

Hello MESA Student,

This is Alejandra Olivas and Kim Sheerer, Regional Coordinators with MESA and hosting you for the MESA Day Art Achievement Challenge. You are getting this email because you have been identified as the team member participating in the Art Achievement challenge (MESA Poetry Slam). As you know this is a virtual event happening via Zoom.

This email is to check in with you and verify that your email works and you know whom to contact for the event with any questions, or difficulties on the day of the event. **Note:** *Advisors you have been cc'd on this email, please verify your student in each team registered for this event received it. (Thx!)*

For both grade levels, the ART events we will begin promptly at **11:00 AM**, the Zoom link for ON-SITE ART ACHIEVEMENT (only) is: <https://zoom.us/j/93331690566>

- MESA Day for Middle School: April 13<sup>th</sup> 2021
- MESA Day for High School: April 15<sup>th</sup> 2021

*You might be wondering what should I do before MESA Day?*

1. Stay in touch with your Advisor to prepare for MESA Day as scheduled by your Advisor/Teacher.
2. Remember that this STEAM event students will create and present a unique poem with a Science, Technology, Engineering and/or Mathematics (STEM) theme. Each student will have up to 3 minutes to present their poem to peers and a panel of judges. The poetry and presentation rubric will be released on the morning of competition.

Best of Luck~

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