

ART PATHWAYS CONTEST

FAQ

HOW DO I GET A MCALLEN PUBLIC LIBRARY CARD?

To register for a library card, visit any McAllen Public Library location with a government-issued photo ID and proof of your current U.S. mailing address, such as a recent utility bill or mailed envelope.

HOW DO PARTICIPANTS TURN IN THEIR ARTWORK?

- Artwork must be submitted by Friday, May 8 at 5:00PM
- Drop off your completed piece at any McAllen Public Library location
- Late submissions will not be accepted

WHERE CAN MY CHILD GET A FREE ART KIT?

To receive a free art kit, participants must register at the Circulation Desk of any McAllen Public Library location. Supplies are limited to the first 500 participants.

CAN PARTICIPANTS USE A BOOK FROM HOME INSTEAD?

Participants may use a book from their personal collection for inspiration, but they must still check out a library book to register.

WHAT KIND OF ART SUPPLIES CAN PARTICIPANTS USE?

Participants must use an 8 in x 10 in canvas and acrylic paints.

WHAT ARE THE AGE GROUPS?

At each library location, participants are divided into three age categories: 5–8yrs; 9–13yrs; and 14–18 yrs. First, second, and third place will be awarded in each category.

HOW WILL I KNOW IF MY CHILD HAS WON?

You will be contacted on the week of May 25th.

WHERE WILL THE AWARDS CEREMONY BE?

The awards ceremony will take place on Thursday, June 11 at 6:00PM in Main Library's Auditorium.

WILL ALL ARTWORK BE DISPLAYED?

Yes. All submitted artwork will be displayed at McAllen Public Library locations.

Main Branch

4001 N. 23rd St, McAllen, TX
(956) 681-3000

Lark Branch Library

2601 Lark Ave, McAllen, TX
(956) 681-3100

Palm View Branch Library

3401 Jordan Rd W, McAllen, TX
(956) 681-3110