RECEIVE>RESPOND Information Sheet 2023



What is RECEIVE > RESPOND?

An opportunity for students in years 10 to 12 and Young Creatives (aged 17-25) in Cairns and region to share their passion for art and collaborate in an exhibition at the **Courthouse Gallery, Abbot Street, Cairns**. This is made possible by Cairns Regional Council and funding from the Regional Arts development Fund, Northsite Gallery and the Peninsula Art Educators Association.

How it works:

- 1. CHOOSE an existing artwork you created in the last two years. Artwork can be 2D (max 1x1Metre), 3D (no max size), photographic or media-based. This work will be displayed in the final exhibition and will be the work that another student or Young Creative is assigned to respond to!
- 2. Submit your application ONLINE Applications open 22 February 2023 and close 27 March 2023 before Include one clear jpg of your work, labelled with your name.

 https://janeyadminassist.snapforms.com.au/form/receive-respond-2023-part-1---initial-application
- **3.** Applicants are advised if they are successful or not on Wednesday 19 April 2023 (Term 2 week 1) Successful applicants will be sent the work of another participant that you can "respond" to.
- **4. Successful applications have 4 weeks to create a NEW RESPONSE ARTWORK -** making reference to the work you were assigned to respond to. You may choose to work in any medium.
- 5. Upload your NEW RESPONSE ARTWORK and your ARTIST STATEMENT by Wednesday 17 May 2023 (Term2 week 5). Link for uploading will be emailed nearer the time. Include one clear jpg photo of your work, labelled with your name.
- 6. Deliver your TWO artworks (all pieces labelled with your name) to Courthouse Gallery on Monday 22 May between 7am and 5pm (Term 2 week 6)
- **7.** Attend the EXHIBITION OPENING on Friday 26 May 2023 @ 6pm. The exhibition will be open to the public until 18 June 2022. Encourage your friends and family to visit the exhibition.
- 8. Collect your artworks at the end of the exhibition on Monday 19 June (Term 2 week 10)









RECEIVE > RESPOND Timeline Summary - 2023



DATE - 2023	ACTION
APPLY FROM 22 FEB	Select an artwork you produced in the last two years and submit on-line application https://janeyadminassist.snapforms.com.au/form/receive-respond-2023-part-1initial-application
MON 27 MARCH (T1 W10)	Applications CLOSE
WED 19 APRIL (T2 W1)	Successful and Non-successful Applicants are advised by email
WED 17 MAY (T2 W5)	Upload your artist statement and an image of your NEW work
MON 22 MAY (T2 W6) (7am to 5pm)	Deliver your 2 artworks to The Courthouse Gallery, Abbott Street, Cairns. This means your NEW response work and the ORIGINAL artwork you submitted.
FRIDAY 26 MAY (T2 W7) 6pm	Exhibition Opening Event of RECEIVE > RESPOND . Invite your family and friends to attend!! Exhibition runs until Thursday 18 June.
MON 19 JUNE (T2 W10)	Collect your original artwork and response artwork and take them home.

FAQ (Frequently Asked Questions)

How many of my works will be on display in the exhibition?

Each artist will have 2 works on exhibition. The original work the artist submitted, and then the new work that they produce in response to another artist's work. We had 32 artists last year which meant a total of 64 artworks on exhibition!!

Is it OK for me to submit an old work for my initial submission piece?

YES! We know you are busy so actually we want you to choose an existing work that you have done some time in the last two years. (2D max 1x1metre / 3D no max size)

Do I have to use the same materials as the artist whose work I am responding to?

Simple answer is "NO!"..... let your imagination run wild! If photography is a media you feel very confident with, then respond to the painting or sculpture you are given by taking a photograph! If you are a film-maker, then feel free to produce a short film or animation in response to the drawing or photo you are given. Just remember that 2D works are limited to max 1x1metre in size.

ANY OTHER QUESTIONS?

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The Regional Arts Development Fund is a partnership between the Queensland Government and Cairns Regional Council to support local arts and culture in regional Queensland.