

# ARTEXPRESS

2023 Sponsorship Prospectus







# **ARTS EDUCATION**

As a leader in Arts education, the NSW Department of Education promotes student achievement, equity and expression by offering diverse opportunities in a variety of artforms and in a variety of settings.

An arts rich education encourages students from an early age to develop individual creativity and self-expression. School-based arts participation can increase learners' confidence and motivation, thereby improving school attendance, academic outcomes and the wellbeing and life skills of children and young people.

Arts education also promotes communication skills and a growth mindset, and is an important part of the culture of NSW public schools. Extension programs, arts experiences, professional learning and resources offered to schools and, students by the NSW Department of Education's Arts Unit create viable opportunities for sponsors to engage with students, teachers and school communities.



## **ABOUT ARTEXPRESS**

ARTEXPRESS is a collaboration between the NSW Department of Education and the NSW Education Standards Authority (NESA). As a cross sector program and part of the HSC Showcase season, exhibitions are staged annually at the Art Gallery of NSW and at a number of regional galleries.

ARTEXPRESS Virtual is an initiative of the department's Arts Unit. Drawn from works selected for ARTEXPRESS, it provides a digital showcase of some of the exemplary artworks submitted for the previous year's Higher School Certificate.



### **FAST FACTS**



#### 9,000 STUDENT VISITORS

attended the major ARTEXPRESS exhibition at the Art Gallery of NSW in 2022.



#### **OVER 110,000 PAGE VIEWS**

of the 2020 and 2021 ARTEXPRESS Virtual exhibits during 2021



#### 345 STUDENT EXHIBITORS

including 300 students exhibiting at galleries and 45 through
ARTEXPRESS Virtual



#### WORKSHOP PROGRAM

offering professional learning and workshops delivered in partnership with ARTEXPRESS and the galleries, delivered to students and teachers.



