



# 2025 Pots, Plants & Prints Participant Guidelines

The **Pots, Plants & Prints Artist Market** is hosted by the **Iowa Ceramics Center and Glass Studio (ICCGS)** on **Saturday, April 26, 2025**, in conjunction with **Cedar Rapids EcoFest**, celebrating **Earth Day**.

This annual **Art Market** invites **regional artists** to sell handmade artworks inspired by **plants and sustainability**. The market will feature a curated selection of **unique pottery, original artworks, and prints**, all available for purchase at **The Cherry Building**.

In addition to the market, ICCGS will host **family-friendly activities**, including:

- **Seed bomb making**
- **Wheel-throwing demonstrations**

## Event Details

**Date:** Saturday, April 26, 2025

**Time:** 11:00 AM – 3:00 PM

**Location:** The Cherry Building, Cedar Rapids, IA

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## Application & Timeline

- **March 10 @ 5:00 PM** – Applications due
  - **March 14** – Artists notified via email
  - **March 19** – Artist confirmation & table fee due (\$30)
  - **March 20 – April 25** – Sale promotion
  - **April 26** – Plants, Pots & Prints Market (11:00 AM – 3:00 PM)
    - **Setup:** 9:00 – 10:30 AM
    - **Sale:** 11:00 AM – 3:00 PM
    - **Takedown:** 3:00 – 4:00 PM
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## Who Can Participate?

This event is open to **regional artists** creating **handmade** works that align with the **theme of Plants and Earth Day**. Accepted works include:

**Pottery**

**Original artwork**

**Prints**

### **Handmade Work Requirement:**

- All work must be **handmade** by the artist.
  - Manufactured additions (such as prints on apparel or pre-made frames) **must not exceed 25% of the artist's inventory**.
  - Preference will be given to works that **align with the EcoFest theme** of sustainability and nature.
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## **Pricing & Sales**

- Artists are responsible for **setting their own prices**.
  - All work must be of **high quality**, reflecting the time and effort put into its creation.
  - **No discounted or "seconds" work may be sold** at this event.
  - If you need assistance with pricing, schedule a meeting with the **Executive Director**.
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## **Artist Requirements**

- **Artists must sell work that matches their application submission.**
- **Artists are responsible for their own setup and takedown.**
- ICCGS provides **one 6-foot table per artist**.
- **Artists must remain present** for the entire event and handle their own sales.
- **Artwork must remain within the designated artist space.**
- **Table fee:** \$30 (one artist per table) – due by March 19.

**Limited space available!** Selection is based on:

- **Creativity, quality, variety and relevance to the Earth Day theme**

We encourage **new sellers** to apply!

All proceeds from this event support **ICCGS programs, studio spaces, and mission**.

For questions, contact: Ellen Kleckner, Executive Director, [ellen@iowaceramciscenter.org](mailto:ellen@iowaceramciscenter.org)

We look forward to celebrating **Earth Day** with you at the **Plants, Pots & Prints Artist Market!**