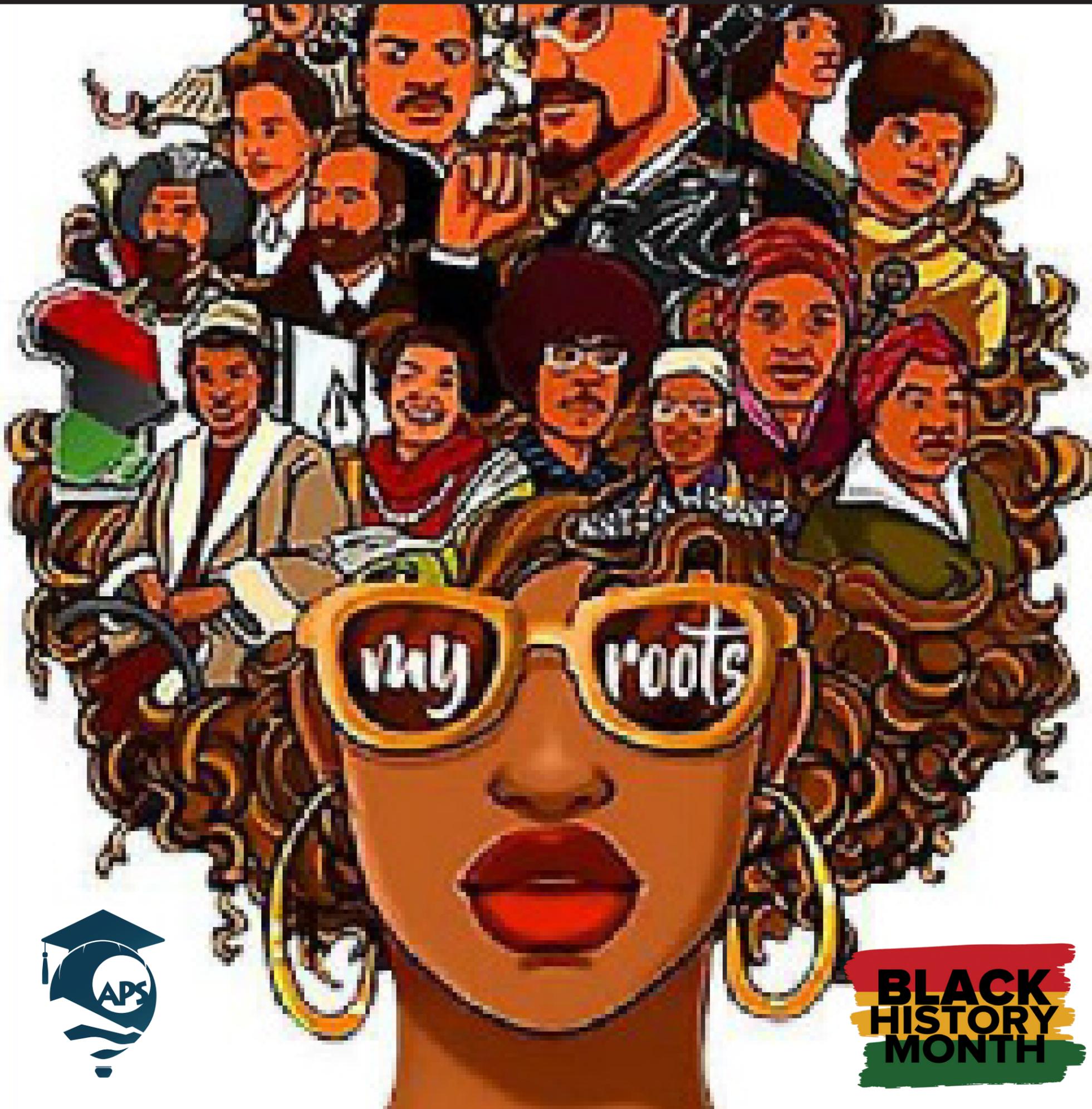


APS Visual and Performing Arts 2026 Black History Art Contest



The contest is open to all Albuquerque Public School students, grades K-12. Winner's will be selected, and prizes will be awarded in three categories: Elementary, Middle and High School

Here's how to enter:

1. Create art that truly commemorates and celebrates Black History. You may use any media you want: canvas, pencil, paint, charcoal, crayon, marker, you can make a sculpture, write a poem, or short story, you can use any art medium. Art must be student's own original work (no computer generated art).
2. Write your name, your grade, your teacher's name and your school's name on the back or bottom of your art.
3. Turn art & permission form into your teacher or drop them off at Albuquerque Public School Visual and Performing Arts Department, located at 912 Oak Street, SE, building M, Albuquerque New Mexico, 87106. Art must arrive by February 27, 2026. Hours of operation are Monday-Friday, 8am – 4pm.
4. One submission per student. The 2026 theme for Black History Month is **“A Century of Black History Commemorations.”**

Questions: (402) 714-6744 or visit www.blackhistoryartcontest.com