



MINERAL AREA  
COUNCIL ON THE ARTS

# T-SHIRT DESIGN CONTEST

Celebrating the 25th Annual  
K-12 Student Art Show!

*You have the chance to win a*

**\$50, CERTIFICATE, AND  
A FREE SHIRT**

## HOW TO ENTER:

- 1** Create a captivating design that reflects "Celebrating 25 years" of the *MACOA K-12 Student Art Show*
- 2** Use clear colors and ensure the design is suitable for printing
- 3** Submit your design by email or in person by November 4th

For contest details and forms, please visit:  
[www.mineralareaarts.org](http://www.mineralareaarts.org)

 **MACOA**

# T-Shirt Design Contest Guidelines for the 25th Annual K-12 Student Art Show

Theme: Celebrating 25 Years of Student Artistic Excellence

Objective: Design a t-shirt for the 25th Annual K-12 Student Art Show that includes the name "Mineral Area Council on the Arts or MACOA" and incorporates the theme "Celebrating 25 Years." Can be a front and back design.

Contest Parameters:

## 1. Eligibility:

- Open to all K-12 students in the Mineral Area region and instructors.

## 2. Design Requirements:

- Must include the text "Mineral Area Council on the Arts **or** MACOA" on the front or back.
- Must incorporate the theme "Celebrating 25 Years."
- Design should be suitable for printing on a t-shirt.
- Use clear colors in the design.
- Design should be created on an 8.5" x 11" paper or digital canvas.
- ***No copyrighted or trademarked images or text.***

## 3. Submission Guidelines:

- Submit entries as a high-resolution digital file (JPEG, PNG, or PDF).
- Include a completed entry form with the artist's name, grade/age, school, and contact information or drop off in-person.
- Limit one entry per student.

## 4. Judging Criteria:

- Creativity and originality.
- Relevance to the theme.
- Visual appeal and overall design.
- Inclusion of required text ("Mineral Area Council on the Arts or MACOA" and theme of "Celebrating 25 Years").

## 5. Timeline:

- Contest Announcement: September 10, 2024
- Submission Deadline: November 4, 2024
- Judging Period: November 7-11, 2024
- Winner Announcement: November 25, 2024
- T-Shirt Unveiling: December 1, 2024

## 6. Prizes:

- 1st Place: Design printed on the official t-shirt, \$50 gift card, a framed certificate and 1 shirt.
- 2nd Place: \$50 gift card and a certificate.
- 3rd Place: \$25 gift card and a certificate.

## Submission Process:

- Digital Submissions: Email entries to [tgallaher@mineralarea.edu] with the subject line "T-Shirt Design Contest Submission."
- Physical Submissions: Drop off entries at the Mineral Area Council on the Arts office at Mineral Area College, office FA 238 during business hours.
- Mail Physical Submissions: **NOTE: DO NOT FOLD**

