



**The Education Fund's
Ocean Bank Center for Educational Materials'
2017 "Art of Found Objects" Exhibition**

Exhibition Packet

\$4,000 in Cash Prizes for Students & Teachers!

Deadline for all art to be turned in: Saturday, March 11, 2017

ART TEACHERS who SHOP at the Ocean Bank Center for Educational Materials are REQUIRED to submit at least TWO pieces of artwork – TEACHER, STUDENT or GROUP to "The Art of Found Objects" Exhibition. Failure to submit, will prohibit you from future shopping at the Center.

We cannot guarantee that your work will be selected, however, if chosen it will be on display for a month at Ocean Bank's main headquarters for thousands of customers to view from March to April. All work is juried. Winning art will appear in a color catalog.

Rules:

1. Artwork for the Art Exhibition **must** incorporate at least one material from The Education Fund's Ocean Bank Center for Educational Materials (OBCEM).
2. Any MDCPS art teacher or student may submit artwork. Student/group artwork must be submitted through the art teacher.
3. Judging is based on the quality of the work and the creativity in using materials from the Ocean Bank Center. In the case of student art, consideration will be given for the grade level.
4. **Deadline for all art to be turned in: Saturday, March 11, 2017 (see drop off locations sheet)**
5. Artwork can be entered as an INDIVIDUAL PIECE or GROUP PIECE – all MDCPS can enter (elementary, middle, senior high).
6. Completed Identification label (see packet) must be attached to the back of every art piece (make sure these can be easily removed) and be submitted in a portfolio (for 2-D) or the box (for 3-D). Portfolios and boxes are to be addressed to "OBCEM Art Exhibition".
7. All pieces must be properly packaged to avoid damage. (The Education Fund is not responsible for damage to artwork).
8. Every piece must indicate (on the identification sheet) whether or not it can be sold at the Silent Auction in May 2016. When donating student pieces, it is recommended that you discuss the donation with the student and the parent (or responsible adult).

Prizes: \$4,000 in prizes to be awarded!

For More Information: Contact Stacey de la Grana, Vice President of Programs & Ocean Bank Center Director, at sdelagrana@educationfund.org (no phone calls, please)



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EXHIBITION PRIZES

*This year, there will be winners for elementary, middle & high school categories!
More prize money for your students!

Prizes for artistic excellence in the use of found objects:

Student/Group Prizes*

3 Grand Prizes	\$200
3 Best of the Best	\$100
3 Award of Merit	\$75
12 Honorable Mention	\$50

All student prizes will be gift certificates redeemable at a local art supply store. Group prizes will be gift certificates for the art teacher to purchase for art materials for ongoing classroom lessons.

Teacher Prizes**

1 Grand Prize	\$300
1 Best of the Best	\$200
1 Award of Merit	\$100
7 Honorable Mention	\$50

**All teacher prizes will be in cash.

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**DROP OFF LOCATIONS &
MAILING or DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS
Deadline: Saturday, MARCH 11**

FOR 3-D WORK OR FLAT PIECES

(3-D work can only be delivered to OCEAN BANK CENTER or EDUCATION FUND OFFICE)

Work must be securely wrapped and labeled appropriately and can be delivered to TWO LOCATIONS:

(1) The Ocean Bank Center for Educational Materials*

6890 NW 76th Street
Medley, FL 33166

Drop Off Dates & Times:

➤ TBA

****Drop off at Ocean Bank Center and you can have a FREE shopping day!***

(2) The Education Fund Miami Lakes Office

6713 Main Street
Miami Lakes, FL 33014
305-558-4544

Drop Off Dates & Times:

Monday – Friday from 9 am to 5 pm

FOR FLAT PIECES ONLY

Flat pieces CAN ALSO be submitted in a portfolio & labeled "ATTN: EDUCATION FUND" and can be delivered to:

(1) Custom Quality Framing

6011 SW 8th St.
Miami FL 33144
305-265-0065

Drop Off Dates & Times:

Tuesday-Friday from 11am-5pm
Saturday from 10am-4pm

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Identification Description Sheet

Please complete for each piece submitted.

Directions: (PLEASE PRINT) Complete and place in a portfolio with matted & labeled art work. For group pieces, please list every student's name & grade. *Please attach this sheet so it can be easily removed.*

ART TEACHER: _____ TEACHER CELL PHONE #: _____

SCHOOL: _____ SCHOOL PHONE #: _____

TEACHER HOME ADDRESS: _____ CITY: _____ ZIP: _____

TEACHER SCHOOL E-MAIL: _____

TEACHER PERSONAL EMAIL: _____

TITLE OF ARTWORK: _____

2-D or 3-D (circle one) # of PIECES _____

LIST ALL OCEAN BANK CENTER MATERIALS USED:

OTHER INTERESTING INFORMATION ABOUT ARTWORK or ARTIST/S (or attach bio) :

Want to earn more money? Enter your work for our auction in May and get two complimentary tickets to the gala event where your work will be for sale along with other auction items such as cruises, hotel stays, vacation packages plus lots of exposure to art collectors and arts enthusiasts).

TO BE DONATED to THE SILENT AUCTION? _____ YES _____ NO

Every piece can be donated to the Silent Auction in May 2016. For individual student pieces, we highly recommend discussing the donation with the student and a family member.

IF AUCTIONED, ESTIMATED VALUE: \$ _____ (Minimum bids are typically set at 1/2 to 1/3 of estimated value.)

ARTIST(S) NAME(S): _____ GRADE: _____

(Attach additional sheets with artists' names if necessary.)

I have completed this form in its entirety and attest that all information is correct.

Teacher signature: _____ Date: _____