



25th international art contest A Place, Here and Now

Every day down the same road, the same path to school, on a trip, into the world.

Every day lunch at the same time, pajamas on, and off to bed at the same time. And every day worries about what was and what is to come.

While the beauty of the present moment is forgotten, unperceived, as if it didn't exist.

And yet along these paths and flying thoughts there lives a wonderful world ... birds nesting in ancient buildings, planes above us soaring the sunny morning skies, music rising from the street becoming entangled with the treetops of autumn. A moment of joy imprints itself on us when we run after the ball, jump rope, hug someone close to us.

But in every land, region, country this present moment is different, singular.

We invite you to render your present moments in art.

Let's prove that every place is beautiful, here and now.

We invite you to express your thoughts and ideas through art.

The contest A Place, Here and Now is open to students from grades 1 to 9 (ages 6 to 15) and students in special programs.

Each mentor can submit up to 10 artworks, which must be no larger than the A2 format (420 mm x 594 mm).

We only accept two-dimensional artworks. They must not be framed or mounted.

You can submit artworks in any drawing, painting, graphic, or mixed technique.

All entries must contain the following information on the back side:

title of the artwork,
the student's first and last name, grade, and age,
the teacher's first and last name, and email address,
the school's name and address,
the country.

Entries must be submitted by February 28th, 2022 at the latest, they must be adequately packed to avoid bending, wrinkling, or tearing. Please use the enclosed form in packing and mailing the entries.

Mail your entries to:

Osnovna šola Danila Lokarja Ajdovščina
Cesta 5. maja 15
5270 Ajdovščina, SLOVENIA
marked »A Place art contest«.

Entries received by the deadline will be assessed by a panel of judges, who will select artworks to be showcased at the exhibition and the winning artworks based on the contest criteria.

Ten gold and ten silver recognitions will be awarded in each of the following age groups: grades 1 to 3 (i.e., ages 6 to 8), grades 4 to 6 (i.e., ages 9 to 11), and grades 7 to 9 (i.e., ages 12 to 15). All other entries selected for the exhibition will be awarded bronze recognitions.

The showcased and winning artworks will not be returned. Other entries can be picked up at the opening of the exhibition.

The opening of the exhibition with the closing ceremony and awards ceremony will be held in April 2022. Mentors will receive invitations via email.

For more information please email us at likovninatecaj.kraj@gmail.com or call +386 5 367 11 00.

We wish you days be filled with artistic inspiration and freedom.

We look forward to working with you,

Nataša Rupnik in Maja Štefin,
art contest organizers

Irena Kodele Krašna,
head teacher





ATTACHMENT

List of participating pupils and works

LIST OF SUBMITTED ARTWORKS

School or organization: _____

Address: _____

Country: _____

E-mail: _____

Telephone: _____

Mentor's first and last name: _____

	Student's first and last name	grade, age	Artwork title
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You can browse the entries from past contests here:

<http://www.os-ajdovscina.si/?s=kraj+>

Artworks selected for the exhibition are property of the organizer (Danilo Lokar Primary School Ajdovščina) but can be used only for purposes related to the contest and its promotion. By submitting your entry to the contest, the author or mentor agrees that the Danilo Lokar Primary School Ajdovščina use a reproduction of the artwork and display information about the author, mentor, and school in the exhibition, catalog, website, media, etc.