

## PRIME MINISTER · PREMIER MINISTRE

August 19–25, 2017

Dear Friends:

I am pleased to extend my warmest greetings to everyone attending the 15th annual Canada International Children's Art Festival.



First held in 2002, this event brings children together through the universal language of art. I am certain that everyone in attendance will enjoy this wonderful display of talent and creativity as children and youth from Canada and around the world offer their vision for this year's theme, "Trees, Our Source of Life."

I would like to commend all of the young artists participating in this year's exhibition for their outstanding achievements. I would also like to commend the Canada International Children's Art Foundation and the Canada-China Cultural Council for their commitment to developing, showcasing and celebrating young talent.

Please accept my best wishes for a memorable experience.

Sincerely,

The Rt. Hon. Justin P.J. Trudeau, P.C., M.P. Prime Minister of Canada