



Youth Activities

Department of New Mexico

Promotional #2
September 1, 2023

Hello New Mexico,

One program for Youth Activities is Illustrating America, it is for students grades First through Eighth. It is broken down by 3 grade division 1st-2nd, 3rd-5th, and 6th-8th. Guidelines are:

- Two dimensional
- On canvas or paper
- Use watercolor, pencil, pastel, charcoal, tempera, crayon, acrylic, pen, ink, oil, or marker
- Don't frame it
- Canvas entries on stretcher frame or canvas board
- Other entries matted on white
- Mounted and floating mats may be used
- No smaller than 8"x10" but no larger than 18"x24", not including mat
- No coloring sheets, digital art or photography is allowed

Must be turned into local auxiliary by March 31.

Let's get these kiddos back into the school mode and get them learning about our American History.

Awards are the same for each grade division:

First Place: \$100 Gift Card

Second Place: \$50 Gift Card

Third Place: \$25 Gift Card

<https://vfwauxiliary.org/wp-content/uploads/Illustrating-America-2023.pdf>

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