MULTIPLE DISCIPLINES

JACKSON'S ART PRIZE 2027

DEADLINE

10 FEB 2027

80 DAYS LEFT

POSTED	ENTRY FEE	ONLINE
22 Nov 2026	£5 PER ARTWORK FROM 10 NOVEMBE...	VISIT ORGANIZER

DETAILS / KEEP FOR REFERENCE

SOURCE: GRAPHIC COMPETITIONS

Jackson's Art Prize 2027 is an international art competition inviting original two-dimensional artwork, from painting and drawing to traditional printmaking and mixed media. Organised by Jackson's Art Supplies, the annual competition has no set theme, giving artists the freedom to explore their own subjects, ideas and techniques.

The competition accepts work in oils, acrylics, watercolours, pastels and drawing media, alongside original prints created through techniques such as etching, linocut and screenprinting. Mixed-media pieces are also welcome, including those that do not fit neatly into a single medium. There is no requirement to create new work specifically for the competition, and artists can submit up to five artworks.

Entries are submitted online, with photographs of each artwork accompanied by an artist biography, an artist statement and a description of the materials and techniques used. The judging process involves Jackson's own panel and six guest judges, drawn from the worlds of art and curation. Shortlisted works also take part in a public vote for the People's Choice Award.

Entry fee: £5 per artwork from 10 November 2026 to 10 January 2027; £6.50 per artwork from 11 January to 10 February 2027. Artists submitting five works pay for four. Students with a Jackson's Student Account can claim one free entry.

ELIGIBILITY

Open to artists of all ages and experience levels worldwide submitting their own original two-dimensional artwork, excluding digital, computer-manipulated or AI-generated art, pure photography, sculpture, reproduction prints and works previously awarded in a major competition or extensively exhibited in established galleries.

PRIZE

Jackson's Art Prize 2027 offers 31 awards, with a First Prize of £6,000 in cash and £2,000 in art materials, plus a filmed studio interview and an invitation to join the 2028 guest judging panel. Five Jackson's Choice Awards, six Judge's Choice Awards and the People's Choice Award each provide £1,000 in art materials, while the Student and Amateur Awards each offer £500 in materials. Eight medium-specific awards cover oil, acrylic, watercolour, drawing, pastel, intaglio, relief and planographic printmaking. Winners receive materials worth £750 or £1,000, with runners-up receiving £250 or £500, depending on the category. A selection of shortlisted artworks will be invited to exhibit at the Affordable Art Fair in Hampstead, London, from 5 to 9 May 2027, followed by an exhibition of finalists at Bankside Gallery from 29 June to 4 July 2027.