

# 2025-2026 HAWAII REGIONAL SCHOLASTIC ART AWARDS

Lexus Hawaii, in partnership with the Hawaii State Foundation on Culture and the Arts, proudly present these awards celebrating Hawaii's student artists who exemplify craftsmanship, creativity, and purpose—embodying Lexus' *Takumi Philosophy* of mastery, dedication, and care.

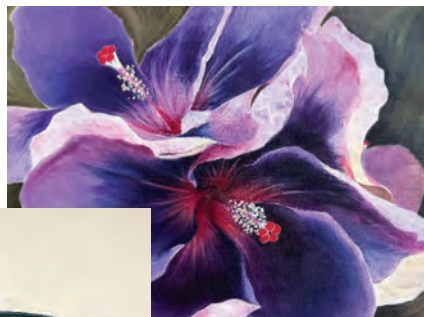
## LEXUS HAWAII TAKUMI AWARD

- Awarded to 20 students statewide
- \$200 cash prize per student
- Statewide recognition and feature opportunities
- See page 2 of flyer for criteria and details

## LEXUS HAWAII VISIONARY AWARD

- Up to two nationally recognized Gold or Silver Key-winning students will each receive a \$4,000 scholarship
- Each student's school will also receive a \$4,000 grant to support its art program
- Student and school awards are awarded together

*Scholarship recipients must place nationally and plan on attending the national ceremony abroad to represent Hawaii. Winners who receive national recognition will be automatically eligible for scholarship and grant consideration. A submission form will be provided in Spring 2026.*



Clockwise from left:  
Sarah Ing., Harumi Ho, Rayne Novotasky,  
Kelsey Chalaire, Xiuhan Qi, Koa Soledade and Kaniokekai Lau.

## Key dates and entry

Submission period: October 1 – December 12, 2025

Exhibit and awards ceremony: Spring 2026 at Capitol Modern, Honolulu

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## What we're looking for in student artwork

### *Craftsmanship & Mastery*

Exhibits refined skill, attention to detail, and technical excellence—reflecting Lexus's Takumi philosophy.

### *Creative Vision*

Shows originality and personal voice, with strong emotional or cultural storytelling.

### *Lexus Values in Art*

Sustainability – Art inspired by environmental themes or materials.

Omotenashi – Evokes warmth, respect, or care for others.

Experience Amazing – Inspires and creates emotional connection through composition, color, or story.

### *Community & Culture*

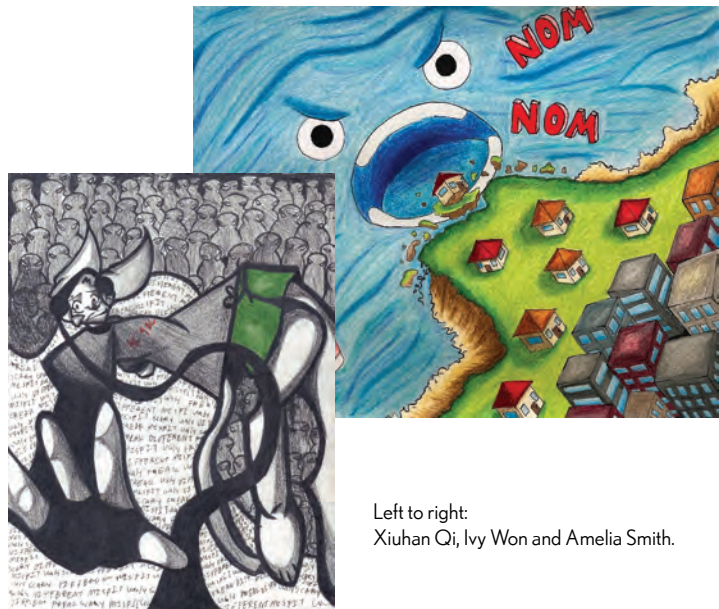
Connects to Hawai'i's values, place, or people—celebrating local identity and impact.

## Learn more about the Takumi Philosophy

*Takumi* are Japanese master artisans who dedicate over *60,000 hours* to perfecting their craft – guided by patience, mastery, and purpose in every detail.

This award celebrates young artists who bring that same spirit to their work.

Scan the QR code to explore the Takumi story.



Left to right:  
Xiuhuan Qi, Ivy Won and Amelia Smith.