

SCHOLASTIC JURORS: ROUND 2
GRADE GROUP I: 7TH & 8TH GRADE
Scholastic Art Awards Judging Rubric 2013

CATEGORY	GOLD KEY	SILVER KEY	MERIT
CATEGORY I: Originality	Work demonstrates clarity of context, value, and aesthetics which communicate the artist's unique creative spirit	Work represents a passionate and keen intellectual and creative curiosity	Work has evolved beyond the classroom assignment to present innovative themes and concepts
CATEGORY II: Skill/Technique	Work demonstrates a nuanced mastery of elements of the medium and a creative spirit of experimentation	Work demonstrates mastery of the basic elements of the medium	Work demonstrates strong skill in chosen medium, but lacks ability to make subtle structural choices
CATEGORY III: Expression	Work successfully communicates meanings, ideas, attitudes, views, and intentions of the artist in a complex, nuanced, and intelligent manner	Ideas are complex, conceptually strong and reveal a clear personal signature	Work demonstrates insight and introspection, but lacks clarity and depth in communicating artist's personal signature