ATTN: Mineral Area Council on the Arts, PO Box 1000 Park Hills, MO 63601

## Judging Panel:

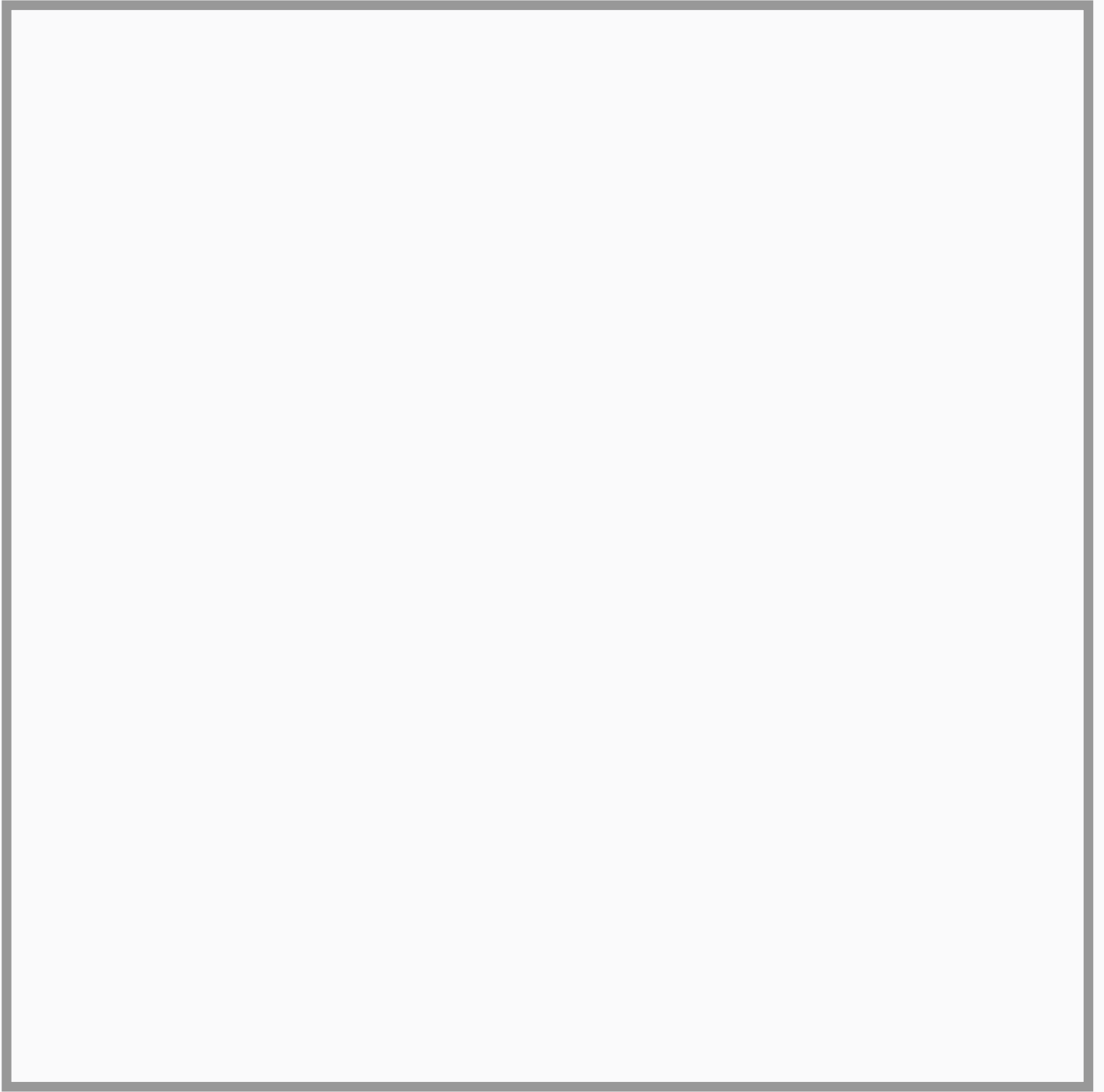
- A panel of local artists, educators, and MACOA leaders will review and judge the entries.

## Additional Information:

- Winning designs will be used to promote the 25th Annual K-12 Student Art Show.
- All submitted designs may be featured in an online gallery or social media to showcase student and teacher talent.
- Shirts will be available for purchase by preorder and at the K-12 Student Art Show – Limited Supply

## Contact:

For questions or more information, please contact Tiffany Gallaher at [tgallaher@mineralarea.edu](mailto:tgallaher@mineralarea.edu).



Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Instructor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

## **Rights Waiver & Compensation Acknowledgment**

By signing below, I acknowledge that I am voluntarily submitting my design for the 25th Annual K-12 Student Art Show T-Shirt Design Contest. I understand and agree to the following:

I acknowledge that this is my own original design and contains no trademarked or copyrighted images.

I understand that my submission may be used by MACOA for promotional purposes, including online galleries or social media.

I waive all rights to the submitted design, and I grant Mineral Area Council on the Arts (MACOA) the full, royalty-free right to use, reproduce, and sell t-shirts featuring my design.

I understand that I will not receive any monetary compensation, royalties, or any other form of payment from the sales of the t-shirts or any other related revenue streams.

I further acknowledge that MACOA may use my design for promotional purposes, including but not limited to social media, websites, and print materials.

By signing below, I confirm that I have read and understood the terms of this waiver and agree to its conditions.

Signature of Participant: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature (if under 18): \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_