

Please send your entries to the following address:

46th International Children's Exhibition of Fine Arts
Lidice 2018
The Lidice Memorial, Lidice Gallery
Tokajická 152
273 54 Lidice
Czech Republic

Closing date for the 46th edition:
28 February 2018

Postmark date on the consignment **must not be later** than
28 February 2018.

ATTENTION: Entries must be delivered physically to Lidice by **15 March 2018**. Please, make sure that your postal service is able to deliver the consignment by that date. Please indicate the value of package as **10 Euros**. (Warning: a package with lower (e.g. 0 €) or higher value may be stopped at customs and a tax added, which cannot be paid by the organizer.

You can check registration of received entries from February 2018 at: <http://www.mdvv-lidice.cz/en/registered>.



Julie Hantáková, 10 years,
Art School Prague 8,
U Prosecké školy, Czech Republic

Prizes

- Prize of the Panel of Judges for a foreign school
- Prize of the Panel of Judges for a school in the CR
- "Rose of Lidice" Medal – for an individual
- Medal for children's team work
- Medal for a school for their collection of entries
- Honourable mentions



Dear children, dear teachers,

Please accept our invitation to participate in the 46th International Children's Exhibition of Fine Arts Lidice 2018. The exhibition was established in 1967 to commemorate the child victims from the Czech village of Lidice, murdered by German Nazis in 1942, as well as other children who had died in wars. This exhibition has earned a reputation of being one of the largest and oldest events in children's art production and has become well known among children and teachers not only in the Czech Republic but literally all over the world.

We have received more than 25,000 entries from more than 80 countries from all over the world in recent years.

Hope you will find an inspiration in this year's theme, we are looking forward to your entries.

Mgr. Ivona Kasalická,
Curator of ICEFA Lidice

Invitation for Children
to Participate
in the 46th International
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Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Czech Republic
Ministry of Education, Youth, and Sports
of the Czech Republic
Czech Commission for UNESCO
Czech Centres

Theme

The decade 2018-2028 has been declared the International Decade of Water for Sustainable Development by the United Nations. Therefore the 46th edition of the competition will be dedicated to the theme of

WATER (above gold)

- Water - there is no life without it
- Water as an element and its different forms
- Water in nature, in the town and at home
- Water and life in it
- Water transportation and industry
- Water – healing and entertaining
- Water and people around
- Water in fairy-tales and mythology

Art techniques

- Drawing, painting
- Printmaking
- Mixed media
- Photography
- Film/animation
- Art objects (ceramics, metal, wood, glass, textile, paper)

Photographs documenting art events or projects as well as series of entries that need to be installed together **are ineligible** for the exhibition.

Eligibility conditions


- The exhibition is open only to children at age of **4 to 16**, though handicapped participants can enter the exhibition regardless of age (please include "handicap" and the age of the participant).
- The maximum format for a 2D entry is **70 × 50 cm**.
- The maximum format for a 3D entry is **120 × 120 cm, max. weight 10 kg**.
- A maximum of two entries of the same technique (painting, drawing, printing, mixed media, photography, film/animation, 3D objects) by one artist is acceptable; however, one artist can send in entries of different techniques.
- Only photos on good-quality paper are acceptable.
- Films - short films and animations up to 3 minutes in length. For further specifications (eligibility criteria, the process of making films) and for online Registration Form please visit www.mdvv-lidice.cz/en/invitation/.
- The entries employing colours that can be dusty or wiped off **must be fixed** (pastel etc.).
- Only original copies are acceptable. Copies, Xerox copies or electronic copies will not be eligible for assessment.
- Only such entries will be eligible for assessment that stick to the theme set for the edition. Larger entries, entries in passe-partout, mounted on colour or other papers and entries lacking a proper label will be excluded.
- The maximum weight of a consignment containing competing works must not exceed **10 kilograms**.

We ask teachers to make a pre-selection of entries to be sent in to the exhibition in order to create as good a school collection as possible.

