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**Call For High School Art Students!**

# 2025 High School Student Art Show

The Art Club of McKinney, TX, in partnership with Collective Coffee and the City of McKinney, is pleased to present the 2025 High School Student Art Show showcasing artwork from public, private, and homeschool high school students. The show provides the community an opportunity to view and appreciate the sophisticated artwork created by the emerging generations of visual art talent in our area, while also granting students an opportunity to prepare and show their work in a competitive, judged, public art show - sometimes for the first time.

**Date:** Saturday October 25, 2025

**Reception:** 6-8pm

**Awards Ceremony:** 6:30-7pm

**Location:** Collective Coffee  
301 W Louisiana St Suite 200  
McKinney, TX 75069

*Show will be on exhibit Oct 25-Nov 1*

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## Guest Judge **Chris Turner**

We are thrilled to announce the return of Chris Turner as our guest judge for the 2025 High School Student Art Show. After receiving rave reviews last year, Chris's keen eye for detail and deep appreciation for the beauty and thought behind each piece of art made him a standout judge. We are excited to have Chris back with us this year and look forward to his insights and expertise as he explores and evaluates the incredible talent of our high school artists. Learn more about Chris: [christturnerartist.com](http://christturnerartist.com)

**[artclubofmckinney.org](http://artclubofmckinney.org)**

# PARTICIPATE FOR A CHANCE TO WIN CASH PRIZES & AWARDS!

**Registration:** Public, private, and homeschool high school art students are invited to register.  
*\*Teachers can register their students or students can register independently.*

[Register Online Here](#)

**Submission Deadline: Monday, October 13th by Midnight**

## Categories and Awards:

Per category: 1st – \$100, 2nd – \$75, Honorable Mention – \$25 *Categories may be adjusted based on submissions.* Additional awards: President's Award – \$150; Best in Show – \$125

Digital Arts/Photography, Mixed Media, 3-D/Sculpture, Scratchboard, Watercolor, Oil, Acrylic, Pen/Pencil/Colored Pencil, Charcoal, Pastels

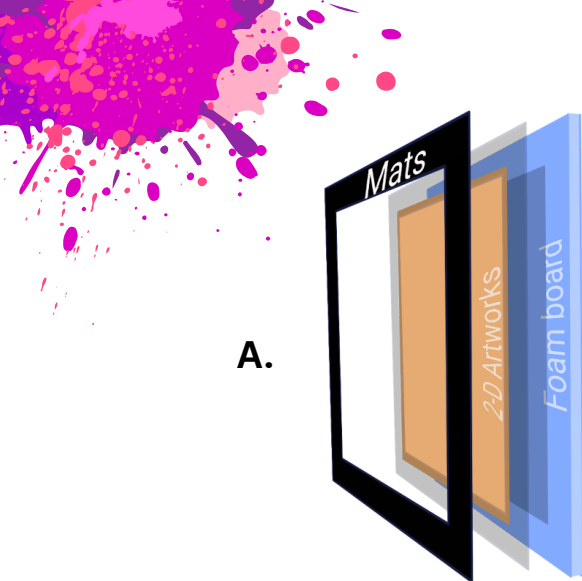
**Entry Fee:** 10\$ Per Entry, Max of 2 Entries Per Student *\*Scholarships are available for students who need assistance with the entry fee. Please contact Show Chair Oshi Sanyal [mckinneyartclubevents@gmail.com](mailto:mckinneyartclubevents@gmail.com) for more information.*

**Artwork Drop Off Date/Time:** Artwork must be delivered to Collective Coffee Thursday, October 23rd between 4-6pm. Either students, parents, or teachers can drop artwork off at the venue. All work must be labeled and ready to hang. *\*If you are unable to drop your artwork off on the designated date/time, please contact Show Chair Oshi Sanyal [mckinneyartclubevents@gmail.com](mailto:mckinneyartclubevents@gmail.com) to make arrangements ahead of time to schedule an alternate drop off date/time.*

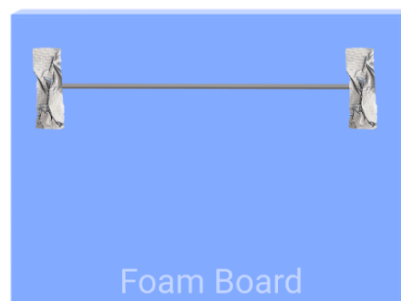
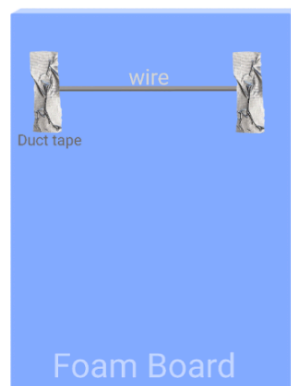
## Artwork Requirements:

### 2D Work (Painting, Drawing, Photography, etc.)

- Matting: Mats are required and must be black, white, or off-white.
- Framing: Frames are optional.
- If you are not using a traditional frame and are matting only, please mount your matted work to foam board and wire the back for hanging. *\*Please see (A.) on the next page for reference.*
- Hanging: All pieces must be wired and ready to hang – no sawtooth hangers or clip systems. *\*Please see (B.) on the next page for reference or view a tutorial on how to wire artwork [here](#).* Labeling: A label is required for each piece. Please affix it to the back, top right corner using tape or double stick tape.
- Size Limit: Maximum overall dimensions of 18" x 24", including mat, frame, and/or mounting materials.

