



# 2024-2025 Art Contest Scholarship Guidelines (7-12 grade)

## **Statement of**

**Purpose:** The Right to Life of Southwest Indiana Art Scholarship Contest strives to promote the ability of junior high and high school students to share their pro-life views with others. Eligible students will create an original piece of pro-life art guided by the theme chosen for the year. This year, the theme is “The Pro-Life Generation.”

## **Scholarships:**

### **(9-12 grade)**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: \$600

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: \$300

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: \$200

### **(7-8 grade)**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: \$300

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: \$150

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: \$75

## **2024-2025 Guidelines:**

*Students submitting artwork must adhere to the guidelines established below.*

## ***Eligibility***

- The Art Scholarship Contest is open to all students enrolled in grades 7-12 as of February 3, 2025. In the case of home-schooled students, eligibility is determined by the year the students will enter college.
- Theme is “The Pro-Life Generation.” Students will create a piece of artwork that best represents the pro-life generation.
- Students from Spencer, Posey, Gibson, Warrick, and Vanderburgh counties may enter.
- Applicants must complete an online registration form by February 6, 2025. The form can be found on our website.
- All Entries are due on Thursday, February 13, 2025 by 4:00 pm. Entries must be delivered to the Right to Life of Southwest Indiana office at 20 NW Third Street, Suite 810, Evansville, IN 47708.
- Once art pieces are submitted to Right to Life of Southwest Indiana, they become the sole property of Right to Life. All participants will have the opportunity to receive their artwork back after the 2025 Annual Banquet.
- Students may only enter ONE submission in ONE contest of their choosing. Students may not enter multiple entries in multiple contests. Students will choose whether to enter one piece into the Art Scholarship Contest, Mary Ellen Van Dyke Voices for Life Scholarship Contest, or Essay Scholarship Contest.
- Winners of previous contests may submit an entry in the contest of their choosing if they meet the grade requirement.

**Formatting**

- Vertical or horizontal orientations are accepted.
- Artwork must be mounted to a 20”x 30” foam-core board.
  - Points will be deducted if your art piece is not mounted.
- The following 2-dimensional media are accepted:
  - Paper or canvas
  - Photography
  - Prints
  - Low relief collage
  - Paint, colored pencils, markers, crayons, charcoal, or pencil pastels
- Must be sprayed and covered with a loose, clear plastic
- All artwork must have a clearly printed contest label securely attached to the back. *See the following page for the attachable label.*

*The artwork will be evaluated by a pro-life panel of judges. Winners of the Art Scholarship will be announced and contacted by email/phone no later than February 24, 2025.*

For more information, please reach out to [adardeen@rtlswin.org](mailto:adardeen@rtlswin.org) or call 812-474-3195. Thank you for supporting life. We look forward to receiving your “The Pro-Life Generation” themed artwork!

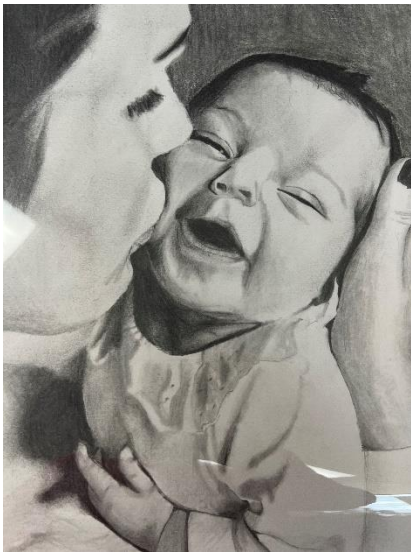
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Student Name: _____
Age: _____ Grade: _____
Cell Phone: _____
Email: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
School: _____
Teacher: _____
Title of Artwork: _____
Size: _____
Brief Description: _____
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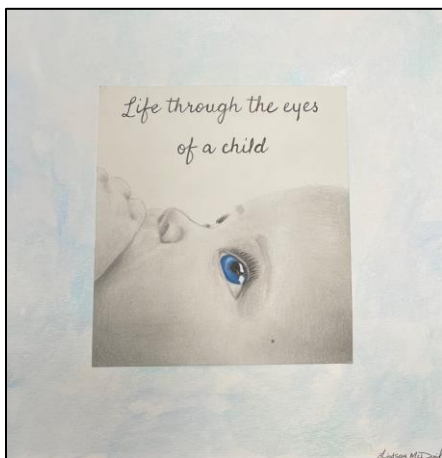
## Previous Art Scholarship Contest Recipients



**2024 Winner**  
**Kassie Mayes**  
**Theme: Life, The Greatest Gift**



**2023 Winner**  
**Lucas Kissel**  
**Theme: Love them Both**



**2022 Winner**  
**Lindsey McDaniel**  
**Theme: Life Through the Eyes of a Child**