The organizer reserves the right to use the received entries for other non-commercial exhibitions and charitable events and to reproduce them in print. The entries will not be given back.

Please note, that organizer does not provide certificates of participation or invitations for individuals or SCHOOLS.

Forms for schools or individuals - Application forms, work identification labels and Registration forms for Films can be downloaded from www.mdvv-lidice.cz/en/invitation/.

46 th INTERNATIONAL CHILDREN'S EXHIBITION OF FINE ARTS LIDICE 2018		Work identification label		AGE	TECHNIQUE	TOWN	COUNTRY	SCHOOL WEB SCHOOL PHONE	TEACHERS'S E-MAIL
	NAME	<input type="checkbox"/> BOY	<input type="checkbox"/> GIRL						
	SURNAME								
	TITLE OF ENTRY								
	SCHOOL NAME								
	SCHOOL ADDRESS								
	REGION								
	POST/ ZIP CODE								
	SCHOOL E-MAIL								
	TEACHER								

Application form and labelling the entries

Please, fill in the label LEGIBLY, IN BLOCK ROMAN LETTERS (preferably on a PC). Works with illegible or incomplete labels will be excluded from the competition.

1. Application for the competition

To register your participation, fill in, please, the APPLICATION Form – (to be downloaded from <http://www.mdvv-lidice.cz/en/invitation/>). Enclose the filled in Application Form and the list of the participants' names with the artworks and additionally, send it attached as a DOC-file to: kasalicka@lidice-memorial.cz by 28 February 2018. The subject of the e-mail and the name of the document should include: 46th ICEFA Lidice 2018 + name of your school, town and country (e.g. Application for the 46th ICEFA Lidice 2018 – Art School, Trakai, Lithuania / in case of an individual participant: Application for the 46th ICEFA Lidice 2018 – John Smith, London, Great Britain).

2. Labelling of artworks

To label competing artworks, please, use the attached WORK IDENTIFICATION Label (available for download on the website above). Each work must have the following information on the back side (works of ceramics and the like art objects should bear the label directly on them):

- **Name and surname of the child** (give them in the following order: 1 name, 2 surname)
- **Age, year of birth, and child's sex**
- **Name and full address of the school or organization** responsible for sending the work (name of the school, street, postcode, city, country). Information on awards will be sent to this address later.
- **E-mail address** of the organization to be used for communication on the exhibition – please, indicate the website of the school, the current e-mail address of the school or organization and an e-mail address of the art teacher(s) responsible for sending in the works so that they could be informed on the competition.
- If a child participates as an **individual**, indicate his/her name, age, sex and home address, including an e-mail for communication (e.g. of parents).

3. Registering/labelling films

For registering films fill out REGISTRATION FORM for films (available for download on the website above) and send it to: kasalicka@lidice-memorial.cz. Please highlight REGISTRATION FILMS in subject + 46. ICEFA Lidice 2017, name of the school or individual name. Registering the film for the competition is possible **only** by e-mail.

Time schedule of the exhibition:

28 February 2018

Closing date of the 46th edition

22–24 March 2018

1st round session of the expert panel of judges

29 –31 April 2018

2nd round session of the expert panel of judges

10 May 2018

Results of the exhibition published at www.mdvv-lidice.cz/en

1 June 2018

Ceremonial opening of the exhibition and prize awards to the Czech laureates and selected foreign ones

1 June – 30 November 2018

Exhibition of the awarded entries at the Lidice Gallery

June 2018

Distribution of prizes, catalogues and invitations to participate in the next edition to the winning schools and children in the Czech and Slovak Republic, and of letters of thanks to the non-winning schools in the Czech and Slovak Republic

Sep–Dec 2018

Prizes, catalogues and invitations to participate in the next edition for **foreign child winners** are dispatched to Czech embassies, which ensure the prizes being handed over (by person or by post)

After the main exhibition is finished, smaller exhibitions will be created from the exhibits to tour other venues in the Czech Republic and abroad.