'RE INTERESTED...

Please email: reflectionsforlms@gmail.com

THANK YOU! 😊

DEADLINE:
NOVEMBER 5, 2020