

## ISA LONDON NORTH AREA ART COMPETITION INFORMATION

Please note, this is not an online competition, schools must bring each artwork to the event. It is the schools' responsibility to organise delivery as well as collection of their artwork for the regionals events as well as the finals therefore, it's important to consider the size and weight of the artwork submitted in the competition.

**Online deadline for entries:** Friday 19 September 2025.

**Date of event:** Thursday 2 October 2025.

**Venue:** The Marriott Hotel, Waltham Abbey, EN9 3LX

### **Delivery instructions:**

Artwork submitted online will need to be brought to The Marriott Hotel, Waltham Abbey, EN9 3LX on Thursday 2 October between **8.30am and 9.30am** either in-person or via courier.

**Work delivered via courier to The Marriott Hotel must arrive the day before the event (Wednesday 1 October.)**

Schools must give details of all the pieces sent via courier, please email Emma Mistry – [emistry@ahsprep.co.uk](mailto:emistry@ahsprep.co.uk) regarding this.

Please note teachers attending for the day need to book. [Click here to book on to the London North Art Competition event.](#)

You need to complete a paper and digital entry form and online for each piece you have entered online. These can be found in the handbook on the ISA website and attached to the back of artworks. This is so we know which category to put it in, and so we know which winner to announce.

Details of how to complete this form are in the handbook.

Categories are also in the handbook.

Each piece of work that can be hung needs to have Velcro on the back. A piece in each corner is good.

Please do not hang your own work when you arrive. Just put in the pile for the correct category. (Easy!) All work will be checked it is in the correct place and then hung for you.

No art work made up of multiple canvas' to be submitted as they are difficult to be displayed and pieced together at the National final.

Once you have dropped off the work, please leave the gallery and help yourself to coffee etc, read the programme of events and sign up to the Instagram account to see the winners.

## **Collection:**

Work needs to be collected from 2.30pm on Thursday 2 October 2025.

Collection of pieces sent via courier will need to be organised by schools.

Any work left after 3.30pm will need collecting from Avon House School at a later date, this applies to courier and in-person collections.

## **Timetable of day:**

**9.30am** – judging to commence – winners to be announced via the Instagram account and then later via email.

Judges: Hilary Douse and Darren Evans

**9.30am– 11.30am** – Photography Workshop for all Art Teachers. (Break half way)

Details: Getting the best from digital photography in art lessons. Delivered by Imago photography, ISA preferred school photography company.

**11.30 – 12.00** – Art teachers can visit the exhibition (unless the workshop overruns)

**12.00-13.00pm** – to book lunch <https://forms.gle/45qsh2P3Knk9oTZ26>

**13.00pm** – talk from judges to art teachers and heads. Results will have been announced via WhatsApp group as they happen. Results will be typed up and sent out to schools via email by the end of the following week.

1<sup>st</sup> placed entries will need to submit a high-quality photograph of their artwork to ISA Arts [isaarts@isaschools.org.uk](mailto:isaarts@isaschools.org.uk), which will be used in the online gallery and printed brochure.

Winners will still need to deliver the actual artwork to the final.