



Dear Parent / Carer,

Simonstone School Art Exhibition – Friday 2nd March 2018: 3pm to 6pm

Over recent months, we have been looking for a new and different event which would involve the whole school community and would raise additional funds for the redevelopment of the conservation area.

We hope you like the end result, our very own **Simonstone Art Exhibition**. In association with “My Masterpiece”, the event will showcase our children’s personal artwork and will take place on **Friday 2nd March** in the school hall and will be open from 3pm until approx. 6pm.

How It Works

Over the next few weeks in school, the children will be working hard to create their very own individual masterpiece. All the children’s artwork will then be taken away by My Masterpiece and professionally mounted, framed and labelled with their details. When you arrive at the event, all the children’s artwork will then be displayed on special display stands. We hope the children are very excited and proud of their fantastic artwork.

Entrance to the exhibition is free and on entry, each person will receive a voting card where they can list their top 5 masterpieces. There will be a voting box for you to put your completed voting cards in. At the end of the event, all voting cards will be collated and the pupil with the most likes in each year group will receive a prize, which we be presented in assembly.

A Lasting Memento

We are giving all parents / carers, the opportunity to purchase your child’s framed masterpiece and this is how we will raise money from the event.

Each original framed masterpiece can be purchased at a cost of £7 each.

In addition to the framed original you can also order any number of additional framed high-quality colour copies of their original artwork at £5 each.

We recognise that some parents / carers may have more than one child at the school and as an incentive, we can offer a reduced charge of £6.00 per each original framed masterpiece purchased.

The artwork provides a lasting memento of your child’s achievement and also makes a great present for birthdays and other upcoming special events such as Mother’s Day.





How to Place an Order

You can reserve your child’s masterpiece before the event and even if you cannot attend on the day, you can still purchase your child’s framed picture and any additional copies. Simply complete the below order form and return to the school office in an envelope marked “FOSS ART EXHIBITION”, together with your money or cheque. All cheques should be made payable to FOSS. Pictures can be purchased during the event. Grandparents and other relatives are welcome to come and view and order too!

All pictures will remain on display for the entire event for everyone’s enjoyment. All purchased pictures will then be distributed accordingly in the week after the event.

We will also be serving tea, coffee and cakes from 3pm to 5:30pm. To maximise the amount raised, we are looking for volunteer bakers. If you feel you can bake a cake or some biscuits / buns to serve at the event, please email Rebecca Harrison on beccy.harrison@googlemail.com. We ask all donations are brought into school on the morning of Friday 2nd March.

There will also be two raffles at the event:

1. A Children’s raffle - where the lucky winner will receive a beautiful craft hamper full of lots of arts and crafts.
2. An Adults raffle - we need prizes for the adult raffle (wine, spirits, chocolates, biscuits, gift vouchers etc). If you can help in anyway, please contact us or take your donation into the school office.

The raffles will be drawn at 5:30pm.

We hope you will enjoy and support this stunning event and in turn help raise vital funds for school. Parent, carers, grandparents are all invited. The more the merrier! We know you will find it hugely enjoyable, be amazed at the fantastic masterpieces on display and be very proud of your child’s achievement.

Simonstone Art Exhibition Order Form

Please complete the details below and return to the school office before the exhibition, together with your money. Any cheques should be made payable to FOSS.

Child’s Name: **Class:**

1 x original framed masterpiece at £7.00 £

[] **original framed masterpieces at a reduced rate of £6.00 each -** £

[] **additional framed colour copies at £5.00 each -** £

Total amount to pay - £

