



EMPOWER SIMCOE'S ANNUAL ART CONTEST

The **2021 Empower Simcoe Annual Art Contest** is now open! We look forward to receiving your submissions before the deadline on **December 18th, 2020 - 4:30pm.**

Guidelines, Rules & Conditions

This contest is only open to people and families supported by Empower Simcoe.

The subject (art) should be suitable for use as the agency's 2021 thank you card, depicting the artist's interpretation of what empower means to them, or Empower Simcoe's mission statement "Empowering people to lead a meaningful and inclusive life."

More than one entry may be submitted.

Entry may be an original painting, drawing, sketch, graphic art etc.

Minimum recommended size of original artwork – 4" x 6". Maximum recommended size of original artwork – 8" x 10".

The winning entrant must agree to allow:

- a. Their name and a short bio to appear on the finished card.
- b. Their art to become the property of Empower Simcoe. All copyright is transferred to Empower Simcoe.
- c. Their name and reproduction of their winning entry to be published in the media.
- d. Their original art to be displayed at Empower Simcoe

An award of a family membership and \$75.00 credit from Creative Café (\$250.00 value) will be made to the winning entrant.

All entries to be pre-judged by a panel, determined by Empower Simcoe's CEO. The panel's decision of the winning entry is final.

The winning entrant will be notified by phone and/or email by December 28, 2020.

All non-winning entries will be held for pick up until April 2021 and will be disposed of once that date has passed. Please contact communications@empowersimcoe.ca to confirm pick up time. NOTE: If COVID-19 restrictions are in place, artwork will be held until it may be safely picked up from 39 Fraser Court, Barrie.

Finished art should be submitted in person to Empower Simcoe at 39 Fraser Court, Barrie. Please clearly label the package "**Empower Simcoe Card Art Contest Entry.**"

Empower Simcoe will not be held responsible for loss or damage to artwork submitted.