



# AN ART CONTEST TO BENEFIT TRANSRACIAL JOURNEYS

\* CREATE \* HEAL \* INSPIRE \*

## Who?

Elementary and secondary students age 18 and younger.

## Submission Deadline:

**April 20, 2018**

## How?

Art work must be submitted on paper, poster board or canvas (no larger than 22x28-inch), and may consist of any painting, drawing, or collage, using any medium (i.e., pastel, oil, pencil, watercolor, acrylic, pen & ink, charcoal, fabric, mixed media, etc.). Digital art and photography are not accepted. Only original artwork will be accepted. Text and words may be incorporated into the work, as long as it is either *original*, or properly & visibly cited/attributed to the original author in the work.

## Prizes:

Winners will be judged & prizes awarded in 3 age groups as follows:

Group A: Grades 10-12  
Group B: Grades 6-9  
Group C: Grades 1-5

Group A:  
First prize: \$100;  
Second prize: \$75; Third prize: \$50

Group B:  
First prize: \$75;  
Second prize: \$50; Third Prize \$25

Group C:  
First prize: \$25 gift card

## Entry:

See reverse for entry form, or email:

[info@transracialjourneys.org](mailto:info@transracialjourneys.org)

Artists have a unique ability to bring people together, provoke change, and even heal communities in important ways.

**Transracial Journeys** is a non-profit that supports children and parents in families with transracially adopted children and works to promote racial justice. We invite young artists to share their artistic visions to help drive social change in our **second annual art contest**.



## What

Create a two-dimensional piece of art responding to the themes of **diversity, race, or social justice in America**. Interpretation of the theme is up to the artist; work may approach the theme from a historical, biographical, personal, or abstract perspective, and may draw on subject matter of historical, political, literary, or contemporary significance.

## Judging

A panel of 3 judges will rate each submission for creativity, interpretation of the theme, as well as artistic and creative merit. Winners will be announced at the **Transracial Journeys Station Hope Family Weekend, on May 5, 2018**. Prizes will be mailed within 3 weeks of the award announcements.

## Other Information

All submitted art work will become property of Transracial Journeys and will be considered as a donation to our fundraising auction. By submitting your art, you confirm that you understand that your art becomes the property of Transracial Journeys, and, whether a winning entry or not, it may be used by Transracial Journeys, in whole or in part, royalty free, in any printed or electronic media and in promotional materials, including fundraising and online publications.

## Questions

For more information, please contact:

Michelle Daray (614-598-2662) or Melissa Dials (330-321-8228).



**Attach with tape to the back of each submission – Due April 20, 2018**

Youth Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell/primary phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

School\*: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_  
(\*If homeschooled, please indicate, & include the name of a non-relative reference.)

Teacher Name &amp; email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian Consent (to be completed if contestant is under 18)**

I give my child permission to enter the Transracial Journey's 2018 Art Contest. I certify that the submitted artwork is my child's original work. By entering this art competition, I am granting Transracial Journeys a royalty free, non-exclusive, transferable, and perpetual license to sell and reproduce images of my child's artwork. I understand that all entries may be exhibited at public galleries or other locations to be determined, and may also be entered into Transracial Journey's fundraiser auction to be held later in 2018, for the sole benefit of Transracial Journeys, a 501c(3) non-profit organization. Artwork will not be returned. I understand that artists retain rights to the reproduction of their images, but the original image will become property of Transracial Journeys, to be used solely for the purposes of furthering its mission.

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Artist Consent (to be completed if contestant is 18 years of age)**

By entering this art competition, I am granting Transracial Journeys a royalty free, non-exclusive, transferable, and perpetual license to sell and reproduce images of my artwork. I understand that all entries may be exhibited at public galleries or other locations to be determined, and may also be entered into Transracial Journey's fundraiser auction to be held later in 2018, for the sole benefit of Transracial Journeys, a 501c(3) non-profit organization. Artwork will not be returned. I understand that artists retain rights to the reproduction of their images, but the original image will become property of Transracial Journeys, to be used solely for the purposes of furthering its mission. I represent that I am 18 years of age, that the submitted artwork is my original work and I am the sole artist, and that I am providing this consent knowingly and voluntarily.

Contestant Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contestant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Address for submission:**

Attach the entry form to the back of each piece of artwork and mail or deliver to:

**Michelle Daray/Transracial Journeys Art Contest 2018**  
**12700 Lake Ave., #1712**  
**Lakewood, OH 44107**