



Youth Art Contest Official Rules

71st Annual Scottsdale Arabian Horse Show

Subject:

"Arabian Horses Making a Difference in the Community" must depict elements of the Arabian Horse whose history is rich both locally and internationally. Books, Videos, the Internet, and various other mediums can be used by the students to gain insight and ideas into the Arabian Horse.

Final Entries

Finished size (with mat) can be no larger than 11" x 14" (5" x 7" fits an 8" x 10" mat, 8.5" x 11" fits a 9" x 12" or 11" x 14" mat)

Submitted entries **MUST** be matted with white mat board.

Each entry **MUST** have a hole in the upper left and right corners for hanging purposes.

ALL Artwork is due at the Arabian Horse Association of Arizona office by **Friday, January 30, 2026.**

Medium

A **NON-SMUDGE** medium is encouraged; tempera paint, watercolor, crayon, magic marker, printmaking, and mixed media are all welcome. We encourage the students to explore style, content and expression.

Art Work Delivery

Please deliver artwork by **Friday, January 30, 2025** to the Arabian Horse Association office. Be sure that the Official Entry Form is complete.

**Arabian Horse Association of Arizona
15455 N Greenway-Hayden Loop C-18, Scottsdale, AZ 85260
Office hours are Monday through Friday 8:30am to 4:30pm**

Upon delivery of the artwork, you will receive:

- One T-shirt for each Art Contest entrant
- Two free one day passes for the Scottsdale Arabian Horse Show for each entrant's parent to attend
- Two free tickets to invite family and friends.
- Two free one day passes for art teacher who supported their class involvement
- 10 free tickets for school staff

We would like to be ready for you when you come to drop off the artwork so, please email or call us with how many entries you will be dropping off and a list of t-shirts needed in each size. Please email office@scottsdaleshow.com or call 480-515-1500.

Judges

The panel is composed of professionals who work in the art field, dignitaries, and representatives in the Arabian horse industry. Judging will take place during the show.

Awards

All students who enter the Art Contest will receive an Art Contest T-Shirt from the Arabian Horse Association of Arizona, please make sure the t-shirt type and size is circled. Winners will be announced, and awards presented on **Sunday, February 22, 2026 from 11:00 am to 11:30 am**. Winners in each age division will be awarded as follows: Champion, Reserve Champion and Top Ten winners (10 ribbons per division). Age categories will be as follows: Kindergarten, Grade 1, Grade 2, Grade 3, Grade 4, Grade 5, Grade 6, Grade 7, Grade 8, Grade 9, Grade 10, Grade 11 and Grade 12.

Students are asked to wear their Art Contest T-shirts for photos. We'd love to receive a group photo of your students in their shirts.

Additional Information

The Arabian Horse Association of Arizona reserves the right to use art entries in future advertising and promotion. All art work must remain on display throughout the Horse Show but can be taken home after pictures have been taken on Sunday, February 22, 2026. Starting March 9 thru the end of May remaining artwork may be picked up at the Arabian Horse Association office, as they will not be mailed. AHAA will not be responsible for lost or damaged art work. Please call (480) 515-1500 prior to picking up the artwork to make sure we have it ready for you.