

# 2023 Youth Art Show

## Rules and Guidelines

Please read the rules and guidelines for the 2023 Youth Art Show to ensure your entry is accepted.



1. All participants must register online at [www.aqha.com/yas](http://www.aqha.com/yas) by **October 27, 2023**. If registration is not received, student's artwork will not be judged for the exhibit. All entries will receive a confirmation email from the museum stating the proper forms were received.
2. We are interested in work that captures the spirit of the American Quarter Horse and celebrates the artist's unique love of horses.
3. All Submissions must be dropped off at the American Quarter Horse Hall of Fame & Museum by Wednesday, November 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023.
4. Eligible entries will be juried by a committee and winners will be announced at our reception on December 8.
5. Artwork must be **no larger than 15" x 19"** and securely mounted on no larger than a 16" x 20" piece of flat black foam core with a **minimum of a one-inch border** around the artwork. (The one-inch border allows our staff to hang the art for display without damaging the piece.)
6. Contestants are limited to one entry each. Entries may be in a medium of the artist's choice but must be a medium presentable on good quality bond or drawing paper, or illustration board.
7. In addition to artwork, students must submit their 100-word essay explaining what inspired their art piece.
8. Three dimensional pieces will be accepted on a limited basis.
9. Entries using photography, or graphic design as their primary medium will not be considered for this contest.
10. Entries are not to be framed.
11. Composition must be original.
12. Selected pieces will hang in the American Quarter Horse Hall of Fame & Museum to be viewed by the public.
13. Students eligible for entry must be 11-18 years old.

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