



3 categories:

Children / Youth / Young Adult

Prizes for each category are

First Prize: \$500 Second Prize: \$300 Third Prize: \$200

Merit Prize: \$50 x 5

All winners will be entitled to a 3-hour workshop



Submission Deadline:

7th August 2017, 6pm

Details and registration form available in your school
or on our website www.vsa.org.sg

Exhibition of the winners:

Forum the Shopping Mall

For more information, call 64486275 or
email us at cheryl@vsa.org.sg

Rules and Regulations

1. Very Special Arts Singapore 15th Annual Art Competition (“The Competition”) is open to children, youths and young adult with disabilities currently residing in Singapore.
2. The Competition is divided into 3 categories:
 - (a) **Child** (for participants born between 2005 and 2011) aged 6-12 years,
 - (b) **Youth** (for participants born between 1997 and 2004) aged 13-20 years,
 - (c) **Young Adult** (for participants born between 1996 and 1982) aged 21-35 years.
3. There are 8 winners for each category. The cash prizes are as such:
 - a) Child Category: 1st prize \$500, 2nd prize \$300, 3rd prize \$200; and
 - b) Youth Category: 1st prize \$500, 2nd prize \$300, 3rd prize \$200; and
 - c) Young Adult Category: 1st prize \$500, 2nd prize \$300, 3rd prize \$200
 - d) 5 merit prizes for each category: \$50 each
 - e) All Winners will be offered a 3 hour Art Workshop
4. Entries can be submitted on individual basis or group basis. For group basis, a MAXIMUM of 2 artists per piece of work is allowed. The age grouping will be done according to the age of the older artist. The prize will be divided equally among the group members.
5. No more than 2 entries per artist/pair of artists are allowed. Each artist/pair can only win ONE prize.
6. All submitted works must be original work completed in the last 6 months.
7. Eligible media include: paintings and drawings (oil, poster, acrylic, watercolour, pencil, pastels, charcoal, crayon, dye), and 2-dimensional mixed media, on paper, i.e. collage. No entry on canvas will be admitted. No digital images are allowed.
8. Artwork MUST BE on A3 size (42cm x 29.7cm) paper. No mounting is required before submission. Framed paintings will not be accepted.
9. Artwork should not have been submitted in previous competitions organised by VSA Singapore or other organisations.
10. All entries must be accompanied by the following: (a) an official application entry form (photocopies allowed), (b) an introductory paragraph to the artwork and the artist (not more than 50 words each) and (c) the title of the artwork. Incomplete forms will not be accepted. All information is to be clearly indicated on the forms.
11. Each entry must be labelled with the **artwork label provided within this application form. Label should be pasted at the back of the artwork entry.** Information should be clearly indicated on the label and must correspond with that given in the official application entry form.
12. Entries must be submitted to Very Special Arts Singapore at **5 Changi Business Park Central 1 #03-01 Changi City Point, Singapore 486038** (open on weekdays only: Mon-Fri, 9am-6pm) **by 6pm, 7th August 2017 (Monday) latest.**
13. By submitting an entry, the entrant agrees with the terms and conditions for the call and exhibition. The entrant grants permission to photography and/or to publish the artwork, artist’s biography and description of the artwork for promotional and educational purposes, including broadcast, print and electronic media and the Internet.
14. **All submitted entries will become the property of VSA Singapore** and will not be returned to the entrants.
15. Selected artworks will be put on display at the VSA 15th Children Art Exhibition from 15th to 24th September 2017 at the Basement atrium of Forum the Shopping Mall. The winners will receive their prizes at the launch of the exhibition which the date and time will be communicated at a later time.
16. All possible care will be taken of the entries submitted, but the organizer assumes no responsibility for any loss or damage before, during and after the competition and exhibition.
17. The organizer reserves the right to change or substitute the prize with another of similar value, without prior notice to the winner.
18. Entries will be judged by a panel of judges appointed by the organizer. The decision of the judges is final. No correspondence may be entered into on this subject before, during or after The Competition.

VSA 15th ANNUAL ART COMPETITION 2017

REGISTRATION FORM

PLEASE USE ONE FORM PER PARTICIPANT. KINDLY PRINT THE INFORMATION CLEARLY ON THE FORM BELOW. NOTE: Maximum of 2 artists per entry for group entry. Please fill in the participants of 2nd artist on another form.

