



# KEIKI ART CONTEST

## Description and Guidelines

Each year, Hawaii REALTORS® commemorates the Fair Housing Act, a law that prohibits discrimination in housing based on race, color, religion, ancestry/national origin, sex, familial status, physical or mental disability, marital status, age, or orientation and gender identity. This law ensures that everyone has equal access to housing and protects homebuyers from discrimination as they get a mortgage, rent a home, buy a home, seek housing assistance, or participate in other housing-related activities.

Our Keiki Art Contest helps children learn about fair housing rights and its importance in Hawai'i's communities. We invite our keiki to submit an original piece of artwork in line with this year's theme: **"Building Aloha: Spreading Fair Housing Across Hawai'i."**

Hawai'i REALTORS®, the statewide association of REALTORS®, is comprised of nearly 11,000 members involved in the sale, purchase, management or exchange of real estate in Hawai'i. REALTOR® members uphold a strict Code of Ethics including fair housing ideals, making sure that the law is followed and to prevent discrimination in housing.

### CATEGORIES

- Grades K-4
- Grades 5-8

### ELIGIBILITY

- Any student from grades K-8, enrolled in a public, charter, home or private school in Hawaii.
- One entry per student. Work created by two or more students will not be accepted.
- Art schools are not eligible.

### FORMAT

- Submitted artwork must be original and on paper, not to exceed 8.5" x 11" in size.
- Acceptable media: paint, pencil, markers, ink, crayon, and watercolor
- No frames. Students should work to the edge of the paper.
- Do not mat or frame the artwork.
- Do not fold artwork.
- Do not submit multiple entries — i.e., one entry per student.
- Student's name must be on back of artwork.

### ENTRY FORM

Complete and sign entry form. Submit entry form and artwork online at [hawaii Realtors.com/keikiartcontest](https://hawaii Realtors.com/keikiartcontest) or mail entry form and artwork to the following address:

Hawaii REALTORS  
ATTN: Jenny Nakagawa  
1259 Aala Street, Suite 300  
Honolulu, HI 96817

*If possible, we recommend mailing your artwork (the winners' original artwork is needed to make calendars). If you submit online, please keep your artwork stored in a safe place until we announce the winners.*

### ENTRY DEADLINE

Artwork must be received by **October 31, 2023** to be considered. Winners will be announced by the end of November 2023. **ARTWORK WILL NOT BE RETURNED** and may be used for future promotions.

### PRIZES

First place winners in each category will receive \$250, and their artwork will be featured in a printed 2024 calendar. Second place winners in each category will receive \$150. Third place winners in each category will receive \$75. Honorable Mentions will also be selected.

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