



MARCH 2021



"ART
CONNECTS
US"

Georgia Youth
Art Month



Youth Art Month is for you!

The Georgia Art Education Association invites all art educators to participate in YAM activities! Celebrations can be as simple as a single class learning activity that focuses attention to the value of arts; or celebrations can involve collaborations which result in multi-school art exhibits. You can start with one thing that you already are doing successfully and design a way to share the value gained by your students- with parents, with school administrators, with the community, and/or with politicians.

Youth Art Month is celebrated during the month of March, but all art successes from any time of the year deserve recognition. Please take a minute and fill out the YAM 20/21 form so your event will be included in Georgia's YAM national report.

When you are sharing your Youth Art Month Celebrations via Social Media, please tag GAEA at **#gaYAM21** or **#GeorgiaYAM21**

Follow us at:

Twitter- @georgiaYAMinfo **Facebook-** @Youth Art Month in Georgia

2021 Youth Art Month Flag Design Competition

This year's theme is "**Art Connects Us**". The winning design will be exhibited along with other state YAM flags in Chicago at the NAEA Conference in March

Competition Guidelines:

- Submissions open November 1, 2020

- Incorporate the big idea: "**Art Connects Us.**"
- Include Georgia somewhere in the design
- Use of the YAM Logo is encouraged
- Design can be vertical or horizontal
- Each FAEA member may submit one design per student.
- Submit digitally on the FAEA website.
- **Entries due by the January 18, 2021** deadline.

Important Information and Document Links:

[YAM Overview](#)

[Youth Art Month Flag Design Contest Details](#)

[YAM Artist Trading Card Swap](#)

[Youth Art Month Calendar of Activities](#)

[Student Artwork Release Form](#)

[50 Quick Ideas to Celebrate](#)

[YAM Issuing and Using a Proclamation](#)

[YAM Sample Proclamation Request Letter](#)

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Youth Art Month Flag Design Winners 2020

“A Journey through Art”



Overall K-12 Winner:



Artist: Camille Hall

Grade: 8th

Teacher: Katy King

General Ray Davis Middle School

High School



Artist: Rowan Crooks- Taylor

Grade: 10th

Teacher: Kathleen Petka

Walton High School

Middle School



Artist: Olivia De Francesco

Grade: 8th

Teacher: Katy King

General Ray Davis Middle School

Middle School



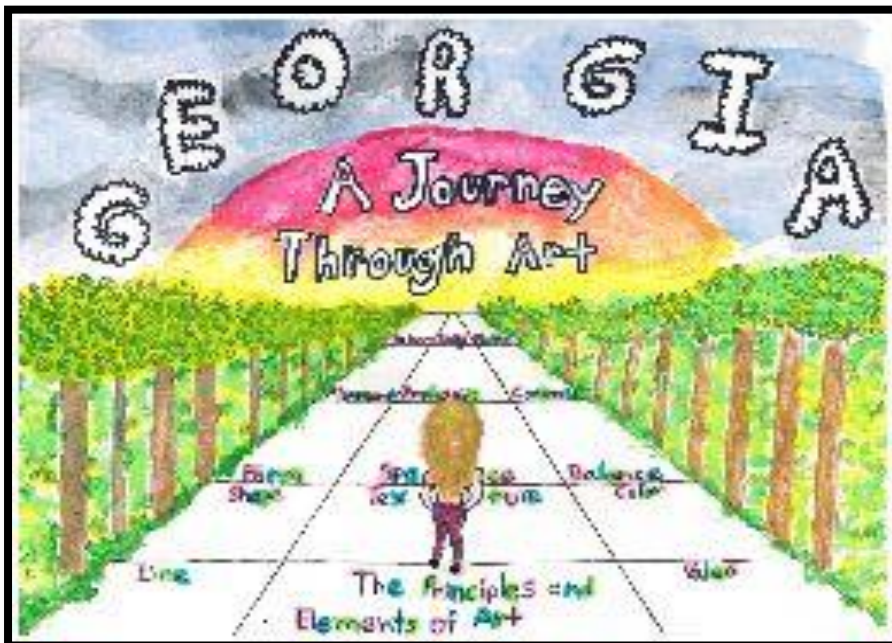
Artist: Avery Rylander

Grade: 8th

Teacher: Nicole Gaut

Durham Middle School

Elementary School



Artist: Bryson Horton

Grade: 5th

Teacher: Judy Ware

Mill Creek Elementary School