

Holiday Postcard Art Competition

Theme: Winter Reading

Submission Deadline: Monday, October 15, 2018

The New York Society Library is pleased to announce a **Holiday Postcard Art Competition**. Eligible entries should be an original work of art on the theme of "**Winter Reading**." Winning entries will be printed on a Library holiday postcard and sent to members. All entries will be displayed at the Library in December.

Separate awards will be given for:

• UP TO AGE 5 • AGES 6-8 • AGES 9-11 • AGES 12-14 • AGES 15-18

All submissions are subject to the rules described below.

Competition Rules

- 1. Each entry must be an original and unpublished work of a single entrant. Please do not submit a work that is or has been entered in another award competition.
- 2. Limit: one entry per person
- 3. Required Format: Artwork must be submitted on one 8.5" x 11" sheet of paper.
 - Artwork must be 2-dimensional (flat).
- 4. Entrants must be children or grandchildren of members of the New York Society Library, as of the date of the submission.
- 5. Entries must be submitted in person (see further instructions under **How to Enter**).
- 6. Prior to the announcement of the winners, the Library will be unable to verify the status of any entry.
- 7. Entries will not be critiqued or returned.
- 8. Copyrights of entries are retained by the artist, but the original artwork shall become the property of The New York Society Library. The Library shall be granted the rights, free of charge, to display, publish and otherwise use (including in print and on the Internet) the submitted work as well as the first and last name and age of each winner.

How to Enter

Entries must be hand-delivered to The New York Society Library at 53 East 79th Street. The following information must be **clearly printed in pencil** on the back of submitted artwork:

- Artist's first and last name
- Artist's age
- New York Society Library Household membership name
- Parent or guardian's e-mail address and phone number

Postal entries will **not** be accepted. Email entries will **not** be accepted.

Judging

The New York Society Library has the sole discretion to decide the final winners, including alternate or no winners, in appropriate circumstances.

Deadline

All entries must be received by 5:00 PM on Monday, October 15, 2018. Winners will be notified via email by Friday, November 30, 2018.

If you have any questions, please contact children@nysoclib.org.