

CONGRESSMAN MIKE JOHNSON 2019 CONGRESSIONAL ART COMPETITION



Congressman Mike Johnson is pleased to announce the 2019 Congressional Art Competition. This is an exciting opportunity open to all high school students across America each year.

One piece of art from each Congressional District will be selected by a panel of judges for display in the U.S. Capitol Building. Second and third place selections will be proudly displayed in our district offices. The winner of the competition will also be awarded two airline tickets to Washington, D.C., and be the honored guest for a Capitol tour and lunch with Congressman Johnson.

The 2019 theme for Louisiana's Fourth District is *The People of Louisiana*. Our beautiful state is a melting pot of cultures rich in heritage and tradition, and our people are as unique, diverse and inspiring as our communities and our cuisine. We look forward to seeing the people of Louisiana reflected in this year's art pieces.

A reception will be held by our office to announce the winner and honor the participants. The date and location of reception will be announced at a later time.

Entry Notification Deadline: Friday, March 15

Art Submission Deadline: Wednesday, April 17

Teachers – please let us know if you have students that will be participating by Friday, March 15, by emailing pam.gras@mail.house.gov. All artwork and entry forms must be submitted to our district offices by Friday, April 12. We look forward to receiving this year's entries.

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Suite 248
Bossier City, LA 71111

Leesville Office:
NSU-Fort Polk
3329 University Parkway
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Leesville, LA 71446

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:

Bossier Office – Pam Gras at 318-840-0309
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CAC GUIDELINES:

Artwork entered in the contest may be up to 26" x 26" and 4" deep (PLEASE ALLOW FOR FRAMING IF YOUR ENTRY WINS). **All entries must be original in concept, design and execution.**

The artwork medium may include the following:

DRAWINGS: *pastels, colored pencil, pencil, charcoal, ink and markers;* **MIXED MEDIA;**

PAINTINGS: *oil, acrylics and watercolor;* **COLLAGE;**

PHOTOGRAPHY; PRINTS: *lithographs, silkscreen and block prints;* **COMPUTER-GENERATED ART**



**"Fishing At Cypress Lake" by Madison Waldron,
Haughton High School, 2018 First Place Winner**