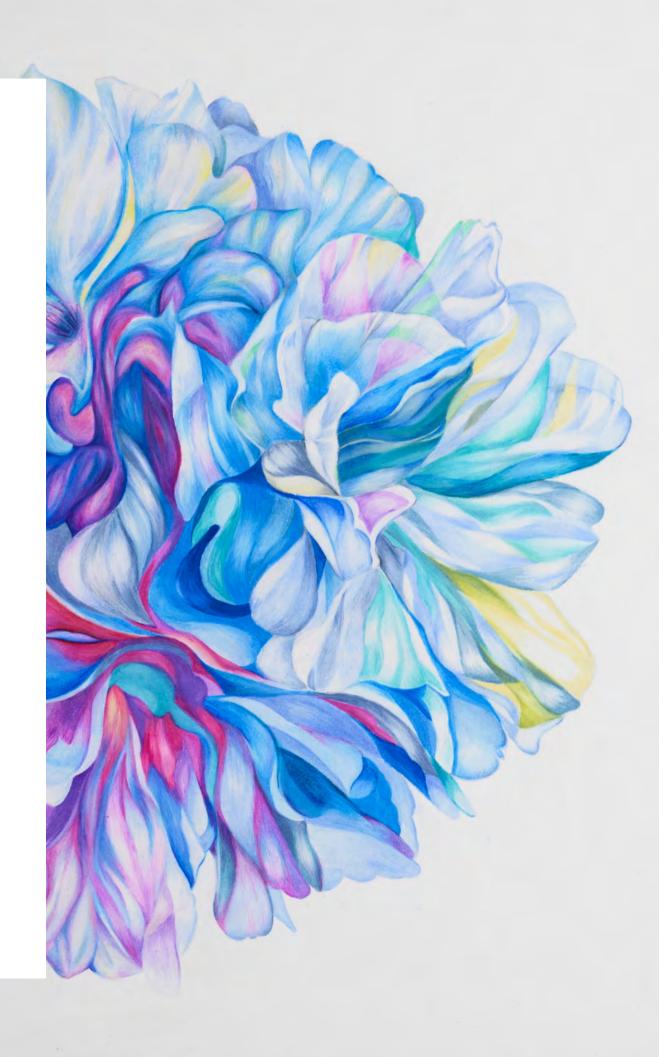
#### 10 EXHIBITIONS

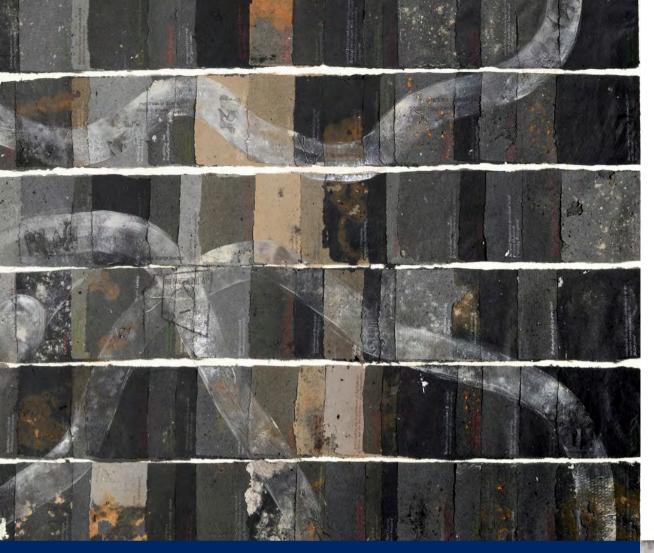
staged statewide as well as at the Art Gallery of NSW and online via ARTEXPRESS Virtual. The Art Gallery of NSW will celebrate 40 Years of ARTEXPRESS in 2023.



#### **EXPRESSIVE FORMS**

including photomedia, drawing, painting, sculptures, textiles and fibre, print making, ceramics, graphic design, documented forms, collection of works and time-based works.





## **KEY AUDIENCES**



#### **STUDENTS**

ARTEXPRESS is open to students from public, catholic and independent schools. It caters for students from Kindergarten to Year 12 from metropolitan, regional, rural and remote areas of NSW.



#### **TEACHERS**

Teachers bring students to the gallery setting for annual excursions and use the available online content as a valuable teaching and learning resource in the classroom.

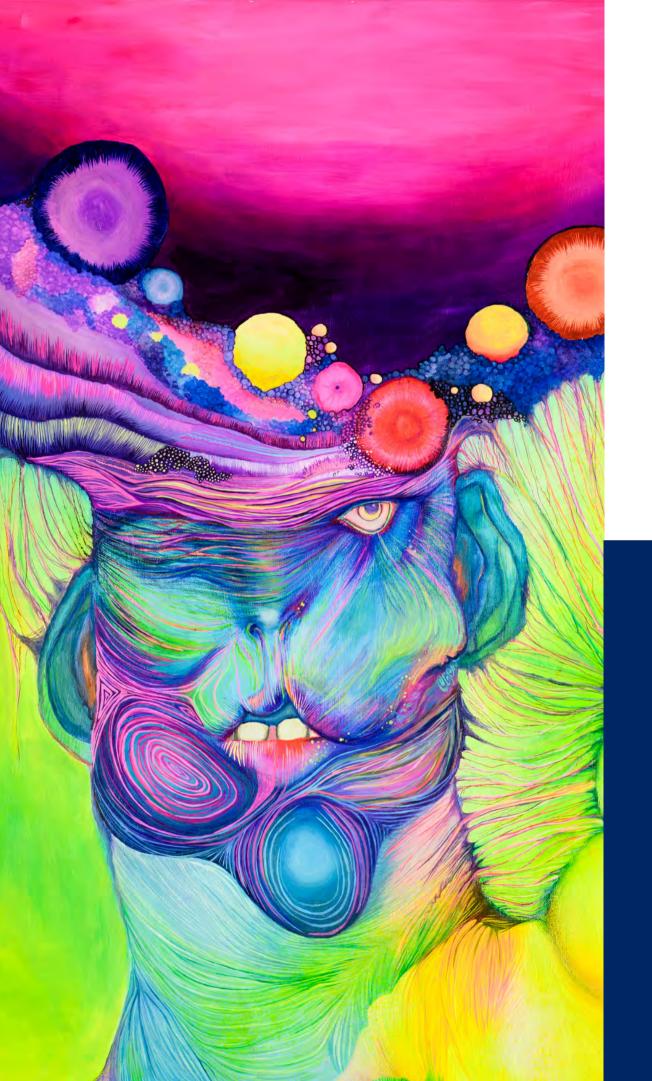


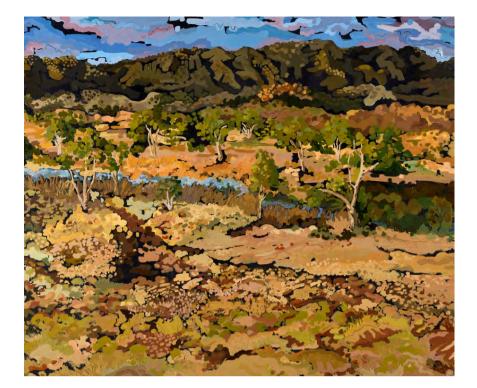




#### **COMMUNITIES**

Supporters behind the young artists engage with ARTEXPRESS as well as with the live and virtual events.





'The diversity of materials and inspired ideas that have emerged, highlight the resilience of these students and the commitment they had for their art practice and creative selves.'

**Curator of ARTEXPRESS Virtual** 

'Being part of ARTEXPRESS, and given the opportunity to showcase my work in a setting like that, is all that I wanted out of my HSC. It's all that I could have asked for!'

