

2017 YOLANDE FRANK ART AWARDS

STUDENTS IN YEARS 4 TO 6 AND YEARS 7 TO 9 ARE INVITED TO USE ANY VISUAL ART MEDIA TO CONVEY HUMAN RIGHTS:

YEARS 4 TO 6:

United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child Article 16 – **children have a right to privacy. The law should protect them from attacks on their way of life, their good name, family and home.**

YEARS 7 TO 9:

Universal Declaration of Human Rights Article 15 – **humans have the right to belong to a country.**



2016 Winner Tea Heathcote-Marks, Karrinyup Primary School
Article 31 UN Convention on Rights of the Child Children have the right to relax, play and to join in a wide range of leisure activities.



2016 Highly Commended Olivia Cohen, Carmel School
Article 15 Universal Declaration of Human Rights humans have the right to belong to a country.

> HOW TO ENTER

- > Schools select leading entries (to a maximum of four) for electronic submission with Principal's Declaration.
- > Entries must be submitted to the UNAOWA office no later than 5pm Friday 25 August 2017.
- > Entries will be judged according to their originality and effectiveness in conveying the importance of the selected human right. The decision will be final and no correspondence will be entered into.
- > **PRIZES** for Years 4 to 6 and for Years 7 to 9: Individual – Winner \$150 each for the school and the student, Highly Commended \$50 each for the school and the student.
- > Further information is available through the UNAOWA website: <http://www.unaa.org.au/divisions/western-australia/wa-programs-for-schools/wa-yolande-frank-art-award/>

HUMAN RIGHTS EDUCATION

- > Teaching for human rights contributes to building student self-esteem and confidence – the foundation of protective behaviours instruction, which is now mandatory in all WA schools.
- > Teaching about human rights is part of the new Civics and Citizenship syllabus.

Each year since 2010, UNAOWA has conducted the Yolande Frank Art Awards in memory of long-time member Yolande Frank who died in 2009. A survivor of the Holocaust, Yolande Frank had a passion to ensure that children understood the Universal Declaration of Human Rights. Since 2015, the Awards have also been based on the related document, the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child, ratified by Australia in 1990.



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