

# International Comic/Manga School Contest 2023

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## Signing up your school

This contest, aimed at students from around the world, is held by the developers of the graphics app, Clip Studio Paint, with sponsorship from major publishing houses, as well as global tablet manufacturer, Wacom. A student from your school has expressed interest in entering their artwork.

**In order for students to submit their entries, an educator or staff member from their school must first register the school.** We would be grateful if you could sign up your school so your students can participate.

### Help students make their dreams come true

This is a valuable opportunity for students who are interested in becoming professional comic artists to get their big break and get scouted by big-name publishers. Winning entries will also receive detailed and specific critiques from professionals.

### Boost student motivation

All submitted entries will be published on the contest site once screening is complete. This is an opportunity for students to have their artwork seen by many people around the world and may be a source of creative motivation for them.

### Promote your school on a global stage

By registering your school, your school's logo will be posted on the contest site\*\* for students from around the world to see. What's more is that if one of your students' entries wins, their artwork will be displayed together with your school name and logo and spread your schools' name even further. It may also be used in publicity for future contests in the form of a website or pamphlets.

## How to register

Registration can be completed easily online and only takes about **five minutes**.

All schools are welcome, even schools without a focus on the arts.

Registration form: <https://jp.surveymonkey.com/r/Y9YYB65?lang=en>



To confirm that you are a school teacher or member of staff, **you need one of the following\*** when you register your school:

- Educator or staff email address with school domain
- Business card or ID photo
- Other document proving that you are an educator or school staff member\*

Other information: **School name, type of school, teacher's name, e-mail address, phone number, school website URL\*\*, school logo to post on contest site\*\***

\*Documents will be appropriately deleted after the contest is over. \*\*Schools without websites are also able to register. Logo optional.

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A global comic contest for students. The contest is in its 6th incarnation, and with the chance for winners to be contacted by publishers, it is a valuable opportunity for students who see their careers in comics to make their professional debut. Winning entries will also receive detailed and specific critiques from professional creators and editors. At the end of the contest, entries will be published and people from all around the world will be able to read your students' artworks, giving them encouragement and motivation to create even more.

### Clip Studio Paint

Clip Studio Paint is the artist's tool for drawing, painting, comics, and animation, loved by professionals. Widely used across the world, it has been bundled with computers, smartphones and Wacom tablets, which boast the top market share in the global graphics tablet category.



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