

Announcing the 2023 – 2nd Annual

JUNETEENTH NEBRASKA ART CONTEST

The contest is open to all Nebraska's student's grades K-12. Prizes will be awarded in three categories: Elementary, Middle and High School at the Juneteenth Freedom Festival.



Here's how to enter:

1. Create art that truly commemorates and celebrates Juneteenth. Juneteenth is a state and federal holiday that takes place on 19 June every year. It commemorates the ending of slavery in America. Juneteenth art submissions may include any person(s), places or events that contributed to the ending of slavery in America. You may use any media you want, such as pencil, paint, charcoal, crayon, marker, you can make a sculpture, author a poem, short story, or make a video, you can use any medium. Art must be student's own original work (no computer-generated art allowed).
2. Print your name, your grade, your teacher's name, and your school's name (use what grade, Teacher and School you were in at the end of this school year) on the back of your art.
3. Turn art and permission form into your Teacher or drop them off at the Omaha Star News Paper, located at 2116 N 24th Street, Omaha, NE 68102. Art must arrive at the Omaha Star on or before **Wednesday, 14 June 2023**. Omaha Star hours are Monday-Friday 9am-5pm. One submission per student. Students may come and create their art at the Juneteenth Art Festival, located in the area of 24th & Lake, on 10 June 2023, Noon-4PM. Art supplies will be provided.
4. Winners will be awarded prizes at the Juneteenth Freedom Festival, on 17 June 2023.

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