



Pentel of America, Ltd. is delighted to announce the 54th International Children's Art Exhibition (ICAE).

The following guidelines are set forth for the ICAE:

1. Each child may submit only one piece of artwork.
2. Students are encouraged to be original and use their imagination.
3. The expressed ideas and representation should be clear and understood by a third person.
4. The child must create the art solely, with no assistance from parents, teachers, or others.
5. The judges give very careful consideration to works that depict native characteristics and other special features.
6. Computerized artwork will not be accepted. Any artwork created with the aid of a computer will not be considered eligible.
7. Artwork cannot exceed 18" x 24".

Awards for the International Children's Art Exhibition will be distributed in the following categories:

- Supreme Gold Award
- Gold Award
- Silver Award
- Bronze Award
- Pentel Award

Winners for the International Children's Art Exhibition will be announced in the spring.

Please read the "Terms of Participation" below, and inform teachers and students of the opportunity to participate in this worldwide event. We anxiously await the creations of your students.

TERMS OF PARTICIPATION

ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN Monday, October 31, 2023 TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR JUDGING.

Please submit your entries early.

ELIGIBILITY: Students residing in the United States who are at least three years of age and no more than 15 years of age on **January 1, 2024**, are eligible. An educator must represent all entries. **NO ARTWORK WILL BE ACCEPTED WITHOUT PROPER REPRESENTATION BY A SCHOOL OR EDUCATOR.**

MEDIA: Drawings, paintings, collages, or woodcut print designs. Entries should be flat and two dimensional. **ALL ARTWORK MUST BE THE ORIGINAL PRODUCT. NO PHOTOCOPIES OF ARTWORK WILL BE ACCEPTED.**

THEME: Up to each student's imagination. Instructors are requested to examine and select items suitable for exhibition.

A parent or legal guardian of each applicant must complete and sign the waiver at the bottom of this document.

Visit **www.pentel.com/ICAE** or contact **icae@pentel.com** for more information on Pentel and the International Children's Art Exhibition.

HOW TO SUBMIT ARTWORK

Fill out the ICAE Entry Form (Form No. 1) and waiver (Form No. 3) for each entry. Cut and attach Form No. 1 to the back of each entry.

Place the completed Form No. 2 and all waivers (Form No. 3) in an envelope labeled "CONTESTANT INFORMATION" and tape the envelope to the outside of the shipment of artwork. All submissions become the express property of Pentel of America, Ltd., and its parent company, Pentel Co., Ltd.

Artwork will not be returned. Please photocopy or photograph artwork prior to submission if you desire a copy of your students' artwork.

Pentel of America, Ltd., and Pentel Co., Ltd., reserve the right to use submitted artwork in printed materials, and to donate any or all entries to a charitable organization.

HELPFUL SUGGESTIONS

Please limit the size of the artwork. Artwork should be 18" x 24" or smaller.

DO NOT MATTE ARTWORK. Selected pieces of artwork are framed and matted in Japan. It is not necessary to mat the artwork – it only increases shipping costs for everyone.

PLEASE COMPLETE ALL FORMS. We receive thousands of entries – these forms help us track students, teachers, and schools. Place all forms in the "Contestant Information" envelope.

General Procedure:

1. Collect artwork from students.
2. Complete one ICAE ENTRY FORM (FORM NO. 1) and one ICAE Waiver (FORM No. 3) for each entry.
3. Tape the ENTRY FORM (FORM NO. 1) to the back of each entry submitted.
4. Complete the LIST OF ENTRIES (FORM NO. 2).
5. Place the WAIVER and the LIST OF ENTRIES in an envelope labeled "CONTESTANT INFORMATION," and tape this envelope to the outside of the artwork shipping box or package.
6. Mail to Pentel of America (see address below); **ENTRIES MUST ARRIVE BY Monday, October 31, 2023**
7. Winners will be announced in early May 2024.

Please remind teachers and parents to photocopy or photograph artwork prior to submission. Original artwork is distributed among participating countries for international tours. Only a few pieces are returned for the United States and will not be returned to the artists.

WHERE TO SUBMIT ENTRIES

INTERNATIONAL CHILDREN'S ART EXHIBITION
Pentel of America, Ltd.
Attn: Marketing Department
4000 East Airport Drive, Suite C
Ontario, CA 91761

ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN Monday, October 31, 2023 TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR JUDGING.

FORM NO.1 ENTRY FORM

Please attach one of these forms to the lower right-hand corner of the back of each entry.
***Entries submitted without these forms will be disqualified.**

INTERNATIONAL CHILDREN'S ART EXHIBITION		COUNTRY	ENTRY NUMBER	
NAME		SEX	AGE	
		M <input type="checkbox"/>		
		F <input type="checkbox"/>		
TITLE				
SCHOOL NAME		TEACHER'S NAME		

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NAME		SEX	AGE	
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		F <input type="checkbox"/>		
TITLE				
SCHOOL NAME		TEACHER'S NAME		

FORM NO. 2

THE INTERNATIONAL CHILDREN'S ART EXHIBITION

COUNTRY	LIST NUMBER	DATE
SCHOOL NAME	TEACHER NAME	
ADDRESS _____ _____	TEACHER E-MAIL	
	TELEPHONE NUMBER	NUMBER OF ENTRIES

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FORM NO. 3

WARRANTIES, WAIVERS, RELEASE AND ASSIGNMENT OF RIGHTS

By entering the International Children's Art Exhibition (ICAE), the parent/guardian of the applicant represents and warrants that the work submitted is an original work of art created solely by the child, with no assistance from parents, teachers or others and that no other person or entity owned or otherwise controlled the rights, title and interest in and to the work of art on the date it is submitted to Pentel of America, Ltd. on behalf of Biiku Bunka Kyokai, the Art Education Culture Foundation and the ICAE (hereinafter referred to jointly as Pentel of America, Ltd.).

By submitting the work of art, the parent/guardian, on behalf of the applicant, irrevocably assigns and grants to Pentel of America, Ltd., and its affiliates and related entities, all rights, title and interest in and to the work of art submitted on behalf of the applicant, including copyright rights, if any, and grants permission to Pentel of America, Ltd., to exhibit, use, publish, copy, display, archive, modify, store, distribute, reproduce, or publicize all or part of the work of art, including, but not limited to photographs, video, films or recordings made of the work of art.

The parent/guardian of the applicant also grants permission to Pentel of America, Ltd. the right to use the applicant's name, voice and likeness as well as Photographs, films or recordings made thereof. The parent/guardian agrees that the use of the work of art, as well as copies, reproductions, photographs, video, film or recordings thereof, and/or the name, voice and likeness of the applicant are at the sole discretion of Pentel of America, Ltd. The parent/guardian agrees that said use may be for any purpose, including without limitation, promotional, advertising, traveling exhibitions, and/or the web sites for Pentel of America, Ltd. and its subsidiaries, affiliated or related entities.

In submitting the work of art, the parent/guardian grant to Pentel of America, Inc. and its affiliates, subsidiaries and related entities, permission to use the name, voice, likeness and/or photographs, video, film or recording of the applicant and/or the work of art, in any and all media, worldwide, now known and existing or created or developed in the future, in perpetuity, without notice and without compensation, to applicant or his/her parent/guardian except where prohibited by law.

By entering the International Children's Art Exhibition, the parent/guardian accepts and agrees to be bound by these rules and provisions.

Signed By _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian of _____