

**Artisan Alliance at Wishing Spring Scholarship Application 2024**

$1,000.00 per semester paid directly to the school's financial aid office (up to 8 semesters or until graduation, whichever comes first) with established continued eligibility.

**ELIGIBILITY:**

1. Be a current high school senior in Northwest, AR (Public, Private or Home Schooled) or NWA college freshman entering College in the fall of 2024 as a declared a major in the fine or applied arts with a current GPA of at least 2.65. Application for Scholarship due May 3, 2024.

2. Applicants must attend an in-person interview and display and discuss some of their creative works. We are asking if these creative works can be delivered to the reviewing board prior to their interview. This interview will be held at the Wishing Spring Gallery, 8862 W. McNelly Road, Bentonville, AR 72712 (479) 273-1798 on May 20,2024. A board made up of Artisan Alliance members will choose the current years scholarship recipients from those students interviewed.

**Once chosen, to maintain eligibility, Scholarship students will be expected to meet the following conditions during the next four years.**
Continue attending College full time maintaining a 2.65 or better GPA majoring in the field of art. As proof of this, students agree after each semester to arrange for an official transcript, as well as an upcoming course schedule, to be sent to the current Scholarship Administrator within 6 weeks of semester's end. Failure to do so could lead to the loss of any future scholarship money.

Attend a Artisan Alliance meeting yearly to share your art experiences with Alliance members. If unable to attend, a zoom meeting can be arranged or a representative (friend or family) may speak on your behalf. This event is usually held during the summer. You will be informed of the date well in advance.

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All information asked for must be supplied to qualify... if any addition space is needed students can add extra sheets to the application.

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Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Student Current Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Current School: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Average GPA: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

College you plan on attending with complete address, phone number, email and website address (and current student ID # if known)

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Extra Curricular Activities (offices held, awards, honors, memberships organizations in and/or out of school, jobs held, hobbies, etc.)

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Names and Email Addresses of three personal references (include 1 teacher):

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Contact Information for Parent(s) or Guardian:

Name(s) and relationship:

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Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

ATTACH A TYPE WRITTEN LETTER to this application explaining why you are interested in art and where you hope to be in five years from now. It doesn’t have to be long, but should be at least 200 words. Write from your soul and your writing will say much about you! Could you also provide a current student transcript.

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I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, the information given is accurate and complete. I understand that, if awarded, this scholarship is contingent on my continued course of study in creative/fine arts. If I change my major to another major, become a part time student, drop below a 2.65 GPA, fail to provide proof of grades and/or college attendance records with major when required, or drop out of college altogether, I understand I will no longer be eligible for this scholarship and any monies not already dispersed under this scholarship will be forfeit.

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Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Please submit completed application by May 3 to:

Cathy Chanin
AAWS Scholarship
67 Skipton Drive

Bella Vista, Arkansas 72714
479-295-5119

cathychanin10@hotmail.com

Or you may scan your completed application and send to the email above.

Feel free to call or email should you have any questions.

Thank you,

Cathy Chanin

479-295-5119