Exhibiting student, Wyndham College



# ADDING VALUE TO OUR PROGRAMS



#### **ACCESS**

**Supporting student participation** 

Increasing equity by reducing the cost barrier for participating students and expanding online activities and virtual engagement.



#### **PROFESSIONAL LEARNING**

**Developing teachers' skills** 

Providing state-of-the-art teaching and learning experiences to meet the needs of innovative schools and creative teachers.



#### **RESOURCES**

**Enhancing learning experiences** 

Expanding the suite of accessible teaching resources that impact directly on quality teaching and secondary student outcomes.



# PRINCIPAL SPONSOR 150K

#### **Exclusive**

Benefit from brand exposure across all aspects of ARTEXPRESS and ARTEXPRESS Virtual, a tailored communication plan and benefits package including:

#### **Logo Placement**

Your logo displayed at all exhibitions across metropolitan, western and regional areas of NSW.

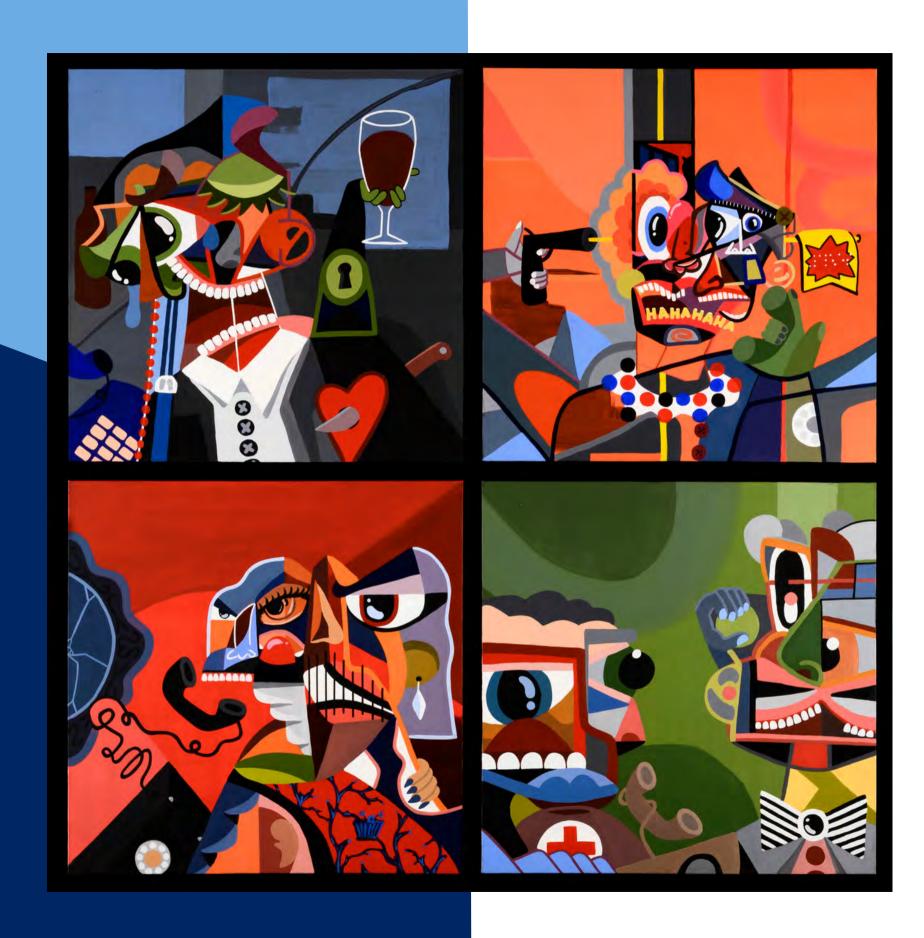
#### **Speaking Opportunity**

An exclusive opportunity to address dignitaries, department executives and guests at the official launch of ARTEXPRESS 2023.

#### Video Message

Positioned on the ARTEXPRESS Virtual website, your sponsor-produced video message will acknowledge and inspire both 2023 exhibitors and website visitors.





# VALUE-IN-KIND SUPPORTER - MIN 30K

There are many ways to enhance the teaching and learning experiences of HSC students and their teachers through the contribution of valuable inkind support.

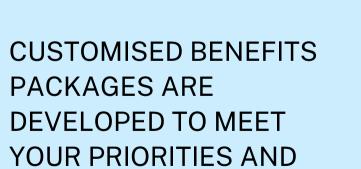
Examples of products that can significantly complement Visual Arts resources are:

- High-quality art supplies
- Technical equipment
- VR headsets

Benefits are negotiated based on the level of contribution.

Tailored packages available

# SPONSOR BENEFITS



**OBJECTIVES** 



#### **BRAND EXPOSURE**

Logo positioned in exhibitions, communications and a range of printed and digital collateral.



