

# HYPNOTIC

Annual High School Art Exhibit

A juried art competition for high school students  
in Community College District 515

**2019 Exhibition Dates**  
**March 11 - April 3, 2019**

**Awards Ceremony and Reception**  
**Thursday, March 21 | 5-7 p.m.**



mixed media

photography

graphic design

computer art

sculpture

drawing

painting



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### **Christopher Art Gallery Director**

Beth Shadur

### **Curator**

Rebecca L. Slagle

### **Prairie State College President**

Terri L. Winfree, Ph.D.

### **Gallery Hours**

Monday through Thursday

9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Wednesday and Thursday Evenings

5 - 7 p.m.

and by appointment

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## About the Exhibit

The faculty in the department of Fine and Applied Arts extends their congratulations to the 37 artists selected to exhibit their work in this year's annual competition for high school students.

Students who attend high schools within the Prairie State College district were invited to submit entries in various media, including drawing, painting, photography, graphic design, computer art, mixed media, electronic media, and sculpture. There were 103 entries received, and the works selected to be part of this annual juried exhibit represent the collective talents of students from Beecher, Bloom, Bloom Trail, Homewood-Flossmoor, and Marian Catholic High Schools.

From these works, one was selected as Best in Show, seven were selected as "Best of Category," in drawing, painting, photography, graphic design, mixed media, electronic media and sculpture. Best of Category award winners receive a free class at Prairie State College. We applaud those who received these special honors, and all students whose work is part of this exhibition. These students represent an outstanding example of the talent being developed in the high schools in this district, and we are proud to showcase these artistic endeavors.

## Best of Category

### Best in Show

**Lauryn Castagna**  
*Stop, Drop, and Roll*  
Homewood-Flossmoor High School

### Best Computer Art

**Jack Hoac**  
*Voiceless*  
Marian Catholic High School

### Best Drawing

**Kassandra Aguirre**  
*The Tragedy Twins*  
Bloom Trail High School

### Best Graphic Design

**Yanah Collins**  
*Astro's Gelato*  
Homewood-Flossmoor High School

### Best Mixed Media

**Jalen Buford**  
*Drowned*  
Bloom High School

### Best Painting

**Katie Zalewski**  
*Read Between the Lines*  
Homewood-Flossmoor High School

### Best Photography

**Caitlyn Nardi**  
*Midsummers Nigh Dream*  
Bloom Trail High School

### Best Sculpture

**Megan Trybula**  
*Aquamarine Coil*  
Beecher High School

## Exhibition List

1. **Sara Vanderpuye**  
*Colors, 2018*  
acrylic on canvas  
Marian Catholic High School NFS
2. **Jronn Williams**  
*Envision, 2018*  
graphic design  
Homewood-Flossmoor High School NFS
3. **Jalen Buford**  
*Drowned, 2018*  
watercolor, ballpoint pen  
Bloom High School \$45  
**Best Mixed Media**
4. **Kassandra Aguirre**  
*The Tragedy Twins, 2018*  
pen  
Bloom Trail High School NFS  
**Best Drawing**
5. **Caitlyn Nardi**  
*Midsummers Night Dream, 2018*  
digital  
Bloom Trail High School \$55  
**Best Photography**
6. **Chandler Claus**  
*Through the Eyes of Others, 2018*  
clay  
Beecher High School POR

7. <b>Jack Hoac</b> <i>Voiceless</i> , 2018 digital Marian Catholic High School <b>Best Computer Art</b>	POR	13. <b>Nyela Cowan</b> <i>Colored Pencil Bird</i> , 2017 colored pencil on paper Homewood-Flossmoor High School	POR
8. <b>Alix Lowry</b> <i>Macrophage</i> , 2018 mixed media Homewood-Flossmoor High School	NFS	14. <b>Katie Zalewski</b> <i>Read Between the Lines</i> , 2017 oil paint Homewood-Flossmoor High School <b>Best Painting</b>	NFS
9. <b>Katherine Garnica Mayana</b> <i>Zoltar</i> , 2018 digital photography Bloom High School	\$25	15. <b>Rachael Christine Rusek</b> <i>Kirigami</i> , 2017 paper Homewood-Flossmoor High School	NFS
10. <b>Darrius Williams</b> <i>Bubble Gum</i> , 2018 graphic design Bloom Trail High School	POR	16. <b>Jeremiah Shipp</b> <i>RSVP</i> , 2018 graphic design Homewood-Flossmoor High School	NFS
11. <b>Christian Drechney</b> <i>Identity Crisis</i> , 2018 Bloom High School	\$150	17. <b>Jayla Watkins</b> <i>Trinity</i> , 2018 digital photography Homewood-Flossmoor High School	\$50
12. <b>Yanah Collins</b> <i>Astro's Gelato</i> , 2018 graphic design Homewood-Flossmoor High School <b>Best Graphic Design</b>	\$50	18. <b>Natalia Ojeda</b> <i>Daydream</i> , 2018 photography Homewood-Flossmoor High School	NFS

19.	<b>Lauryn Castagna</b> <i>Stop, Drop and Roll</i> , 2018 paper Homewood-Flossmoor High School	\$300	
	<b>Best of Show</b>		
20.	<b>Bailey Stevenson</b> <i>Self-Portrait</i> , 2017 watercolor Bloom Trail High School		POR
21.	<b>Shaqira Smith</b> <i>A Sunset Within</i> , 2017 prismacolor Bloom Trail High School		NFS
22.	<b>Heavenly Johnson</b> <i>New Moonlight</i> , 2017 color pencil Bloom High School		NFS
23.	<b>Maddie Vargo</b> <i>Strength</i> , 2018 digital photography Homewood-Flossmoor High School	\$50	
24.	<b>MaryKate Lynch</b> <i>Another Day</i> , 2018 painting Marian Catholic High School		NFS
25.	<b>Dominique Epps</b> <i>Family</i> , 2017 colored pencil Bloom Trail High School		NFS
26.	<b>Lauren Cleary</b> <i>All Eyez on Me</i> , 2018 colored pencil Marian Catholic High School		\$100
27.	<b>Daniela Sosa</b> <i>Cupid's Victim</i> , 2018 special effects make-up and photography Marian Catholic High School		\$100
28.	<b>Brianna Noel Harris</b> <i>Silenced</i> , 2018 drawing, marker Homewood-Flossmoor High School		POR
29.	<b>Anna Gsell</b> <i>The Bridge</i> , 2017 watercolor on board Homewood-Flossmoor High School		NFS
30.	<b>Victoria Craig</b> <i>Moment of Silence</i> , 2018 digital photography Homewood-Flossmoor High School		\$50
31.	<b>Tori Cialdella</b> <i>Remake of Paris Street: Rainy Day</i> , 2018 acrylic Beecher High School		NFS





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