

## **“Interpretations of the City” Annual Juried Art Competition**

Tutoring Solutions of Atlanta welcomes submissions for its annual juried art competition. Artists are invited to share their vision of what the word **city** means to them. **When we think of city, we often think of buildings. We want to encourage students to expand their view and consider city as a landscape, but also as a peopled space that forms a community.** The competition is open to all Atlanta students enrolled in 9th grade through 12th grade. Participants do not need to be currently or previously enrolled in an art class. There is no entry fee, but there is a maximum of one entry per student.

The contest is open to artists working in two dimensions in all traditional media, such as, but not limited to: oil, watercolor, acrylic, pastel, mixed media, gouache, egg tempera, pen and ink, graphite, charcoal, colored pencils, scratch board, markers, metal point, and two-dimensional collage and fabric art. No digital art, photography, or three-dimensional art, such as installation art or sculpture, will be judged. All works must be original and from the hand of a single artist. Compositions based on published material or other artists' work are not considered original and are not eligible.

Art must be submitted matted or mounted suitable for framing with the final product conforming to one of the following frame sizes in inches. Stretched canvas pieces will not be framed and may be any dimensions size 24 x 36 or smaller.

12 x 16, 16 x 20, 19 3/4 x 19 3/4, 19 3/4 x 27 1/2, 24 x 35 1/4

Pieces will be judged on creativity, originality, applicability to the theme, and skilled use of the media chosen. The top entry from each school or organization will be framed and displayed in our office and featured on our website through May 2019, after which, artists' works will be returned. Three prize winners will be chosen from these top entries as follows: One first place winner will receive \$250. One second place winner will receive \$100. One third place winner will receive 50\$.

### **DISQUALIFIED SUBMISSIONS:**

**NOT MATTED**

**ARTISTS NOT IN GRADES 9-12**

**REPRODUCTIONS OF ANY OTHER PUBLISHED WORK**

**SUBMISSIONS THAT DO NOT ADHERE TO THE REQUESTED SIZES OR MEDIUMS**

Deadline for submission is October 12th, at which time all entries must be delivered to one of our office locations or available for pick up at the school by the contest coordinator. Winners will be notified by email October 19th. An exhibition will take place for the presentation of awards and viewing of all selected works at our Decatur location on October 27th. All pieces not chosen for display will be returned to the school within two months of submission.

Please email [tutoringsolutionsofatlanta@gmail.com](mailto:tutoringsolutionsofatlanta@gmail.com) or call 404-949-9373 with any questions. Information and updates can be found on our website, [tutoringsolutionsofatlanta.com](http://tutoringsolutionsofatlanta.com).

We look forward to viewing the talent in our community.

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