



Sharjah Exhibition  
for Children's Book  
Illustrations 2017

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# Sharjah Exhibition for Children's Book Illustrations 6th Edition 2017

## General Regulations

### Introduction to Participation Conditions

The Sharjah Children's Reading Festival organizes an annual art exhibition of professional illustrations of children's stories.

-The Exhibition shall display professional illustrations designed for children of all age groups.

- Participating submissions should be originals that belong to a single book with no more than 6 and no less than 3 submissions.

-Each artwork should not exceed 40 cm in length.

-The artist is free to choose colours, style, techniques and theme of the artwork.

-Participating works should be submitted in jpg. extensions by email.The original works (without any frames) should be addressed to the Exhibition's administration at the below mentioned postal adress.

-The artist should enclose a 50-word biography and a brief description of his/her qualifications, previous participations and awards.

- Participating works shall be evaluated by a selection committee consisting of an international jury.

- The organizing committee shall have the right to publish the participating works in the exhibition publication and media coverage in the best way that serves the exhibition and the artist.

-Decisions of the jury are final and shall not be appealed.

-Participation in the exhibition does not necessarily mean the artist will take part in the exhibition in person.

-The exhibition's administration shall cover only indoor insurance costs for the participating works and shall bear the reshipment costs of the works it has received.

- Participants are required to state whether their works have been published before. If so,participants need to send full publishing details (book title, details and address of the publisher and publishing year).

-Only children's book illustrations will be accepted.

### Requirements

Documents to provide:

- Copy of passport valid for 6 months

- Recent passport-size photos with a white background of the participating artist.

- A 50-word artist biography formatted in Microsoft Word.

-An information sheet and high resolution picture of each participating work.

-A 100-word summary of the book the illustrations are from.

### Awards

Monetary prizes shall be awarded to three winners with the best selected works as determined by an international jury, as follows:

-Level 1: • 1st: USD **8000**  
• 2nd: USD **6000**  
• 3rd: USD **4000**

-Level 2: USD **1000** each for three winners

-Level 3: Certificate of recognition for outstanding work

### Deadline

The deadline for submitting participation forms and ID documents through email is **January 15, 2017.**

The deadline for submitting participating works through P.O.BOX is **February 1, 2017.**

The Exhibition shall take place in **April , 2017.**





**Address:**

Works and accompanying documents shall be sent to:  
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Administration of Sharjah Book Authority  
Government of Sharjah, UAE

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