

The University of New England School Acquisitive Art Prize (UNESAP) is held annually with the purpose of encouraging talented young artists in regional New South Wales.

Divisions/ Age categories:

Infants Division KG, 1 & 2
 Primary Division Years 3, 4, 5 & 6
 Junior Secondary Years 7, 8 & 9
 Senior Secondary Years 10, 11 & 12

Ten students will be awarded prizes and four (first place) artworks will remain permanently in the University of New England's art collection.

All other finalists' artworks will be exhibited at the New England Regional Art Museum and returned within 3 weeks of the close of the exhibition.

Divisions	1st Place	2nd Place
Infants	\$75	\$50
Primary	\$100	\$75
Junior Secondary	\$200	\$150
Senior Secondary	\$300	\$200
People's Choice Award	\$100	
Director's Choice Award	\$100	

Please note that a completed one-page entry form must accompany each submission. Works will not be considered unless this form is submitted with the artwork. If you require further copies of these forms you may photocopy the original posted or download them from the website:

www.neram.com.au/event/unesap-2022

Submission Dates

2-20 May 2022

ENTRIES CLOSE 5pm Friday 20 May 2022

University of New England
 School Acquisitive Art Prize

LET'S HANG IT! 2022



Lorena Duong
 People's Choice 2021, Yr 11, St Joseph's Regional College, Port Macquarie

Exhibition Dates

**FRIDAY 29 JULY -
 SUNDAY 14 AUGUST 2022**

New England Regional Art Museum, Armidale

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All artworks for consideration are to be submitted digitally and online through NERAM's website.

Submission guidelines:

1. Artwork to be photographed by student/family member/teacher - Landscape or portrait orientation to match work (JPEG)
2. Jpeg files to be named using the following protocol: - Year of School_Surname_First Initial_School Name
3. Teacher/School to collate all entries and completed entry forms - Entry forms to be titled the same as the jpegs (PDF)
4. Teacher/School to submit entries (image files and forms) online: www.neram.com.au/unesap2022

Schools will be notified of selected finalists via email by Thursday 2 June 2022.

Selected finalists' work should be delivered to NERAM by Friday 17 June 2022:
UNESAP Entry
NERAM
PO Box 508
ARMIDALE, NSW 2350

Let's Hang It! Exhibition Dates

29 July – 14 August 2022
New England Regional Art Museum
Kentucky Street, Armidale

All finalists, their families and friends, teachers and other school representatives are invited to attend the announcement of prizes and the exhibition opening night at the New England Regional Art

Museum (NERAM) in Kentucky Street, ARMIDALE at 6pm Friday 29 July 2022.

All Enquiries to:

NERAM
Phone: (02) 6772 5255
Email: exhibitions@neram.com.au
(Address all emails with subject line "UNESAP 2022")

1. The UNESAP awards are open to all students attending school in following regional catchment areas of NSW:
New England,
Hunter/Central Coast, and
North Coast.
2. Please consult the map provided on the NERAM website to ensure you are within the eligible areas for entries, as stated above.
3. Students from government and non-government schools as well as home school groups are eligible to enter.
4. Students can only enter one artwork into the appropriate division/age category. The teacher/art teacher should be involved with the final selection of student work.
5. A school staff member will need to countersign the entry form to certify it is entered into the correct age group.
6. The number of entries from each school will not be limited; however, teachers should not send multiples (more than 2) of the same class art task if they look very similar.
7. Each artwork must be a recent unaided, original

work created by the student artist.

8. The artwork should be 2 dimensional and could be in the form of: digital art, photography, mixed media, assemblage or collage, painting (acrylic, oils, or watercolour), graphic work, 2D relief sculpture, jewellery or textile work.
9. The UNESAP committee has decided not to limit the subject matter or theme of the artworks.
10. The maximum size of artwork should be 60 x 80 cm.
11. Artworks will NOT be accepted if they are mounted or framed. Canvases are the exception to this rule as they are mounted on a wooden frame.
12. Artworks must be sent flat and work must NOT BE FOLDED.
13. After the exhibition closes all finalists' work will be posted back to participating schools. Local school representatives may arrange to collect works from NERAM. The four winning works will remain at the University of New England as part of the UNE Art Collection.

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