**2023-2024 Official Entry Form—MLK, Jr. Art & Writing Contest**

**INDIVIDUAL ENTRY FORM**

All entries are due on or before ***5:30 pm, December 15, 2023***. No late entries can be accepted.

Please fill out THIS form legibly and completely.

Entry form ***must*** be signed and attached to the entry to be a valid entry.

**THEME**: "The Time is Always Ripe to Do Right." – Rev. Dr. M.L. King, Jr.

**Entry Submission Instructions:**

Submit your entry by dropping off your art or writing at the Manhattan Arts Center at 1520 Poyntz (big red awning).

Submit (**attach**) your completed entry form WITH your art work or writing sample.

Entries without completed entry forms are disqualified.

Submit digital entries to education@manhattanarts.org.

If you are unable to print out an entry form, you can request a copy at education@manhattanarts.org.

**Category (Circle or Highlight One):**

1. Art (Visual/2D/3D) *Please include a title or a brief description of your artwork*.
2. Writing (Poetry/Essay)

**Grade (Circle or Highlight One):** K-2 3-5 6-8 9-12 Post-High School

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **Phone Number** (\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Address** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**City/State**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**County**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **Zip Code**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**School (if applicable)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ T**eacher**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Teacher’s Email**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **Teacher’s Phone #**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

I acknowledge that the attached writing or artwork is a digital copy of my original work and I understand that I will be given credit for it. I agree that my work and name can be published (newspaper, Internet, or other) and/or displayed publicly in conjunction with related local and/or statewide celebrations. I promise that such publication or display will not violate the law or the rights of any third party. I release the Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Memorial Committee and the City of Manhattan from any liability resulting from loss, damage, or theft concerning the attached writing or art, regardless of the cause.

**Entrant Signature**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian Signature (if entrant under 18)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Email of Entrant and/or Guardian**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian Phone #**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_