

YAAS 2024 Application Form

Please review the eligibility criteria before filling out the submission form.
ALL SUBMISSIONS MUST BE MADE IN ENGLISH.

* Indicates required question

1. Email *

2. I have reviewed the eligibility criteria for YAAS 2024 and I am ready to start my application. **(Please make sure to contact your Sister Cities chapter before starting your application.)** *

Check all that apply.

Yes

No

I would like to be put in contact with my local Sister Cities chapter.

Contact Information

Our primary contact method will be email. Therefore, we need a valid email address that you check regularly.

*Due to security problems, school email addresses are not acceptable. **Do not provide a school email address in your application.**

3. First Name *

4. Last Name *

5. Date of Birth *

Example: January 7, 2019

6. Email *

7. Phone Number *

Mailing Address

Please provide your in person residential, physical address.

8. City

9. State

10. Country

Sister City Program Information

Please be sure to coordinate with your local sister cities program before sending your application. If you are unsure of what organization you belong to or who your contact person is, please visit our Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) page. **Individual submissions will not be accepted unless approved by the applicant's Sister City Organization.**

If you are attending from an international city, please state the full name of your Sister City Program.

Ex: Boulder - Dushanbe Sister Cities

For any other questions, please reach out to youth@sistercities.org.

11. Name of the Sister City Program Sponsoring the Entry *

Sister City Contact Person

If you are unsure who your Sister City Contact Person is, please contact your local program. **DO NOT use your personal contact information.**

12. First Name *

13. Last Name *

14. Email Address *

15. Phone Number *

Sister City Program Mailing Address

16. City *

17. State *

18. Country *

19. I have contacted and coordinated my submission with my Sister City above. I understand that failure to specify my Sister City Program can disqualify me from 2024 Young Artists and Authors Showcase. If you have any questions regarding your Sister City Program please contact us at youth@sistercities.org. *

Check all that apply.

Yes

No

Information About The Artwork

Please submit only **one** entry in **one** category.

20. Title of Art Piece *

21. Category *

Mark only one oval.

- Art (Classic Medium) Skip to question 22
- Art (Digital Medium) Skip to question 23
- Photography Skip to question 24
- Poetry Skip to question 25
- Essay Skip to question 26
- Original Music Skip to question 27

Artwork Upload - Art (Classic Medium)

Accepted file formats:

Classic Medium Art: .JPEG, .PNG

The title of the artwork should be in the following format:
STUDENT LAST NAME, FIRST NAME - TITLE OF THE ARTWORK
e.g. Eisenhower, Dwight - Resilient Cities

22. Upload your artwork here: *

Files submitted:

Skip to question 28

Artwork Upload - Art (Digital Medium)

Accepted file formats:

Digital Medium Art: .JPEG, .PNG

The title of the artwork should be in the following format:
STUDENT LAST NAME, FIRST NAME - TITLE OF THE ARTWORK
e.g. Eisenhower, Dwight - Resilient Cities

23. Upload your artwork here: *

Files submitted:

Skip to question 28

Artwork Upload - Photography

Accepted file formats:

Photography: .JPEG, .PNG

The title of the artwork should be in the following format:

STUDENT LAST NAME, FIRST NAME - TITLE OF THE ARTWORK

e.g. Eisenhower, Dwight - Resilient Cities

24. Upload your photograph here: *

Files submitted:

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Artwork Upload - Poetry

Accepted file formats:

Poetry: .DOC, .PDF

The title of the artwork should be in the following format:

STUDENT LAST NAME, FIRST NAME - TITLE OF THE ARTWORK

e.g. Eisenhower, Dwight - Resilient Cities

25. Upload your poem here: *

Files submitted:

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Artwork Upload - Essay

Accepted file formats:

Essay: .DOC, .PDF

The title of the artwork should be in the following format:

STUDENT LAST NAME, FIRST NAME - TITLE OF THE ARTWORK

e.g. Eisenhower, Dwight - Resilient Cities

26. Upload your essay here: *

Files submitted:

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Artwork Upload - Original Music

Accepted file formats:

Original Music: .MP3 ONLY

The title of the artwork should be in the following format:

STUDENT LAST NAME, FIRST NAME - TITLE OF THE ARTWORK

e.g. Eisenhower, Dwight - Resilient Cities

27. Upload your music piece here: *

Files submitted:

Skip to question 29

Medium & Tools

Please mention which medium (s) you used to create your artwork.

Ex: Watercolor, acrylic etc.

28. Medium & Tools *

Skip to question 29

Description of the Artwork

In no more than 700 characters, please tell us what inspired you to create this work and any other description or context you would like to provide. You are encouraged to discuss how your local communities and/or sister cities are approaching this year's theme. You can talk about collaborative efforts between communities, give project examples, or explore areas of potential cooperation within water sustainability field. **This question is REQUIRED and is an essential portion of the judging process.**

Please note that this section should be written by the student.

29. Description *

Additional Questions

30. How did you hear about the Young Artists and Authors Showcase? *

31. Is it your first time attending the Showcase? *

Mark only one oval.

Yes

No

32. Legal Consent *

I understand that all showcase entries become the artistic property of Sister Cities International. Although the artist retains his/her/their copyright to the submitted artwork, by submitting this entry, I hereby grant to Sister Cities International a perpetual, non-exclusive, fully transferable and sublicensable right and license to use, reproduce, publicly perform, display, and distribute the submitted artwork through all media now known or hereafter developed, including without limitation any future publication use in promotional material and/or online service with no compensation other than credit with the artist's name and community. The license rights granted to Sister Cities International shall include the right to translate, alter, modify, and make derivative works of the artwork without limitation. By submitting a photograph of the artist's artwork, I represent and warrant that I have the right to grant to SCI the unrestricted use of the photograph. I have secured all licenses necessary for creating audio recordings. Sister Cities International takes no responsibility and will not compensate for any lost or damaged artwork. I agree to abide by all the rules and terms of the showcase and agree to waive all claims of any kind against the showcase organizers.

Check all that apply.

Yes

No

Thank you!

Don't forget to click "SUBMIT" below. Please email us at youth@sistercities.org if you have any questions.

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