

American Heroes Student Art Contest

Parent/Guardian Permission Slip

Your student has the opportunity to participate in the **American Heroes Student Art Contest**, a nationwide contest sponsored by **Freedom 250** and the **National Endowment for the Humanities**.

- **The Challenge:** Students in grades 3–12 create original 2D artwork honoring an American Hero.
- **The Prize:** 168 winners will earn awards, including a travel/lodging allowance to **Washington D.C. in Summer 2026** for an exhibition at the Great American State Fair.
- **Deadline:** Submissions must be received by **11:59 p.m. ET on May 1, 2026**.
- **Rules:** For full eligibility and FAQ, visit: freedom250.org/StudentArtContest

Parent/Guardian Consent

I give permission for my child (name), _____,

By signing below, I acknowledge and understand that:

- Participation is voluntary; no purchase is necessary.
- My child's name, grade, school, state, and entry may be shared publicly by Freedom 250.
- If selected, the teacher may coordinate with Contest Administrators regarding prizes.
- If my child wins, I (the parent/guardian) will be contacted via email to claim the prize.
- Winning may require travel in **Summer 2026**.

Media Consent for Student Artwork

I grant Freedom 250 permission to display digital images of my child's artwork on social media (Facebook/Instagram) to highlight student achievement.

- **Terms:** No monetary compensation; images may be cropped/edited for formatting.
- **Privacy:** Artwork will only be identified by first name, grade category, and State.

YES, you have my permission to post my child's artwork.

NO, please do not post my child's artwork online.

Parent/Guardian Contact Information

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Phone Number: _____ **Email:** _____

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

***Note to Parents:** If your child’s teacher is submitting the artwork, please complete the sections below and return this form to your child’s teacher.

I give permission for my child’s teacher, _____,
to submit an entry to the contest on behalf of my child, _____.

NO PURCHASE NECESSARY. Contest ends 11:59 p.m. ET on 5/1/26. Open to U.S. students (3rd–12th grade). Submission includes grant of license rights to Entry’s Content. First Prize awardees must travel with parent/legal guardian on designated dates. Void where prohibited.