

# TEDx Gainesville High School Art Show/Contest

TEDx Gainesville High School is scheduled for Saturday, April 27, 2024 at Gainesville High School. STEAM in Education is our theme (science and art). We'd love to have your art on exhibit and in our art contest.

Rule #1: 2D projects should be no bigger than 2' x 3'. These do not have to be framed.

Rule #2: 3D projects should be no bigger than a breadbox. If you have a piece that is bigger than a breadbox, please contact Ms. Dupler at [duplerj@gm.sbac.edu](mailto:duplerj@gm.sbac.edu) for approval (space is limited).

Rule #3: You can be any age, and you can collaborate with other people on your project.

Rule #4: Art can be any size, but display space is limited, so if our multipurpose room fills up, additional or exceptionally large pieces will be displayed in a slideshow.

Rule #5: Only original pieces free of copyright or trademark images or materials will be accepted.

Rule #6: Up to three entries per person will be accepted. If you collaborate on a piece that is entered, that will count as one entry.

Rule #7: Artists do not need to be members of the GHS community, but it will be their responsibility to get the artwork to the school and to pick the artwork up no later than one week after the event. Pieces not claimed within one week of the event may be discarded.

Procedure: All entries must be submitted one week prior to the day of the event. Pieces that are exceptionally large or are entered after the display venue is full will be photographed and immediately returned (and not stored); the photos will be placed in a slideshow for display.

Attendees of the event will each be given three ballots on which they will place their top three favorite pieces. The pieces with the most votes will win.

The first place winner will receive first choice of an in-kind prize and display in the media center and on the TEDx website. The second place winner will receive second choice of an in-kind prize and will be put on display in the media center and on the TEDx website. Third place winner will receive the last choice of the in-kind prizes and will be put on display in the media center and on the TEDx website.

All entries must be accompanied by this signed form and one 3'x 5' index card that includes the artist's name, title of artwork, and a list of materials used. If your work is not for sale, write "Not For Sale" on the card. If your work is for sale either list the price; all proceeds from the art sale will go toward the TEDx funds to be used for future TEDx events Any additional information included on the card is voluntary.

Event organizers will do their best to protect the artwork from damage or destruction, but will ultimately not be responsible for pieces that entrants willingly put on display.

Artist: I agree to the above.

Artist's Name: \_\_\_\_\_(printed)

Artist's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

# What is a TEDx event?

Imagine a day filled with brilliant speakers, thought-provoking video and mind-blowing conversation. By organizing a TEDx event, you can create a unique gathering in your community that will unleash new ideas, inspire and inform.

A TEDx event is a local gathering where live TED-like talks and performances are shared with the community. TEDx events are fully planned and coordinated independently, on a community-by-community basis. The content and design of each TEDx event is unique and developed independently, but all of them have features in common.

## TED's format

A suite of short, carefully prepared talks, demonstrations and performances that are idea-focused, and cover a wide range of subjects to foster learning, inspiration and wonder – and provoke conversations that matter.

## Diversity of topics

All TEDx events present multiple issues and a diversity of voices from many disciplines. After all, what's the fun without a little variety?

## Community-driven and bias-free content

A TEDx event is organized by volunteers from the local community, and just like TED events, it lacks any commercial, religious or political agenda. Its goal is to spark conversation, connection and community.

## What a TEDx event is not:

A TEDx event isn't an industry or marketing conference. It isn't limited to one topic or field. It isn't used to sell something.

A TEDx event is not organized by or for special-interest political, religious or commercial groups.

A TEDx event cannot be used to raise money, not even for a charity.

A TEDx event cannot partner with another conference or event.

A TEDx event can't be co-branded with an institution except under specific license types – for a college or university, or for internal events (for corporations and organizations).

A TEDx event is not a platform for professional or circuit speakers, such as motivational speakers and professional life coaches. Its purpose is to give a platform to those who don't often have one.

A TEDx event is not focused solely on entrepreneurship, business or technology. Diversity of topics is key!

TEDx Gainesville High School is an event about *Changing Our World through STEAM Education*. The event is still in the planning stages, but will feature speakers from UF, Santa Fe, Gainesville High and our scientific and artistic community focusing on climate change and the impact of plastics on our environment.

Saturday, April 27, 2024: 11:00 AM-6:00 PM

The TEDx logo consists of the word "TED" in a bold, black, sans-serif font, followed by a red "x" in a similar font.

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