



Calling young artists!

Entries are now being accepted for the Youth Poster Exhibition

Poster theme: "My Community"

Deadline: February 12, 2020

Register for free workshops to learn new techniques and get help to create your poster!

For details, visit menlolibrary.org/poster

CASH PRIZES

Grades 2-3	\$75
Grades 4-6	\$100
Grades 7-8	\$125
Grades 9-12	\$150

APPLICATION FORM. Entries must be submitted on paper with this application form. See back of form or visit menlolibrary.org for rules and how to enter.

Name: _____ Grade: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

School: _____

Parent or teacher name: _____

Questions? 650-330-2501

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EXHIBITION RULES



PURPOSE

The Menlo Park Youth Poster Exhibition celebrates youth creative expression and inclusive community spirit. Original works of poster art on the theme, "My Community" may be entered for consideration in one of the following school grade categories:

- Grades 2-3
- Grades 4-6
- Grades 7-8
- Grades 9-12

ELIGIBILITY

Entrants must live or attend school in Menlo Park, California.

ENTRIES

Entries must be submitted on 11" x 17" paper by the creator of the original work. Artwork should have a blank border at least 1/8" wide around all four edges of the paper. Do not fold artwork. Only original, previously unpublished artworks will be considered. Anonymous entries will not be considered. Limit one entry per child/youth.

DEADLINE

Entries must be received no later than **February 12, 2020**. Late entries will not be considered.

HOW TO SUBMIT AN ENTRY

Entries must be submitted on 11" x 17" paper with completed application form. Electronic entries will not be accepted. Entries without an application form will not be accepted. Entries should be submitted in person or by mail to: Menlo Park Main Library, 800 Alma St., Menlo Park 94025 **or** Belle Haven Branch Library, 413 Ivy Dr. Menlo Park 94025. Entries must be received by the deadline.

SELECTION PROCESS

Entries will be reviewed by a juried panel of Menlo Park librarians and expert volunteers. Award winners will be selected in each category on the basis of the quality of the artwork, relevance to theme, eligibility of entrant, etc., as determined by the panel. The panel's decisions are final.

ARTIST RECEPTION

A wide selection of submitted posters will be placed on public exhibition at the Belle Haven Branch Library throughout the month of March, beginning with an artists' reception at **6:30pm Friday, February 28**.

AWARDS CEREMONY

All youth artists who submit posters by the February 12 deadline will be honored in a special ceremony at the Menlo Park City Council at **6:30 pm Tuesday, March 10**.

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