



# CALL FOR ART: 2024 Young Artists' Showcase *All Media Exhibition*

## Exhibition Dates:

March 1 - March 30, 2024

## Opening Reception:

Friday, March 1, 2024, 6-8pm

## Entry Deadline:

Feb 2, 2024 at 11:59 pm

## Artists' Notification:

On or Before February 16, 2024 by 2pm

## Delivery Deadline:

February 28, 2024 by 6:00pm

**April 2, 2024:** Begin artwork pickup. Exhibited artwork cannot be removed from the gallery until **April 2, 2024**. All works must be retrieved from STLAG's galleries by **May 1, 2024** or else the work will become the property of the St. Louis Artists' Guild.

***Young Artists' Showcase is a juried, all-media exhibition of artwork created by high school students between 15 and 19 years old residing within 150 miles of the St. Louis Artists' Guild.***

## Entry Procedures

Image files must be in JPG format, with at least 300 dpi resolution. Image size should be a maximum 5" x 7".

1. Go to our webpage for Young Artists Showcase: <https://www.stlouisartistsguild.org/calls-for-entry> Click on the apply button which will take you to EntryThingy to submit your students work.

2. If you do not have a login from the previous year please create a login by filling in the First Name, Last Name, email, and password fields. Click SIGN UP.

3. Fill out the rest of your contact info. Put the name of your school in the "Business" field. Click SUBMIT.

4. Find the Young Artists' Showcase 2024 link and click the gray "APPLY NOW" to the left.

5. Click the "Add File" button to upload an image. Complete all the text box fields beneath the uploaded image: title, materials, year, dimensions. ***Please include the student's name in the Title field, ex: John Smith, Blue Moon (Repeat for any other images)***

**Do not hit "SUBMIT ENTRY" until all files are uploaded.**

6. Click "SUBMIT" to begin uploading submission. After the pieces have loaded, a link to a payment page will appear. Follow the link to pay for your entry fees.

## Entries

- All work must be submitted by an instructor.
- Instructors may submit work for up to 10 students.
- One entry per student.
- If a student is home-schooled, their parent will be the submitting instructor.

## Entry Fees

\$5 per entry.

## Commissions

Sales are encouraged. The St. Louis Artists' Guild retains a 35% commission on all works sold from this exhibition.

## Awards

Cash prizes will be awarded by the juror.

***Art and design scholarships for high school seniors will be among the awards given by the juror. To be eligible for a scholarship, the student must be a current high school senior at the time of the exhibition, and accepted into a college art or design program (includes studio art, graphic design, architecture, etc). If one of your students is eligible for a scholarship, please include a note with their piece in the "Description" field of the image upload form.***

## Artwork must meet these requirements

- Completed within the last two years.
- Not shown previously in the St. Louis Artists' Guild's galleries.
- Works should be priced and marked for sale or not for sale.

- 2-D: Wall mounted artwork shall not exceed framed size of 60" h x 60" w and 35 lbs.

- Diptychs and triptychs cannot exceed maximum size limitations.

- Hanging work should have wire and screw eyes. **No saw-tooth hangers. No clip frames.**

- Canvases must be framed or gallery-wrapped.

- 3-D: Artwork must not exceed 60" h x 35" w x 50" d. No piece may weigh more than 35 lbs.

- Installations will be considered with detailed instructions.

- Video and other works that require electricity: Artist must provide cords, projectors, and any/all equipment needed to display work.

- The St. Louis Artists' Guild has the right to reject any work that is unstable, unusually fragile, or does not meet the above requirements.

Exhibited artwork cannot be removed from the gallery until **April 2, 2024**. **All hand-delivered works must be retrieved by May 1, 2024, or else the work will become the property of the St. Louis Artists' Guild.**

All correspondence concerning acceptance or non-acceptance of artwork will be done via email.

## Juror: Nancy Grimes

**Nancy Grimes has taught art to young adults for forty years. She is currently pursuing her own work in painting and fibers, teaching workshops, and participating in local shows. As a secondary teacher in both public and private schools, she is continuously excited about the enormous amount of talent to be found in young artists. Nancy received degrees in art from Stephens College, the University of Missouri, an MAT from Webster University and is National Board Certified. She taught at Berkeley Senior High, Kirkwood Senior High, where she also served as department chair, and Visitation Academy. For 14 years she was an AP reader for the College Board, evaluating thousands of student portfolios and talking "art" with colleagues from all over the globe. Whether or not a student's work is chosen to be exhibited in the Young Artists' Showcase, Nancy hopes all art students see such opportunities as motivation to improve skills, develop ideas and create amazing new work.**