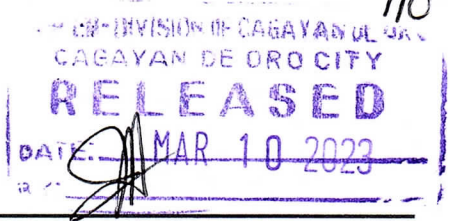




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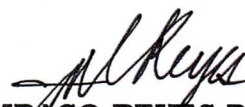
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Division Memorandum
No. s. 2023

**ADDENDUM/CORRIGENDUM TO DIV. MEMO NO. 105 S. 2023 "2023 CITY LEVEL
YOUNG ARTISTS AND AUTHORS SHOWCASE"**

To: Education Program Supervisors/Coordinators
Public Schools District Supervisors
Public/Private Secondary School Heads
This Division

1. Relative to the issued Memorandum No. 105, s.2023 dated March 10, 2023, the field is hereby informed of the following additional information on the participation to the *2023 City Level Young Artists and Authors Showcase*:
 - a. The competition is open to all public and private school students of the city who are aged 13- 18 years old as of May 1, 2023;
 - b. Guidelines for the following categories are hereby enclosed:
 - Poetry
 - Music
 - Creative and Essay Writing
 - Photography
 - Classic Art
 - Digital Art
2. Eligibility requirements and other information are also provided in this Memorandum.
3. For widest dissemination and information.


CHERRY MAE LIMBACO-REYES, Ph.D. CESO V
Schools Division Superintendent



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THE YOUNG ARTISTS & AUTHORS SHOWCASE



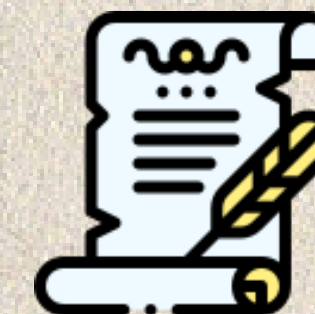
Jahn Kharmelo Navales
Music, 1st Place



Carl Justin Togle
Photography, 3rd Place



Zarlie Niez
Classic Art, 3rd Place



Mitzel Claire Chan
Essay, 2nd Place



Zsarlette Alanne Cabana
Digital Art, 3rd Place





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WE ARE JOINING AGAIN!

- Give the participating youth the opportunity to learn about issues that matter to them and express their thoughts and opinions creatively
- Give Cagayan de Oro and our young artists and authors international exposure as well as experience in participating in an international event
- Make use of YAAS 2023 as a platform for the city to work closely with sister city Norfolk

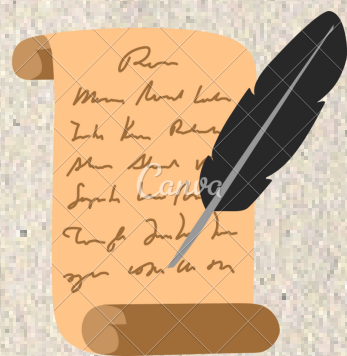


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CATEGORIES



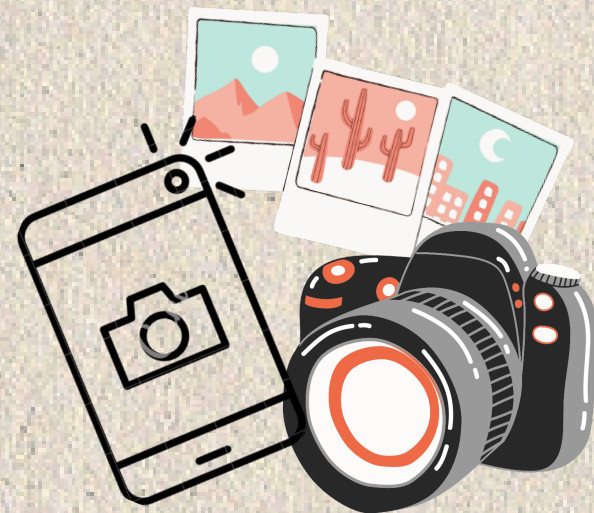
POETRY



MUSIC



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PHOTOGRAPHY



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DIGITAL ART



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ELIGIBILITY

- Students must be between 13 and 18 years of age at the time of the May 1, 2023 deadline set by Sister Cities International
- One must be currently enrolled as a student of a school in Cagayan de Oro City.
- No student may enter submissions into more than one category; one student, one entry
- All entries must meet the criteria
- All entries must be original, and adhere to Sister Cities International's anti-plagiarism policy



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AWARDS

- Publication on the Sister Cities International website, along with the artists' names and the titles of the pieces.
- The winners of each category will be announced at the Youth Leadership Summit.
- Cash Prize per category





