

Calling all artists - The Great Big Art Exhibition



Museums and leading artists are inviting the British public to take part in what they hope will be the biggest art exhibition ever mounted.

The Great Big Art Exhibition is being launched by Sir Antony Gormley, who is asking people to make an artwork at home and put in their window or garden. He has suggested animals as the theme for the first two weeks of The Great Big Art Exhibition. "We want to let the inner animal out," he said. "People will find their inner animal... it could be a whale or a dinosaur".

The Angel of the North sculptor said the ambition was to create a country-wide show of imagination and optimism, inspired by the rainbow images people made to celebrate the NHS and keyworkers during the first lockdown.

Details of how to take part, including a free activity pack, are available from arts organisation [FirstSite](#).