

BUDDING ARTISTS PROGRAM

FOR CHILDREN UNDER THE AGE OF 12

Exhibits Received: Saturday, September 21, 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM

The Georgia National Fair Youth Art Exhibition uses guidelines established by Georgia art educators with regard to proper age limits for competition. They recommend that children under age 12 should not have their work juried. Our rules comply with their recommendations and we have adopted their philosophy to govern competitions throughout the Georgia Living Program. Exceptions to this rule apply only to "live" contests on site where parents are nearby to lend support, such as the Soap Carving Contest.

"Budding Artists" is an opportunity for children below age 12 to become exhibitors in the Fine Arts and Home Arts Programs. **Their work will not be judged. No prize money will be offered.** However, each exhibitor will receive a Georgia National Fair "Budding Artist" ribbon and their work will be displayed.

1. **All exhibitors are required to read and abide by the Georgia National Fair General Rules And Regulations. PLEASE NOTE...IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO READ AND UNDERSTAND THE RULES. If you have questions, you may certainly e-mail us at: contests@gnfa.com. Please help us prevent entry disqualifications.**

2. All exhibitors must register by completing and mailing an official General entry form or entering online.

3. Work must have been completed by the Budding Artist within the past year.

4. Each Budding Artist may submit a maximum of two (2) items from the list below.

5. Drawings, photography, and paintings must be mounted on foamcore or mountboard (**not construction paper or posterboard**) to stabilize them for hanging. Do not attach wire or strings for hanging. Do not frame. Size limit for all two-dimensional entries is 16" x 24".

6. Three-dimensional pieces must not be too fragile to display. All clay must be fired.

7. **Attention teachers and group leaders: Please do not submit more than two works from the same class project if the project produces look-alike pieces.**

DIVISION 32101 BUDDING ARTIST

Class

1 Two-dimensional: pieces to be hung - drawing, painting, photography

2 Three-dimensional: standalone pieces - objects of clay, ceramics, fiber, etc.

NEW -- *OPPORTUNITY FOR YOUTH CRAFTERS*

The Standard Flower Show has included a category this year of "Botanical Arts" for youth ages preschool to 18 years, which include categories of photography, floral design, and artistic crafts. This is a separate department and information can be found at <https://www.georgianationalfair.com/p/georgialiving/finearts> under 2024 Standard Flower Show, Division IV Youth.