



Parent and Professional Guide:

*COVID -19 Kids' Ideas and Art: An invitation to contribute to an online gallery*

- The Story describes an invitation to submit a project to post in an online gallery. I suggest reviewing the Story yourself before reading it with your child, and revising the Story if you do not wish to submit your child's work. I am happy to provide you with a revisable version of the Story. Any questions, send me an email at [TakeThisToCarol@gmail.com](mailto:TakeThisToCarol@gmail.com).
- I tried to provide support and structure through a few examples of projects and the coordinating coloring pages, while leaving room for kids to use ideas of their own. Projects do not need to be related to COVID-19 or the pandemic, any positive topic that is safe for all audiences is welcome. A painting of a flower, a drawing of a dinosaur, a poem about a tree, a LEGO structure, a clay penguin, etc. – all AOK. Send a photo of 3-D projects.
- With each project, Include a child's first name, or a fictional "artist-name" and age (optional). Feel free to send as many projects as you like. Include a statement giving permission to post on the COVID-19 Kids' Art Padlet with your online signature. To submit a video or recording, post on YouTube and send the link. Please write "Kids Art" in the subject box of your email.
- The goal is for kids to have fun and give them an audience, and for adults to enjoy their efforts. Thank you in advance for your participation! I will post projects as quickly as possible – please allow 2-3 days before sending a "heads up" email to me.