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OTHER INFO

- Cagayan de Oro will send five entries for each of the six categories
- Each artist/author of CDO entries will receive a token of P1,000.00
- All participants will receive a Certificate of Participation
- Artists and authors of the entries for the international competition to receive a Certificate of Participation from our sister city Norfolk
- A board of judges for each of the categories will choose the five entries of Cagayan de Oro City



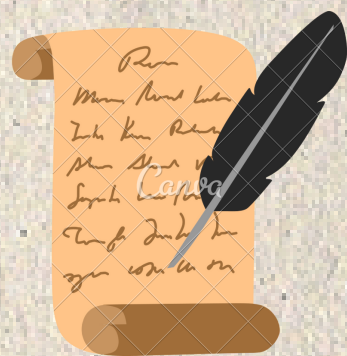
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GUIDELINES PER CATEGORY

as set by Sister Cities International



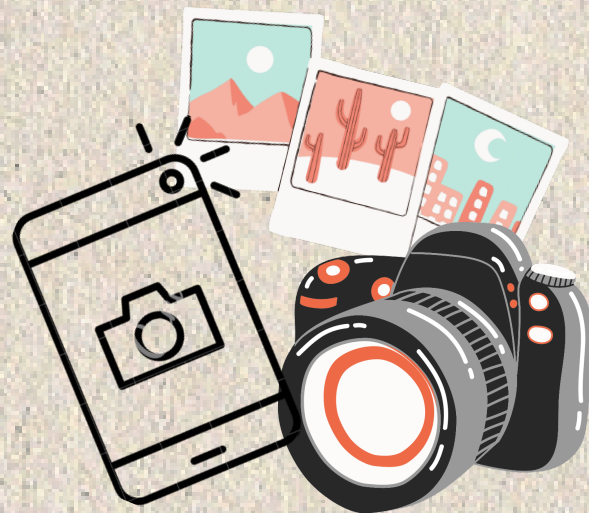
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CLASSICAL ART



- Students may submit one piece of art
- Media accepted are oil, acrylic, watercolor, charcoal, colored pencil, crayon, ink, marker, etching, collage, etc
- Only two-dimensional (2-D) unframed artwork will be accepted
- Judges will evaluate submissions based on theme interpretation, and creativity.
- Submitted work must be original.



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DIGITAL ART



- Students may submit one piece of art
- Digital mediums will be accepted in this category
- Moving art pieces will not be accepted
- Submissions must have a minimum of 1350x1080 px
- Submitted work must be original

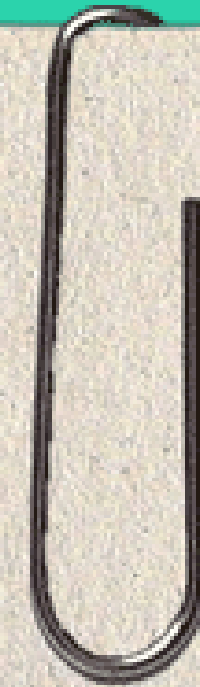
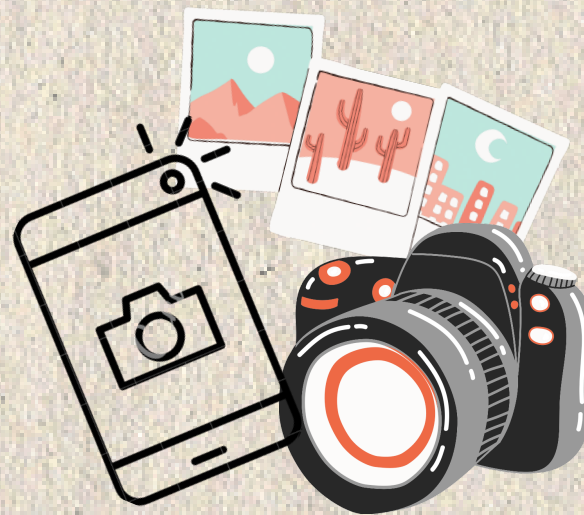


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PHOTOGRAPHY



- Students may submit one (1) photograph
- Limited digital manipulation is allowed for the photographers' showcase. Edits include filters, lighting changes, color corrections, and cropping. However, adding or removing key elements of the photo is not allowed. Heavy edits may change the category of the submission, like digi art.
- Only two-dimensional (2-D) unframed artwork will be accepted
- Students must upload their photograph in the application in a jpeg/jpg or .png format
- Submitted work must be original



