

# Mourettes hero<sup>®</sup>



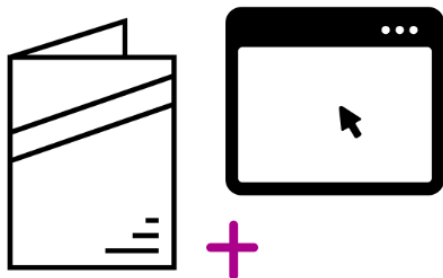
**Information Pack**



**Touretteshero** is looking for people aged 14-26 to take part in a **creative zine project**, led by disabled people.



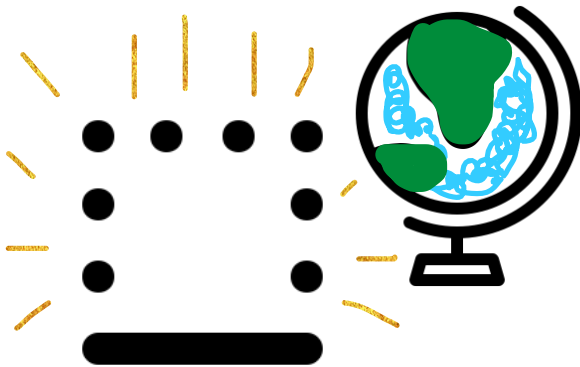
**Zines** are small, creative **booklets** like magazines. Lots of different communities use them to **communicate ideas using art**.



The Young Artists Development Programme zine will be available as a **printed copy**, and as a **digital copy**.



Touretteshero will **pay 16 people** to take make their own pieces of art for the zine. If you are chosen, you will have **8 weeks** to create a new piece of art.



The zine is themed **Beyond Borders**, so the artwork should be based around this theme.



You can think about this theme in any way that **feels exciting** to you.



**You don't need to have experience as an artist to apply.**

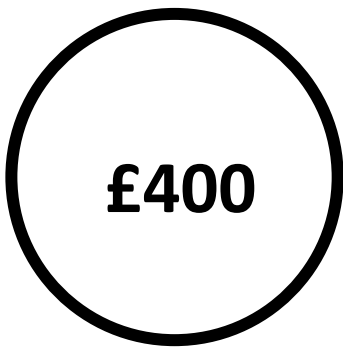
The most important thing is that you're **creative** and want to try **new things**.



We want to support lots of **different types of artwork**. This could include:

**stories, poems, songs, drawings, puzzles, photos, knitting, collage, sculptures, interviews, dances.**

Each successful young creative will receive:



- **£400 investment** in their work and idea.

This might pay for the **time** a person spends working on their art, or it might pay for **equipment and materials**.



For this, each young creative will:

- **Make a piece of art** to feature in the zine.



- Make a **short artist profile** for our website.

This is a short bit of writing about you and your work.

If you don't want to write it yourself, a member of the Touretteshero team will help you.



To apply, you need to:

- Live in the **UK**

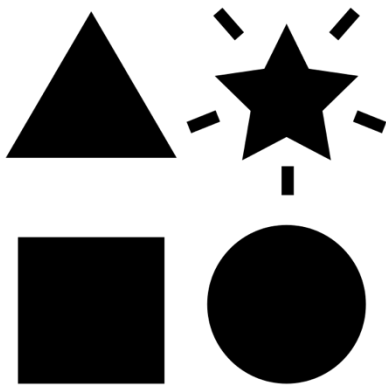
**14 - 26**

- be aged between **14 - 26**.

If you're 14 or 15, an **adult needs to support you** to apply.



- Identify as **disabled, chronically ill and/or neurodivergent**



We know that different people **understand disability in different ways.**

We have explained more about who this opportunity is for on the next page.

This opportunity is for young people who:



Are **disabled**

Are **neurodivergent**

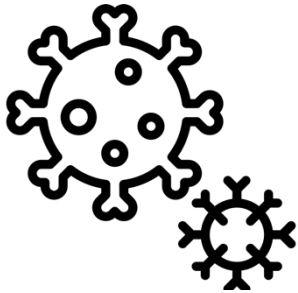
Are **chronically ill**

Are **deaf**

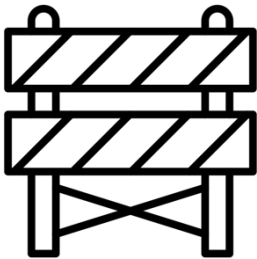
Have a **learning disability**



Have a **mental health condition**



Are at **higher risk from COVID-19** or other illnesses



Experience **barriers or challenges** in the world because of **how their body or mind works.**



You can apply via our [online form](#), or you can download our **application pack** which contains easy read and audio versions of the application information.



Please **do not** submit work for the zine yet. Only chosen artists will need to make new work for the zine.

**FEBRUARY**  
**14**

The deadline for all applications is **Friday, 14 February 2025 at 6pm.**

**6PM**



Please submit your applications to **Katie** at [solidarity@touretteshero.com](mailto:solidarity@touretteshero.com) or 07903 224 323.