

The 19th
Kanagawa Biennial
World Children's Art Exhibition
Application Guidebook



Left: Minister for Foreign Affairs Award
"My Town in Wintertime"
Matiss Rudzitis, Age 8/M
Republic of Latvia



Right: Chairperson of the Japan
Committee for UNICEF Award
"Girl's Best Friend"
Loulwa Akkad, Age 13/F
Syrian Arab Republic



President of the United Nations
Association of Japan Award
"Untitled"
Shahad Nasser Ahmed Hassan, Age 11/F
United Arab Emirates



President of the Japan International
Cooperation Agency Award
"Holiday"
Hiba Idrissi Khamlichi, Age 14/F
Kingdom of Morocco



President of the National Federation of UNESCO
Associations in Japan Award
"Untitled"
Naum Mihajlovski, Age 10/M
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia



Minister for International Affairs and
Communications Award
"The Kingdom of Ants
Under the Ground"
TAKEI Ryunosuke, Age 7/M, Japan



President of the Japan
Foundation Award
"Let's Share the Noodle!"
Fung Hoi Wing, Age 11/F
People's Republic of China



The National Council of YMCAs
of Japan Award
"Raining Day!"
Htet Nandi Kyaw, Age 12/F
Republic of Union of Myanmar



President of the United Nations
Association of Japan Award
"Untitled"
Gonzalez Celestina, Age 8/F
Argentine Republic

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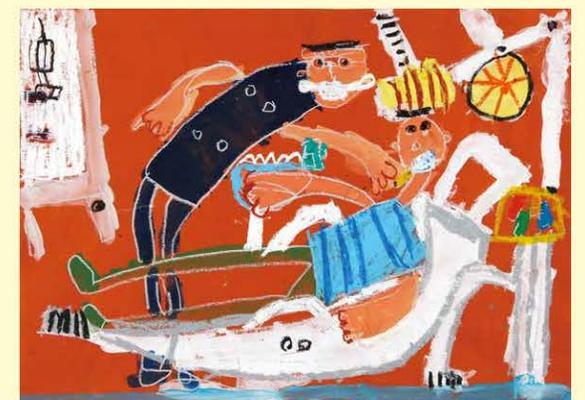


Top Left : "Consulting Room"
Dimana Krassimirova Stoyanova Age 7/F
Republic of Bulgaria



Bottom Right : "Dentist"
AKANOMA Mitsuo Age 7/M
Japan

Top Right : "A Happy Family"
Gonapinuwalage Enuri Sadeethma Age 7/F
Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka



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The 19th Kanagawa Biennial World Children's Art Exhibition Application Guidelines

The Kanagawa Biennial World Children's Art Exhibition has been held every two years since 1981. Held in Kanagawa Prefecture to the south of Tokyo, this event exhibits children's art from all over the world, and is intended to use the power of painting to foster the dreams and creativity of today's young children who will go on to become the leaders of tomorrow. The exhibition is also intended to further understanding of the world's diverse cultures and differences in global lifestyles. The previous 18th Kanagawa Biennial World Children's Art Exhibition was held from July to August 2015, and saw over 26,000 individual entries from 95 countries and 2 regional nations. Looking to build on this success, the 19th exhibition is scheduled to be held from July to August 2017 and we look forward to another record intake of entries.



Children born from April 2, 2000 to April 1, 2012.

Entries

54cm
38cm **Maximum
size**

**Canvas
Less than
F8 size**

**Theme Open
Paper based
works**

**One Entry
per Person**

- ④ **Entries**
One entry per person. (*Each entry shall be the entrant's own work and shall not have appeared in any previous competition.) Collaborative works or part of a series of works shall not be accepted.
- ⑤ **Other**
Do not frame the work. Oil painting entries should be painted on canvas only.
*Framed entries shall not be accepted.

Unacceptable Works

- Modeled Works
- Digital Works (CG etc.)
- Collaborative Works

- ① **Theme**
Open
- ② **Materials**
Watercolor, Oil, Crayon, Pastels, Print, Paper collage, etc.
*Modeled entries with uneven and easy-to-break surfaces shall not be accepted. Entries containing food products that may rot or attract insects etc., such as cereal, shall not be accepted.
- ③ **Size**
Quarto size (within 54 cm x 38 cm).
Canvas pieces should be less than F8 size.
*Entries exceeding these dimensions shall not be accepted. because of our frame size of exhibition.

● Receipt of Entries ●

September 1st (Thu.) to November 30th (Wed.), 2016



**Entrants should
send the works by post.**

The works by e-mail shall not be accepted.
Only Group entry sheet by e-mail can be accepted.
Please see the attached entry sheet for more information.

The back of work

**A copy of
the Application Form
should be pasted.**

● Judging Period and Notification of Awards ●

Judging will start at the end of January 2017, and the winners will be selected by the end of February 2017. A list of the winners will be posted on the Kanagawa Biennial's website in March 2017.

<http://www.earthplaza.jp/biennial/English/index.html>

● Award Ceremony and Exhibition ●

① Awards Ceremony	Date Location	Beggining of July 2017 (Tentative) Kanagawa Plaza for Global Citizenship, Plaza Hall (2F)
② Exhibition	Exhibition's Period Location	Beggining of July to End of August 2017 (Tentative) Kanagawa Plaza for Global Citizenship, Exhibition Hall (3F)

● Awards ●

- ① **Grand Prize**
Kanagawa Prefecture Governor's Prize- Three awards (One entry from residents of Kanagawa Prefecture / Two overseas entries) ※Certificate, Collection Book, Gift
- ② **Special Prize**
The Minister of Internal Affairs and Communications Special Prize (awarded to one resident of Kanagawa Prefecture); The Minister of Foreign Affairs Special Prize (awarded to one overseas entry) ※Certificate, Collection Book, Gift
The Japan Foundation President's Prize; The Japan International Cooperation Agency President's Prize; The U.N. Association of Japan President's Prize; The National Federation of UNESCO Associations in Japan President's Prize; The National Council of YMCAs of Japan Prize; The Japan Committee for UNICEF President's Prize. (Total Special Prizes: 50)
- ③ **Selected Prize**
Approximately 467 entries ※Certificate, Collection Book



※Collection Book, Certificate



※Certificate



※Gift given in 18th Exhibition

● Others ●

- ① All entries shall not be returned as a general rule.
- ② All ownership rights and copyright of the prize-winning entries shall belong to Kanagawa Prefecture. Entrants should give up all copyrights of their work to Kanagawa Prefecture.
- ③ Entered pieces may be used in furthering international understanding and international exchange on the web, book, poster, calendar and school activities.
- ④ The invitations for recipients of the Grand Prize are not planned.