



Studio Art Showcase 2027

January 15 - February 27, 2027

Open Call Art Exhibition Guidelines

The ACWL-Nuveen invites artists of ALL ages who have attended or taught one or more of our studio classes to submit artwork created in their classes for a community exhibition. This exhibit will be a celebration of both our students and teachers, giving the public a closer look into the variety of instructional classes we offer and the outstanding creative results! And as incentive to encourage more creativity, all the artists in the exhibit will be included in a drawing to win a \$25 dollar credit toward their next class!

Eligibility:

Open to artists of ALL ages - **FREE**. Only original works of art created during an ACWL-Nuveen class or open studio between 2025 and 2026. All mediums accepted. It is ok if the artwork was started in class and finished at home.

Teachers – we would exhibit any work that you feel represents you as an artist – it does not have to be from the class you taught.

Entry Procedure:

Each artist may enter one or two pieces. Please include a brief (3-5 sentence) description of your experience creating the piece/taking the class. **Entries must be delivered to the ACWL-Nuveen, 106 E. Colby St. Whitehall, MI 49461 by 2:30pm Saturday, January 9.** All forms must be completed in their entirety to ensure correct identification, pricing, and notification.

Framing and Labeling:

All the artworks submitted must be ready for display. It would be appreciated if 2D artwork is framed but if you want to display a sketch, we will pin it or clip it unframed. **Framed artwork must have a wire for us to hang it on the wall – please no sawtooth hangers.** Make sure sculptural pieces are steady and secure for the duration of the exhibition. Affix entry labels firmly to the back of the entries, in the upper right corner. If you need assistance preparing your work for display, please contact ACWL-Nuveen staff. Unsuitably prepared work for the exhibition may be declined.

Conditions & Liability:

Artwork must be on display for the duration of the exhibit. Your work does not have to be for sale but if you want to sell it there will be a 15% commission charged with proceeds going to support the ACWL-Nuveen. If work is sold, you will have to complete a W-9 tax form. The ACWL-Nuveen will take every precaution to ensure the protection of artwork. However, we are not responsible for any loss or damage.

Drop off entries: Between Saturday, January 2 and Saturday, January 9 during ACWL-Nuveen hours: Tuesday – Friday: 11:00 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. - Saturday: 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Exhibit Dates: Friday, January 15 – February 27, 2027

Reception: Saturday, January 23, 1:00 – 3:00pm

Pick-up Work: Saturday, February 27, 2:00 – 3:00pm, March 2 – 6 during ACWL-Nuveen hours

Questions? Call ACWL-Nuveen at (231) 893-2524 or email nuveen@artswritelake.org

ENTRY LABEL #1 Affix to back of art in upper right corner	ENTRY LABEL #2 Affix to back of art in upper right corner
Name _____	Name _____
Title _____	Title _____
Medium _____ Price _____	Medium _____ Price _____

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Entry Form

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ ZIP: _____

Email: _____ Phone: (_____) _____

Artwork Information:

	Title	Medium	Price
1.			
2.			

Description of your experience:
