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**Media Alert**

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Tulare County Office of Education Announces:  
“Best of Show” Student Art Exhibition runs March 4-31;  
Open house reception March 4  
TCOE Administration Building and Conference Center, 6200 S. Mooney Blvd., Visalia

The annual Best of Show Student Art Exhibition will open on March 4 in the lobby of the Tulare County Office of Education Administration Building at 6200 S. Mooney Blvd. in Visalia. Beginning Wednesday, March 4, the artwork can be viewed weekdays from 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. through March 31. Pieces in the exhibition were selected from two larger showings of Tulare County student artwork held earlier this year.

An open house honoring the students selected for the Best of Show Art Exhibition will be held on Wednesday, March 4. Student artists, their families and members of the public are invited to the reception which is being held from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. This year, a panel of judges selected 250 paintings, drawings, and sculptures from 41 Tulare County elementary, middle, and high schools for the Best of Show Exhibition.

“The annual art exhibition is a celebration of Tulare County students’ artistic achievements,” said Tulare County Superintendent of Schools Tim Hire. “Through arts-
based programs, many students begin to envision how they can connect their creative talents to careers in a variety of industries.”

For more information about the exhibition, contact Robert Herman, public information officer, at (559) 733-6606.

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