Aurora Cultural Centre

Mayor's Celebration of Youth Arts 2027
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Dear Grade 12 Students,

You are invited to participate in #MCOYA27! This exhibition is a chance for you to show your work alongside your peers and meet other emerging artists in the community. Please refer to this package of information to submit your work and participate in the installation of the show!

#MCOYA27 Student Timeline

Friday, January 15, 2027	**#MCOYA27 Submission Form Deadline** AuroraCulturalCentre.ca/Open-Calls/
Tuesday, February 2, 2027 **Artwork Drop-off:** 12-12:30 PM **Installation Party:** 12:30 – 5 PM **Location:** Homeroom Galleries (Level 1), Aurora Cultural Centre	**Artwork Drop-Off & Final Installation Party Day** Drop off your artwork for #MCOYA27 and stay for a pizza lunch and the installation party, a yearly MCOYA tradition! Volunteer hours provided. *** **Art must be dropped off by 12:30 PM latest. Absent students will not get the chance to review the placement of their artwork and make any final changes** ***
February 12 – April 3, 2027	**#MCOYA27 Exhibition Open to Public** #MCOYA27 will be on view open to public to visit according to Gallery Hours: AuroraCulturalCentre.ca/Gallery-Visiting-Information/
Friday, February 12, 2027 **Time:** 6:30 – 8:30 PM	**Opening Gala:** A formal night to celebrate exhibition with peers and other high-school artists! Light refreshments provided, and all are welcome. Opening remarks at 7 pm.
Monday, February 15, 2027 **Time:** 10 AM – 3 PM	**Family Day** The Aurora Cultural Centre is a part of Family Day programming at Town Square, a day of fun activities and opportunity to connect with the community.
Wednesday, April 7, 2027 Time: 11:00 AM – 6:00 PM	**Artwork Pick-Up Day 1** First of two Artwork Pick Up dates. Offering extended hours until 6PM. If students miss this date, they may pick up their work on Artwork Pick-Up Day 2.
Saturday, April 10, 2027 Time: 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM	**Artwork Pick-Up Day 2** Artwork not picked up by 1:00 pm will be discarded unless otherwise arranged with Adora via email.

Location: Aurora Museum and Cultural Centre, Aurora Town Square, 50 Victoria Street