

Artwork Preparation Guidelines

Framed Artworks

- Artworks will be hung from D-rings, not from hanging wires. See image 1 for example.
- All 2D works must be ready to display with 2 x D-ring attachments fitted to the back of the frame or canvas at either 5 cm or 10 cm from the top edge.
- We recommend installing D-rings 5 cm from the top for small artworks (approx. 40 cm x 40 cm and smaller) and 10 cm from the top for medium to large works.
- D-rings should measure 1cm at least across the base to fit the hanging hooks used in the Banana Shire Regional Art Gallery. See image 2 for examples.



Image 1

Hook attached to D-ring, not hanging wire.



Image 2

On the left: D-ring that is too small to fit gallery hooks.
On the Right: Examples of suitable D-rings and gallery hooks.

The Banana Shire Regional Art Gallery uses hanging rail system. No artworks are to be mounted directly to the gallery walls. To be compatible with our hanging system, artworks must:

- Not exceed 122 cm in any direction (including frame).
- Not exceed 14kg.

Works on Paper

Works on paper must be appropriately framed for hanging. Artworks delivered without suitable hanging attachments may not be displayed. See above guidelines for framed works.

Sculptural Works

All 3D works will be displayed on a flat surface. Suitable stands and supports must be supplied by the artist where necessary. Electrical components must be tested and tagged. The gallery has a limited supply of standard plinths for artists use.

Youth photography

Youth artworks are the only entries in the Brigalow Arts Festival that do not require framing. Youth artworks will be hung with a combination of 3M Tabs, magnetic hanging systems and hanging wires. Youth artworks and photography should be prepared for display with

- A 1" border of black card or suitably framed.
- Photography works should be printed to the standard size 8" x 10"



5 cm (Small
Artworks)

10 cm (Med to
Large Art-