#### **SPONSOR CONTENT**

Communicated through our website, social media and video messages



#### **ACTIVATIONS**

Ranging from social media competitions to workshops and product sampling



#### **NETWORKING**

Opportunities offered at key exhibition launches involving education department executive











# SPONSORSHIP AND PROGRAM TIMELINE



#### 2022

• October Expressions of Interest

• November Negotiations

Contracting / invoicing

• December Collateral design & approvals

#### 2023

• February Art Gallery of NSW exhibition launch

• July/August ARTEXPRESS Virtual launch

See following page for details of 8 additional exhibitions.

### 2023 EXHIBITIONS

#### **Art Gallery of NSW**

As principal Venue Partner, the Art Gallery of NSW will celebrate 40 years of ARTEXPRESS in 2023.

The exhibit will include 45 artworks and the gallery will host two celebratory Art After Hours events.

Due to the Sydney Modern Project opening in December 2022, it is anticipated to be a busy year for the gallery.

Feb - May



#### **METROPOLITAN**

**Hazelhurst Arts Centre** 

11 Feb - 10 Apr

**Sydney Olympic Park** 

6 Mar - 16 Apr

**Bondi Pavilion Gallery** 

19 Aug - 24 Sept





#### **WEST REGION**

Blue Mountains Cultural Centre
27 May - 16 Jul
Hawkesbury Regional Art
Gallery
16 Jun - 13 Aug



#### **REGIONAL**

**Western Plains Cultural Centre** 

18 Feb - 30 Apr

**Mudgee Arts Precinct** 

29 May - 31 Jul

**Glasshouse Regional Gallery** 

1 Jul - 17 Sept





### **ARTEXPRESS VIRTUAL**

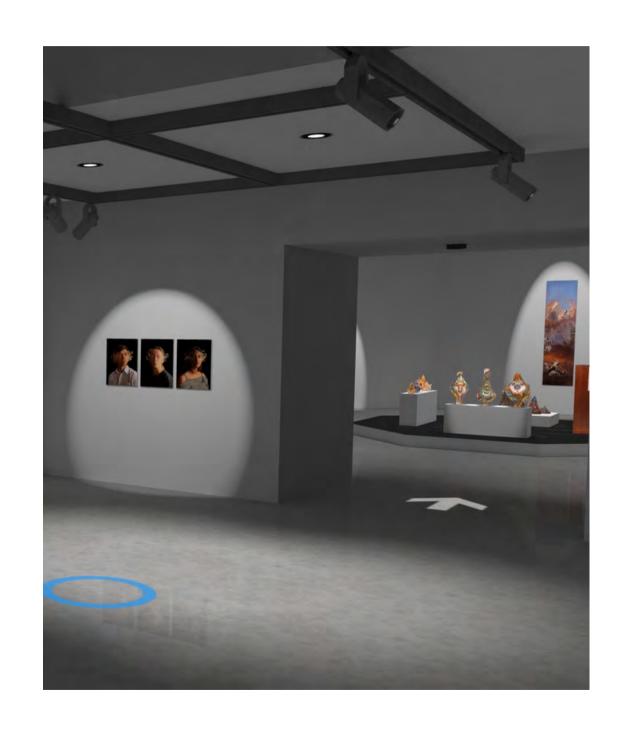
ARTEXPRESS Virtual will be in its 4th year in 2023, building on its already diverse and expansive educational resource for the Stage 6 Visual Arts course. The exhibition will be officially launched July/August and will remain accessible as a permanent resource.

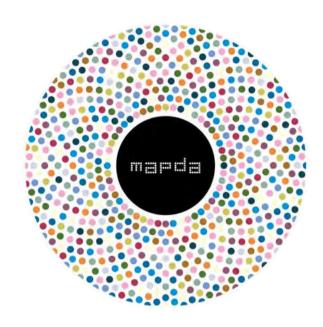
"These pieces are a testimony to the hard work and commitment shown by students during 2021, and I'm thrilled that the virtual display will allow their hard work to shine all over the world. The artworks are nothing short of amazing, and I encourage everyone to take the time to view the virtual exhibition.'

Minister for Education and Early Learning the Hon Sarah Mitchell MLC, The Leader 2022



## 2022 MAPDA AWARD WINNER





ARTEXPRESS Virtual won the Virtual Exhibition category (Level B) at the 2022 Museums Australasia Multimedia Publication and Design Awards (MAPDA).

The judges described the exhibition as: 'An extremely impressive achievement, being both a virtual walkthrough and with supporting resources on the website. The walkthrough is simple to navigate (StreetView style), and with excellent 3D modelling of the many objects on display.'

### **GET IN TOUCH**

Contact us to explore the possibilities of sponsoring in a way that meets your level of support and targeted objectives.

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ARTEXPRESS Virtual