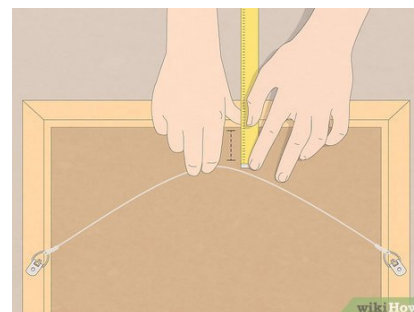
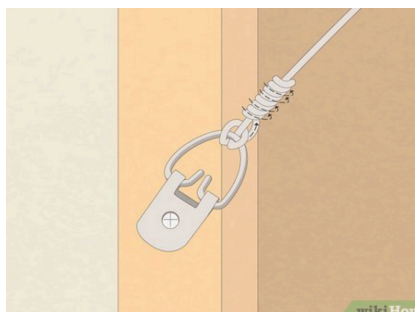


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Note:  
Please use duct tape pieces that are sure to  
secure the wire to the board

B.



### 3D Work (Sculpture, Assemblage, Installation, etc.)

- Must be structurally sound, stable, and suitable for indoor display (unless otherwise specified).
- Must be fully assembled or require only minimal assembly on-site.
- Size Approval: Works measuring 3 feet or larger in any dimension require prior approval.
- Restrictions: No perishable, combustible, or live components accepted without written pre-approval.
- Labeling: A label is required for each piece and must be securely attached to your piece.

**Oversized Artwork:** Anything larger than 18" x 24" for 2D artwork and 3 feet for 3D artwork is deemed oversized. *To ensure that your item can be appropriately accommodated for the show, please contact Show Chair Oshi Sanyal [mckinneyartclubevents@gmail.com](mailto:mckinneyartclubevents@gmail.com).*

**Where to Shop for Wiring Supplies:** Home Depot, Lowe's, Hobby Lobby, Jerry's Artarama, Michaels, or Amazon

**What You'll Need:** Wire cutters, D-rings (choose size based on the weight of your artwork), screws, and picture hanging wire. *\*Tip: Consider purchasing a pre-made wiring kit—it's convenient and includes everything you need in one package.*

**Artwork Pick Up Date/Time:** All artwork must be picked up at Collective Coffee on Sunday, November 2nd between 12-2pm. Any work that is not picked up will incur a \$10/day storage fee. *If you are unable to pick up your work at the designated date/time, please contact Show Chair Oshi Sanyal [mckinneyartclubevents@gmail.com](mailto:mckinneyartclubevents@gmail.com) to make arrangements ahead of time to schedule an alternate pick up date/time.*

**Donation:** If for any reason you are unable to pick up your artwork, or would prefer not to, you can donate it to the Art Club of McKinney so that it can be utilized in a raffle or auction. If you opt to donate, please let us know by emailing Show Chair, Oshi Sanyal at [mckinneyartclubevents@gmail.com](mailto:mckinneyartclubevents@gmail.com). We thank you and assure you that your piece will be handled with care.

**Volunteering:** Would you like to volunteer? At the Art Club of McKinney, there are always opportunities to lend a hand, especially during our events. If you would like to volunteer in any way, including this art show, please email [theartclubofmckinney@gmail.com](mailto:theartclubofmckinney@gmail.com).







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## 2025 High School Student Art Show Labels

Labels must be filled out completely and legibly, and attached to each piece of art - in the top right corner on the back for 2-D work and underneath for 3-D work. Max 2 entries per student.

Name (First, Last): \_\_\_\_\_  
School: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_  
Category: \_\_\_\_\_  
Medium: \_\_\_\_\_  
Size: \_\_\_\_\_  
For Sale? Y/N    Price If For Sale: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Sponsor And Inspire Young Artists

Your tax-deductible donation will directly fund awards for each category of our 2025 High School Student Art Show, recognizing the talent and dedication of our young artists. As a sponsor, your name will be proudly displayed on our show materials, highlighting your invaluable contribution to the arts and our community.



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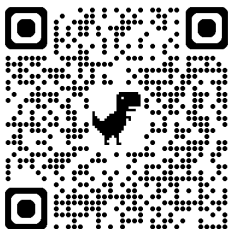
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