

2024 YOM HASHOAH (DAY OF REMEMBRANCE) ART CONTEST

All Oklahoma Middle and High School students (grades 6-12) are eligible to enter this contest.

The 2024 Yom HaShoah Art Contest theme is *Becoming a Witness: Doing my part to Remember the Holocaust*.

As Holocaust survivors are aging and passing from our midst, it is becoming the responsibility of younger generations to remember the Holocaust and share the stories of both survivors and victims. Their stories depend on us. Students are encouraged to produce artwork showing what being a witness to the Holocaust means to them.

Notification of the prize winners: Tuesday, May 7, 2024.

Prize winners and their teachers are encouraged to be present at the commemoration to receive their award.

Student's artwork will be displayed in an exhibit on the evening of the event and later displayed at The Sherwin Miller Museum of Jewish Art, 2021 East 71st Street, Tulsa, Oklahoma.

CRITERIA FOR YOM HASHOAH ART CONTEST:

- Artwork is understood to be visual art in any medium, other than film, music, dance or drama.
- Artwork depicting blood, body parts or ashes will not be judged or displayed.
- Artwork should be easily portable, either freestanding or able to be placed on tabletop or easel. Artwork requiring batteries or electricity may not be able to be displayed in that form at the commemoration.
- Artwork may be submitted by an individual student or by a group of students.
- Artwork should be labeled on a place not visible to the judges when displayed and include the artist's name, school, teacher's name, artist grade and artist contact information. Download the entry form at www.jewishtulsa.org/holocaust-education-contests.
- Art work title and a 1-3 sentence statement of the artist's concept of the piece should be attached. Use the entry form to provide this information.
- Artwork will be judged on the following criteria: application to the theme of the commemoration, evidence of historical research, attention to detail and originality.
- Notification to the prize winners will be by email and phone on May 7
- Deadline for delivery of art work for the exhibit is May 3rd at 5 pm. Deliver to: The Sherwin Miller Museum of Jewish Art on Thursday, May 2 OR Friday, May 3 between 3 - 5 pm.
- Artwork will be submitted to a panel of judges for First, Second and Third Place Prizes.
- For further information contact Sofia Thornblad at curator@jewishmuseum.net.

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Prizes for Yom HaShoah Art Contest:

There are 2 categories of Finalists: Middle School (grades 6-8) and High School (grades 9-12). The following prizes will be awarded in each category:

First Place: \$250, Second Place: \$150, Third Place: \$50

The Teachers of Finalists in each category of Middle School and High School will awarded the following prizes:

First Place: \$100, Second Place: \$75, Third Place: \$50

Important Dates and Deadlines:

Thursday & Friday, May 2 & 3: The Sherwin Miller Museum of Jewish Art on Thursday, May 2 OR Friday, May 3 between 3 - 5 pm.

Monday, May 6: Judging of artwork

Tuesday May 7: Notification of Prize Winners

Thursday, May 9: Winners announced and students/teachers presented awards at the Yom Hashoah Commemoration Event at 1719 S Owasso Ave. Tulsa, OK 74120.



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