SECTION 1: PARTICIPANT'S DETAILS	
FULL NAME IN BLOCK LETTERS (UNDERLINE FAMILY NAME)	YEAR OR BIRTH
SUBMISSION AS A GROUP ENTRY YES / NO	GENDER FEMALE / MALE
NAME OF SCHOOL/ VWO	DISABILITY
BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF ARTIST (IN LESS THAN 50 WORDS)	

SECTION 2: PARTICULARS OF PARENTS/ TEACHER-IN-CHARGE	
NAME IN BLOCK LETTERS (UNDERLINE FAMILY NAME)	
RELATIONSHIP TO PARTICIPANT PARENT / GUARDIAN / TEACHER / OTHER	MOBILE NO
EMAIL	

SECTION 3: DETAILS OF ARTWORKS SUBMITTED < ARTWORK NO. 1 >	
TITLE OF ARTWORK	MEDIUM
BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF ARTWORK (IN LESS THAN 50 WORDS)	
FOR OFFICIAL USE	ENTRY CODE ____ / ____ / 17

SECTION 3: DETAILS OF ARTWORKS SUBMITTED <ARTWORK NO. 2>	
TITLE OF ARTWORK	MEDIUM
BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF ARTWORK (IN LESS THAN 50 WORDS)	
FOR OFFICIAL USE	ENTRY CODE ___ ___ ___ / ___ ___ / 17

**VSA 15th ANNUAL ART COMPETITION 2017
ARTWORK LABEL**

VSA 15th ANNUAL ART COMPETITION 2017		VSA 15th ANNUAL ART COMPETITION 2017	
TITLE:		TITLE:	
ARTIST'S NAME:		ARTIST'S NAME:	
SCHOOL / VWO:		SCHOOL / VWO	
CATEGORY: CHILDREN / YOUTH / YOUNG ADULT (CIRCLE ONE)		CATEGORY: CHILDREN / YOUTH / YOUNG ADULT (CIRCLE ONE)	
FOR OFFICIAL USE	ENTRY CODE ____ / ____ /17	FOR OFFICIAL USE	ENTRY CODE ____ / ____ /17

IMPORTANT: ALL SUBMITTED ENTRIES WILL BECOME THE PROPERTY OF VSA SINGAPORE AND WILL NOT BE RETURNED TO THE ENTRANTS. BY RESPONDING TO THIS CAL FOR ENTRY, YOU ACKNOWLEDGE THAT YOU HAVE READ AND UNDERSTOOD THE RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR THE COMPETITION.

KINDLY PRINT AND CUT THE INFORMATION CLEARLY ON THE LABELS BELOW AND PASTE THE LABEL ON THE BACK OF THE ARTWORK ENTRY.

About Very Special Arts Singapore

Very Special Arts Singapore Ltd (VSA) is a charitable organisation affiliated to the National Council of Social Service (NCSS) in Singapore and Very Special Arts International in the United States of America and its network of organizations in more than 60 countries. In Singapore, it was launched by Singapore's Ambassador-at-Large, Professor Tommy Koh on 27 September 1993.

The **mission** of VSA is **to provide individuals with disabilities the opportunities to access the arts for the purposes of rehabilitation and social integration**. To achieve this, VSA Singapore promotes the educational, social, rehabilitative and therapeutic benefits of visual and performing arts for people with disabilities; integrates these individuals into mainstream society through the arts and whenever possible, helps them obtain financial assistance and independence through arts and arts-creation.

To realize its objectives, VSA Singapore works in close partnership with other community, social and arts institutions locally and abroad, training and showcasing the talents of people with disabilities. Its activities cater to both children and adults with sensorial, learning, physical and behavioural disabilities, as well as their teachers, trainers, relatives and volunteers.

We provide opportunities for creative talents to be nurtured and developed. VSA Singapore programmes enrich the lives of people with disabilities and their communities. As the leading arts organization for people with disabilities, VSA Singapore increases access to the arts for people with disabilities by working with schools and communities through programmes, which provide for rehabilitation and social integration.

**Creating a society where people with disabilities can learn through,
participate in and enjoy the arts.**



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