





Art with heart



Operation Smile is all about love.
Love for our patients and our
volunteers. Love for the world. In
early 2021, we're excited to Spread
the Love and share the spirit of
service through our art exhibit! We
invite students ages 5-18 to use their
creativity and help children born
with cleft lip and cleft palate.

Theme: "Be Cool. Be Kind." Create artwork that explores the ideas of kindness and what it means to serve others in your community and around the world.

Requirement: Your piece must reflect on Operation Smile's cause.



ABOUT OPERATION SMILE

Headquartered in Virginia Beach,
Operation Smile has provided
hundreds of thousands of safe
surgeries for those born with cleft
lip and cleft palate. As one of the
largest medical volunteer-based
nonprofits, we have mobilized
thousands of medical volunteers
and student advocates around the
world. Learn more at <u>student</u>
programs.operationsmile.org and
follow Operation Smile Student
Programs on Instagram and
Twitter @osstudpro.



STATE OF THE ART

Here's what you need to know:

- You can decide which medium to use and if the work will be in color or black and white.
- Selected artwork will be put on display virtually.
- If you want, you will have the opportunity to include your artwork in a silent auction; the proceeds of that sale will go to Operation Smile as a donation.

Your artwork must:

- Reflect on the theme, "Be Cool. Be Kind": What does it mean to serve your community? How can service bring about positive change, and how does that change better your community?
- Be no larger than 12"x18" with matting
- ☐ Be submitted by Feb. 19, 2021
- Be given a title
- ☐ Include the following information on the back: title, student's name, grade, teacher's name, school name



HOW TO ENTER

- Make sure the following information is included on the back of your artwork: title, student's name, grade, teacher's name and school name.
- Decide if you want your artwork to be included in the silent auction, with the proceeds going as a donation to Operation Smile. If it will be available for auction, please work with your teacher to assign your work a fair market value.
- 3. Take a video of yourself explaining your artwork and what it means to you.
- 4. Email your video as well as a high-quality photo of your artwork to <u>student.programs</u>.

 @operationsmile.org.
- 5. Get excited! We'll review all the submissions and reach out to you if your work is selected for the Spread the Love exhibit!

