



## Educator Guide

A Global Youth Art Climate Challenge for  
Your Classroom

Turning climate anxiety into climate agency

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one patch at a time.



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# What is Climate Quilt?

Climate Quilt is a global youth art climate challenge inviting young people ages 10–30 to respond to the climate crisis through creativity. Inspired by the AIDS Memorial Quilt, student submissions from schools and communities worldwide are woven together into a traveling museum exhibition - a living quilt of youth climate voices weaved together from around the world.

Two Themes. Two Roads Ahead.

**HERE & NOW** — Art depicting current climate realities, the status quo

**THE FUTURE** — Paint the beautiful tomorrow, when nature wins

Any medium works: drawing, painting, digital art, collage, photography, textile, or mixed media.

## Why Climate Quilt?

- 83% of youth experience climate anxiety — art transforms anxiety into agency
- Every society throughout history has responded to its greatest challenges through art
- Museums worldwide serve as trusted hubs for community, culture and civic action
- Collaborative creation builds community and connects youth across the globe
- Flexible — fits art, science, social studies, ELA, or environmental education
- Supports social-emotional learning and climate literacy



# Two Ways to Participate

Climate Quilt offers two tiers of participation — a free core option for all schools and a premium option for districts and schools that want a fully customized experience.

FREE ~ Patch Partner	PREMIUM ~ Custom Partner
<b>Everything you need to bring Climate Quilt into your classroom at no cost.</b>	<b>A fully tailored Climate Quilt experience built for your school or district.</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Climate Quilt instructional framework</li><li>• Lesson plan templates</li><li>• Student submission portal at <a href="http://climatequilt.com">climatequilt.com</a></li><li>• Access to the global digital gallery</li><li>• Official Climate Quilt Pilot Partner badge</li><li>• Climate action resources and educator guides</li><li>• Eligibility for the traveling global exhibition</li><li>• Direct support from the Climate Quilt team</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Everything in the Free tier, plus:</li><li>• Customized curriculum aligned to your state or district standards</li><li>• Private online gallery for your school or classroom</li><li>• Co-branded materials for your school or district</li><li>• Priority exhibition consideration</li><li>• Dedicated Climate Quilt support and onboarding</li><li>• Custom climate education resources for your community</li><li>• Pricing available upon request</li></ul>

Your students have something to say about climate.  
Give them a canvas.

**Ready to bring Climate Quilt to your students?**

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