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THE QUEEN'S PLATINUM JUBILEE ART COMPETITION



LGfL in partnership with Royal Collection Trust are running an art competition to celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. The competition is an opportunity for pupils to create their own celebration to mark the Queen's Platinum Jubilee in the form of an original art creation.

What should the focus for the artwork be?

Queen Elizabeth II is one of the most depicted women in the world. Portraits of The Queen are made for a number of official purposes, ranging from photographs distributed at the time of a State Visit, to those that mark a particular anniversary.

She has sat for numerous artists, from Cecil Beaton and Pietro Annigoni to Lucian Freud. Images of the Queen's face on everyday objects such as stamps and bank notes are widely circulated and have also inspired artists such as Andy Warhol.

Portraits bearing a clear and recognisable image of the sovereign are required for use on coins, banknotes and stamps but can also be abstract and explore many themes such as royalty, power, sovereignty, and patriotism. Therefore, we would love artwork submitted showing crowns, corgis and of course Queen Elizabeth II herself throughout time.

What resources could help inspire your art?

We encourage you to use the LGfL Platinum Jubilee Site for inspiration and in particular:

- LGfL Royal Mews at Buckingham Palace - <http://www.royalmews.lgfl.net>
- LGfL Image Bank - <http://www.imagebank.lgfl.net>
- LGfL Queen Victoria - <http://www.queenvictoria.lgfl.net>

Please note that any artwork submitted does not HAVE TO feature these and inspiration can be taken from other sources.

What format should the artwork be?

- The pupil's artwork can be in any media (i.e. on paper or card, using any medium you like, such as paints, pens or collage) but digital design is also encouraged - it's totally up to you!
- The entries can be either landscape or portrait.

Once your art is complete, bring it to the school and give it to your teacher or the school office. Please ensure your name and class is on your work. There will be prizes for the most creative entries!

The closing date for entries is Monday 6th June 2022