



Young Rembrandts

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**Young Rembrandts Named in Top 500 Franchises in the United States**

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Elgin, IL, January 14, 2012 -- Young Rembrandts, the nation's top ranked art enrichment program, has been named one of the top 500 franchises in the United States, ranking No. 287 in Entrepreneur Magazine's Franchise 500®, No. 55 in Low Cost franchises and No. 87 in Top Home-Based Franchises. The rankings for all 500 companies are determined using an exclusive formula that takes into account objective and quantifiable factors. The most important factors include financial strength and stability, growth rate and size of the system.

"We are always excited to see Young Rembrandts in Entrepreneur's Top 500 and we are honored to be at No. 287 this year. Young Rembrandts has shown consistent growth in franchise sales and unit economics," says Bette Fetter, Founder and CEO. "Parents will always invest in their children and our customers really value the academic advantage their kids get by participating in Young Rembrandts."

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**About Young Rembrandts:**

Based in Chicago, Young Rembrandts offers drawing classes as an afterschool program to children ages 3 ½ -12 years. Young Rembrandts is an acclaimed, step-by-step drawing method that works hand-in-hand with our original, innovative art curriculum developed by a team of educators and artists. Our tiered lesson plans and multisensory approach to learning meet every child at their unique ability level. Our volume of curriculum is designed so a child can be enrolled from pre-school to sixth grade and never repeat a lesson. This allows our students to continually build skills and develop their personal style and creativity.

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