

Category “B” (18 – 21 years old)

B I “Picture to a Poem by Selma Merbaum”

Pictures inspired by the poetry by Selma Merbaum are eligible for submission.

Participants’ task is not merely about conveying the poem's content, but to focus also on the feelings and emotions embedded in the verses.

Technical requirements:

A4 format.

Medium: painting, drawing or graphic art.

Contest Entry consists of a picture and a completed Participant Form

(<https://forms.gle/4zGyMiVvEz7hAzfQ7>).

Work Evaluation Criteria:

- Compositional approach – 2 points;
- Command of artistic expression – 2 points;
- Conveying the feelings and emotions of the poetry – 5 points.

In addition to certificates and gifts the winners of the contest will receive, the winning art works will be published as postcards and bookmarks.

B II “Video Presentation of a Poem by Selma Merbaum”

Creative contest (individual or team participation; maximum group size: 3 people).

Video clips based on the poetry by Selma Merbaum are eligible for submission. The task for participants is not merely to convey the content of the poems, but to focus on the feelings and emotions embedded by the author in her verses. The text of the poem may be presented via subtitles, an expressive spoken-word reading, or a song.

Technical requirements:

Video duration: 3 to 5 minutes.

Orientation: 16:9 horizontal (or 9:16 vertical).

File format: MP4 or MOV.

Contest Entry consists of a video and a completed Participant Form

(<https://forms.gle/4zGyMiVvEz7hAzfQ7>).

Work Evaluation Criteria:

Originality of approach – 2 points;

Compliance with technical requirements – 2 points;

Visual quality – 2 points;

Conveying the feelings and emotions of the poetry – 5 points.