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### Academy Art Museum Hosts Annual Mid-Shore Student Art Exhibitions

The Academy Art Museum in Easton will host its Annual Mid-Shore Student Art Exhibitions from April 22 through May 8, 2011 for grades nine through 12 and May 12 through 29, 2011 for grades kindergarten through grade eight, plus special education. This annual celebration of the artistic talents of students from Talbot, Caroline, Dorchester, and Queen Anne's counties highlights nearly 300 works from kindergarten through 12th grade, plus special education. The exhibits will include a variety of media including painting, drawings, sculpture, photography and printmaking. Presented by the Museum for more than 20 years, this is the largest and most prestigious exhibition of student art on the Eastern Shore.

To allow for greater participation than in years past, the artwork will be displayed in two different exhibitions. Cash prizes will be awarded for the best work from each grade

level. The high school awards will be presented at 6 p.m. on April 22, 2001 during the exhibit's Opening Reception, which will be held from 4 to 7 p.m. Awards for the students in kindergarten through grade eight, plus special education will be presented at 6 p.m. on May 12, 2011 during the exhibit's Opening Reception, which will be held from 4 to 7 p.m.

For further information about the Academy Art Museum's current exhibitions, programs, or classes, visit [www.academyartmuseum.org](http://www.academyartmuseum.org) or call 410-822-2787.

**CUTLINE: Artwork by students in grades kindergarten through grade 12 from Talbot, Caroline, Dorchester, and Queen Anne's counties will be included in the Academy Art Museum's Annual Mid-Shore Student Art Exhibitions on display April 22 through May 29, 2011. Pictured is artwork by Stewart Spurry, a student at The Country School in Easton.**

