March is Youth Art Month

The Council for Art Education, Inc. promotes visual art education for all K-12 students, and encourages funding for quality school art programs.

The Council for Art Education, Inc. (CFAE) is a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization created in 1984 through its primary sponsor, The Art & Creative Materials Institute, Inc. (ACMI).

- **ACMI** is an international association and a leading authority on art and craft materials. It represents over 200 art, craft and creative material manufacturers promoting safety in art and creative products.

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For the Youth Art Month Museum during NAEA, state YAM Chairpersons should use this template to submit the chosen flag design.

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ANNOUNCEMENT: The awards presentation for the Youth Art Month recognitions for 2020 will take place on Saturday, February 27 between 2:00 - 2:50 pm EASTERN TIME. This is the week BEFORE the NAEA Convention.
2020 YAM Awards

Claire Flanagan Grand Award Winner
New Jersey: Co-Chairs Karen Mannino, Kristy Lopez

Award of Excellence
Virginia: Chair Jauan Brooks
Texas: Chair Christine Grafe
New York: Co-Chairs Donnalyn Shuster, Heather McCutcheon

Award of Merit
Utah: Elizabeth Sampson
Kentucky: Shelley Clark
Georgia: Chair Krista Lewis
Kansas: Co-chairs Lynn Felts, Megan Wendleton
West Virginia: Chair Katherine Crim
Maine: Chair Elise Pelletier
Rhode Island: Co-chairs Tara Villanova, Kerri Marshall

Special Recognition
Tennessee: Ginger Slate
Missouri: Erin Price
South Dakota: Marica Shannon
Nebraska: Bob Reeker, Marli Kulhanek
Michigan: Joyce Knight-Coyne
Oklahoma: Holly Proctor
Alabama: Julie Harrison
Pennsylvania: Robert Bomboy, Christina Uliano, Leslie Grace
New Hampshire: Lisa Rancourt
Wyoming: Kerri Gentry
Arkansas: Amber Lemser, Sue Ann McCoy
Minnesota: Laura Anton, Shanda Landes