



*We celebrate the rich diversity of Judaic art in North America, Israel and around the world.  
We connect those who create art inspired by Jewish tradition to those institutions and individuals who appreciate, collect, and exhibit Jewish art.  
We fulfill the Torah commandment of Hiddur Mitzvah, by creating sacred beauty and sharing this with the world.*

*“The American Guild of Jewish Art...mission is to promote awareness of fine art and craft objects created “in the Jewish spirit.” It would be the first organization to serve the interests not only of Jewish artists but of Jewish art – those who sell and promote it as well as it’s creators... the creation of the American Guild of Jewish Artists is reflective of what is happening in the Jewish community at large- one aspect of it.” New York Times, 1991.*

DEAR STUDENTS AND PARENTS:

The American Guild of Judaic Art is inviting students to participate in an international program whose mission is to teach young people to create Judaic art. This inspirational Jewish arts program is entitled:

**The Judaic Visual Arts**  
**On-Line Mentoring Program For Students Grades 7-12**

The American Guild of Judaic Art is composed of over 100 professional artists from around the world who are celebrated for their Jewish related art. **AGJA artists volunteer to mentor student artists in a unique on-line venue. Membership in the AGJA is not a requirement for admission to the program; it is sponsored and funded by the American Guild of Judaic Art, at no cost to student artists or their parents.** Moreover, the program embraces special needs students, as well.

Student artists are selected for this educational Jewish arts program based on the following criteria:

- Student artists, grades 7-12, submit a formal application to the program.
- Student artists and their parents agree to adhere to the rules governing the AGJA mentoring program.
- **Qualified students are selected on a first come, first serve basis: ROLLING ADMISSIONS**

**APPLICATIONS AT:**

**GUILD WEBSITE [WWW.JEWISHART.ORG](http://WWW.JEWISHART.ORG) OR** Julie Braley, Administrator, American Guild of Judaic Art  
[office@jewishart.org](mailto:office@jewishart.org) or [amguldjudaicart@gamil.com](mailto:amguldjudaicart@gamil.com) Write “**student artist application**” in the subject line.  
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Please visit The American Guild of Judaic Art’s official website ( [www.jewishart.org](http://www.jewishart.org)) where Guild artist/mentors display their vast array of artistic talent in the Judaic arts gallery and the On-Line Exhibition 2013, as well. The AGJA’s Facebook page is an additional resource.

Sincerely,  
Lawrence Mark Schloss, M.A. Program Director, Centerport, N.Y.