

2026 Watercolor Contest Application

Pomona High School Students

THIS FORM MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH YOUR ARTWORK.

STUDENT INFORMATION

NAME		GRADE	
ADDRESS			
PHONE			
EMAIL			

PARENT / GUARDIAN INFORMATION

NAME	
PHONE	
EMAIL	

SCHOOL INFORMATION

Please select which schooling situation represents you:

<input type="checkbox"/>	I am a student (Grade 9–12) in the Pomona Unified School District.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I am a student (Grade 9–12) at a private school OR am homeschooled in Pomona, CA.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I am a student (Grade 9–12) who lives in Pomona, CA.

SCHOOL NAME

SCHOOL ADDRESS

SCHOOL PHONE

Are you submitting work that is supported by your Art Teacher? If so, please fill out the below information:

TEACHER NAME	
TEACHER EMAIL	

ARTIST STATEMENT

On a separate sheet of paper please provide an artist statement and attach your statement to the back of this form.

Statement should be 1 – 3 paragraphs (no longer than a page).

- Formatting: Times New Roman, 12 sized font, 1-inch margins

Please include the following in your artist statements:

- Introduction to the artist - Tell the reader about yourself.
- Explanation of the work.
 - How does it relate to our theme of where do we find or see “Boundless Culture & Creativity: The Essence of Freedom” with a sub-theme of “Building Joy, Action + Power” in Pomona?
 - Tell us about how you envisioned this art piece.
 - Where did the idea come from and how did you plan to execute it?
 - Symbolism in the work and its relation to the theme.
 - Influences (other artists, movements, etc.).

REQUESTED ARTWORK INFORMATION

TITLE	
DATE	
MATERIALS USED <i>Please indicate all materials used.</i>	

Parent/guardian: **By entering your first and last name below winning participants agree and acknowledge to the contest guidelines & the following:** I understand that all images of the selected artwork created for the Watercolor Contest become property of the City of Pomona and may be used or reproduced at the City's discretion. I further understand that the regulations as set forth for this event: The image(s) will contain no offensive material such as nudity (of any kind), depictions of violence, derogatory signs, language or epitaphs that would encourage discrimination against any religion, race, nationality, disability, or sexual orientation; or any drug, gang, or sexually related material. Any violation of this agreement will subject participant(s) to disqualification and exclusion from the competition.

Student Signature:

Date:

Parent / Guardian Signature:

Date:

For questions, please contact the City of Pomona Art in Public Places Staff, at (909) 620-2253 or via email at PublicArt@pomonaca.gov