

# Art Scoring Rubric

**Middle School**

**(Graphite, Ink, Color Pencil)**

**Entry #** \_\_\_\_\_

Neatness	4	Extremely neat; no visible eraser marks or smudges-Great control of medium
	3	Very neat; only slight distortions can be seen – Good control of medium
	2	Somewhat neat; obvious marks or stains – Some control of medium
	1	More attention on neatness – needs more practice in medium
Composition	4	Eye-pleasing presentation; composition intrigues viewer
	3	Good presentation; could have used more planning in composition
	2	Some effort paid to composition; seems to be lacking finishing touches
	1	Could use more thought in layout or composition
Creativity	4	Very original and creative
	3	Somewhat original
	2	Not very original
	1	Needs to be more original and thoughtful in design
Effort	4	Very detailed; much time spent producing the final product
	3	Obvious that time was taken; could be more polished
	2	Average amount of effort; further effort needed
	1	Looks rushed; more time needs to be taken

**Final Score** \_\_\_\_\_

Place: 1<sup>st</sup> Place (14-16 pts)   2<sup>nd</sup> Place (11-13 pts)   3<sup>rd</sup> Place (8-10 pts)   Participant (4-7 pts)

Comments: (optional) \_\_\_\_\_

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