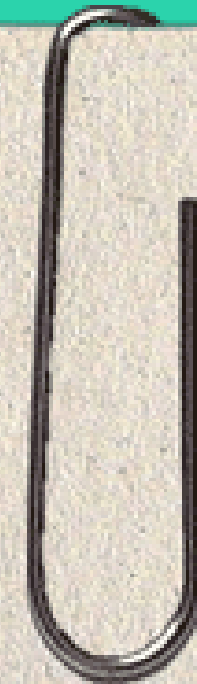
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CREATIVE AND ESSAY WRITING



- Students may select one (1) piece of writing to submit for this showcase.
- Articles can be creative writing, essays, anecdotes, and other written works. Poetry will be taken in a separate category.
- Article submissions are not to exceed 500 words.
- Submissions must be written in English.
- Judges will evaluate submissions based on theme interpretation, creativity, composition, and grammar.
- Submitted work must be original.



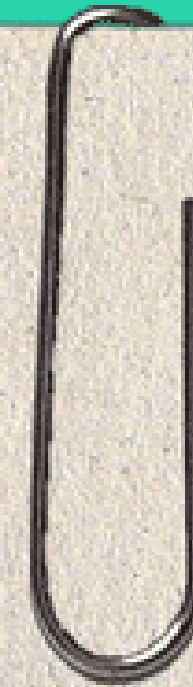
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POETRY



- Students may select one (1) poem to submit for this showcase.
- Poetry submissions are not to exceed 200 words.
- Submissions must be written in English.
- Judges will evaluate submissions based on theme interpretation, creativity, composition, and grammar.
- Submitted work must be original.



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MUSIC



- Students may select one (1) piece of music to submit for this showcase.
- Students should submit their music piece in MP3 format.
- Only audio submissions will be accepted; no videos. Submissions cannot exceed 4 minutes.
- Only solo performances are permitted.
- Judges will evaluate submissions based on theme interpretation, and creativity.
- The piece must be original.



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A simple definition of plagiarism from the Merriam-Webster Dictionary is **“to steal and pass off the ideas or words of another as one's own.”** This concept can be applied to writing, art, and photography among other artistic mediums. Therefore, it applies to all submissions to Sister Cities International’s Young Artists Showcase and Young Authors Showcase. While we realize that many works of art draw on inspiration from others, every submission will be thoroughly evaluated for originality.



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Submissions based on photographs or other two-dimensional art that was not created by the submitting artist must include express written consent for use from the original creator of the art on which the submission was based. Any submissions determined to have plagiarized the work of others will be rejected.



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As a reference, below are high profile examples of alleged visual plagiarism that led to legal challenges in the U.S.



Left: Art Rogers, Puppies, 1985. Right: Jeff Koons, String of Puppies, 1988
Source: "Copyright In The Visual Arts." WordPress. Dec 2011.



Left: Associated Press photo of Barack Obama by Mannie Garcia. Right: Poster by Shepard Fairey Source: Kennedy, Randy. "Artist Sues The A.P. Over Obama Image." The New York Times. 9 Feb 2009.



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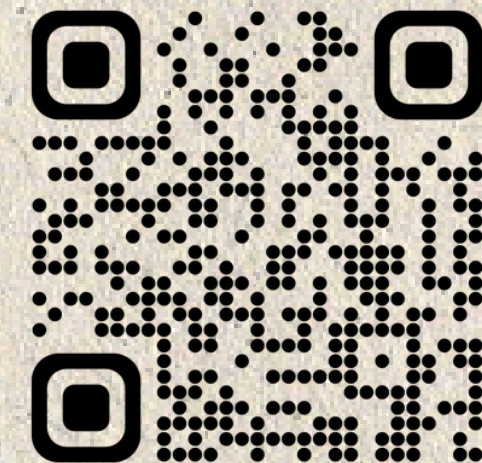


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SUBMISSION

- All entries must be **SUBMITTED AND UPLOADED** online.

🔍 <https://bit.ly/CDOYAAS2023Submission> ✕



- Entries for the Classical Art Category must be submitted to Oro-TIPC, City Hall, Cagayan de Oro City during office hours
- All entries must be submitted and received by **March 24, 2023, 11:59 PM**, along with a completed application.



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2023 YAAS THEME:

**PEACE BY PIECE:
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PEACE BY PIECE: FOOD SECURITY IN MY COMMUNITY

- How has climate change affected food security in your community?
- How does your culture value food?
- How can you, as a future leader, contribute to the solution?
- What does food security mean to you?



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TIMETABLE

DATE	ACTIVITY
February 13	• Information Dissemination
March 10	• Online Orientation
March 24	• Deadline for Submission (City Level)
March 27 – 31	• Screening of Entries
April 14	• Announcement of 2023 City Level YAAS Winners
April 28	• Submission of CDO entries to International YAAS