

2017 BOOST Student Hall of Fame

Overview & Guidelines



The BOOST Conference in Palm Springs, CA offers an opportunity to highlight student artwork from out-of-school time programs across the nation. The artwork will be displayed in the Renaissance hallway and viewed by over 2,000 attendees from around the globe. Seeing the artwork and walking through the gallery reminds us of why we do this work and celebrates the incredible talent that we see in our youth each and every day.

Goal: Our goal this year is to have 600 pieces of artwork.

Theme: Again, there is no theme this year! We want the students to be able to use their full creativity—we are looking forward to seeing what they create!

Artwork submissions can include:

- Visual art: paintings, drawings, sketches, cartoons, photographs, collage, etc.
- Written word: stories, poems, prose, etc.
- A student idea (as long as it fits on a 22" x 28" inch poster board.)
- Sculpture pieces are welcome, but they must be hand-delivered.

Submission Guidelines:

- All artwork must have the name and grade of each student who was involved in the creation of the piece as well as the name of the program and the city and state.
- In past years, we have asked participating programs to mount artwork on poster boards. We are NO LONGER requiring this. You can send us the artwork as is!
- Maximum dimensions of artwork: 22" x 28" (the size of a poster board)
(*Please note we will not have the ability to have any electrical outlets available for any of the works nor will we have any tables on which to display art work.)

Here is how it works:

1. Please complete a Submission Form and return it to us no later than **March 10, 2017**. Submissions will be accepted until we have all 600 slots filled. You will receive email confirmation that your submission has been accepted.
2. You are responsible for seeing that the artwork gets delivered to the conference. Options include the following:
Option 1:
Mail to: LACOE, 9300 Imperial Highway, Attn: After School Technical Assistance Unit, ECW Cubicle 3208, Downey, CA 90242. **ALL artwork must be received by March 31, 2017.**
Option 2:
Deliver to: The Los Angeles County Office of Education After School Technical Assistance Unit. Please call our Administrative team at 562-401- 5335 and let them know that you are bringing artwork so they can provide you with instructions for delivery. **Artwork must be received by March 31, 2017.**
3. The LACOE Technical Assistance Unit will transport all artwork from our office to Palm Springs, CA. Please note we are unable to bring artwork back to LA after the conference.
4. The BOOST Conference assumes no responsibility for the art pieces and will not be returning any artwork at the end of the conference. Pieces must remain up in the Student Artwork Hall of Fame until 8:30am on Friday, April 21, 2017. Participating programs can reclaim art pieces on Friday, April 21, 2017 between 8:30-9:30am at the conference. All pieces not claimed by 9:30am that day will be donated.

Questions about the 2017 BOOST Student Artwork Hall of Fame can be emailed to: Ginty_maryjo@lacoedu

Students and programs that donate artwork will be recognized in the final BOOST Conference program, on the BOOST Conference website and during the BOOST Conference.

STAR, Inc., an after school program in Los Angeles, CA, is donating the use of their art gallery display along with the staff to hang and arrange the art work. Thanks STAR, INC.!

