

## Policy for Art Exhibits in the Georgetown Public Library

The goals of the library's exhibit program are to promote local artists and/or art groups, to provide cultural and artistic enrichment for the library's visitors, and to serve as a center for arts and culture in Georgetown. Exhibits are usually about 4-6 weeks long, and exhibited works are by local artists who work in a wide range of media and styles.

Some months of the year are reserved for specific exhibits (including the GISD Student Art Show, the City of Georgetown Employee Art Show, the Georgetown Art Center's Art Hop, and the Texas Society of Sculptors' Summer Exhibit). The remaining months are scheduled for solo or group exhibits.

During each year's open call (March 1 through May 15), artists and organizations may submit proposals and representations of their work for consideration by the Library Art Committee.

Upon acceptance of an exhibit proposal by the Library Art Committee, the artist(s) will be notified and exhibit scheduled by the Adult Services Librarian. Once scheduled, the Adult Services Librarian relies on the artist or organizer to organize and install the exhibit and to remove it on the dates agreed, and to follow the Guidelines for Artists Exhibiting in the Georgetown Public Library.

Residence in Georgetown or Williamson County is not required, but may be a factor in the selection process. Additionally, preference will be given to artists and groups who have not exhibited at the Library within the past two years.

Thank you for your interest in exhibiting your work at Georgetown Public Library. If you have any questions, contact Ann Evans, Adult Services Librarian, at <a href="mailto:ann.evans@georgetown.org">ann.evans@georgetown.org</a> or 512-930-6614.

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