



## Art Competition FAQs



### WHAT IS THE CHALLENGE ART COMPETITION?

It's an annual art competition run by Challenge Community Services and invites people with disabilities, those in care of a disability services provider, as well as children and young people in Out of Home Care, to unleash their creativity and express themselves through art.

### HOW MANY YEARS HAS THE ART COMPETITION BEEN RUNNING?

17 years. It's evolved over the years and is now a fully online competition which opens up entry to people from across Australia.

### WHAT IS THE THEME?

This year's theme is 'Everyday Magic'. Whether you find wonder in your family and friendships, beauty in the natural world, or astonishment in your hobbies and activities – we want to see your 'Everyday Magic'!

### WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER?

The competition is open to Australian residents who are:

- A) A person with disability in the care of a disability provider
- B) A child or young person in Foster Care/Out of Home Care

### HOW CAN I ENTER?

Eligible individuals can create a piece of artwork using the campaign theme 'Everyday Magic' for inspiration. The artwork can take any format that can be reasonably photographed or submitted digitally including a drawing, painting, photo or sculpture.



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Next step is visiting the Challenge website [www.challengecommunity.org.au/art-competition](http://www.challengecommunity.org.au/art-competition) and following the prompts to the entry page where you can submit the entry online.

Entrants under 18 must have parent/guardian/carer approval to enter.

### CAN I POST MY ENTRY?

No, this is an online competition.

### ARE THERE ANY LIMITS ON HOW MANY TIMES I CAN ENTER?

Yes, there's a limit of one entry per eligible person.

### WHAT ARE THE PRIZES?

A judging panel will award a \$200 Eftpos Gift Card to a winner from each category.

An online vote will also determine the People's Choice Awards which are also \$200 Eftpos Gift Card per category.

One online voter in our competition will win a \$200 Eftpos Gift Card.

### HOW DOES THE PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARDS WORK?

All accepted entries will be eligible for the People's Choice Awards. Online voting will be via a link on the Challenge Community Services website from 10am Monday 28 October. One vote per category per person is permitted.

### WHAT'S THE TOTAL PRIZE POOL?

\$3,000

### WHAT ARE THE CATEGORIES FOR ENTRY?

- i. People with Disability aged 0-12 years
- ii. People with Disability aged 13-18 years
- iii. People with Disability aged 19-35 years
- iv. People with Disability aged 36-50 years
- v. People with Disability aged 51+ years
- vi. Children and Young People in Foster Care aged 0-12 years
- vii. Children and Young People in Foster Care aged 13-18 years



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### WHAT ARE THE KEY DATES TO REMEMBER?

- Monday 2 September                      Entries open
- Sunday 13 October                        Entries close
- Monday 28 October                        People's Choice Award voting opens
- Monday 11 November                      People's Choice Award voting closes
- Monday 11 November                      Judges Panel final selection
- By Monday 18 November                  Provisional winners notified.
- Tuesday 26 November                      Winners announced.

### I'M NOT A CLIENT OF CHALLENGE, CAN I STILL ENTER?

Yes, we welcome entries from people with disability or in Foster Care with other service providers.

### WHO ARE THE JUDGES?

Five representatives from Challenge Community Services

### WHERE CAN I FIND THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS?

On our website : <https://www.challengecommunity.org.au/art-competition/>

### WHERE CAN I FIND OUT MORE INFORMATION?

Visit the [Challenge website](#) and keep an eye on our social media pages