James A. Michener Art Museum Academic Year Scholarship Application

The Robert V. Nesi Art Scholarship
The Holly Berry Memorial Scholarship Endowment
The Volunteer Scholarship for Arts Education
Doris Weiss Education Gallery Endowment
Anonymous Donor

Thank you for your interest in applying for a school year (fall, winter, spring) art class scholarship at the James A. Michener Art Museum. Summer camp will have a separate application.

The James A. Michener Art Museum offers need-based scholarships for youth art classes and summer camps to families in the community with a demonstrated financial need.

Pending the availability of sufficient funds, the scholarship is good for one school-year’s cycle of classes (fall, winter, spring sessions), as well as a one year household membership to the Museum.

Application:
In order for applications to be considered, the following materials must be completed and returned to Andrea Thompson by August 15 (for fall classes) or December 1 (for winter/spring classes):
- Student & Parent/Guardian/Caregiver Information
- Household Information
- Medical & Emergency Contact Information
- Sponsor Recommendation Form

Items can be submitted separately, but will only be reviewed after we have received all of the above components. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

For Further Information:
Please contact Andrea Thompson at 215.340.9800 x115 or athompson@michenerartmuseum.org

Awards:
The James A. Michener Art Museum’s need-based scholarships are awarded only to families with a demonstrated financial need. The Department of Arts Education will review all applications with due diligence before awarding scholarships. The Museum may request additional information from applicants prior to finalizing awards. The Museum reserves the right to revoke scholarships at any time for any reason. Submission of scholarship application does not guarantee an award or placement in a class.

Please mail the completed application to:
Andrea Thompson
Scholarship Program
James A. Michener Art Museum
138 South Pine Street
Doylestown, PA 18901

DO NOT WRITE IN BOX. OFFICE USE ONLY.
Child Name: __________________________
Scholarship Awarded: Y  N
Course(s): __________________________

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**Student Information:** To be completed by parent/guardian/caregiver. Please print. If applying for a scholarship for more than one child, please fill out this form individually for each child.

Today's Date: ______________

Child's Name: __________________________________________________________

Age: _______ Grade: ________ School: ________________________________

Child's Home Address: ______________________________________________________

City: __________________________________ State: __________ Zip: __________

Has the student ever participated in James A. Michener Art Museum Programs?

   Yes     No

Has the student above received a James A. Michener Art Museum Scholarship previously?

   Yes     No

I need my child to attend: AM    or    PM    classes. (Circle one)

   NO PREFERENCE

**Parent/Guardian/Caregiver Information:**

(1) Name: ____________________________________________________________

Address (if different from student’s address above):

______________________________________________________________________

Cell Phone: ___________________________ Home Phone: _______________________

Email: ________________________________

(2) Name: ____________________________________________________________

Address (if different from student’s address above):

______________________________________________________________________

Cell Phone: ___________________________ Home Phone: _______________________

Email: ________________________________

Name of Person Completing Form (if different from above):

_____________________________________________________________________

Phone: ___________________________ Email: ___________________________
**Household Information**: To be completed by parent/guardian/caregiver. Please print.

Total Annual Household Income (circle one)

- $0-$10,000
- $10,000-$20,000
- $20,001-$30,000
- $30,001-$40,000

If above $40,001, please indicate amount: ________________________________

How many people depend on this income? ________________________________

Please address below any circumstances that you feel influence your current financial situation.

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**Parent/ Guardian Acknowledgment of Scholarship Application Terms**

By signing below I certify that the information submitted in this form is correct at the time of the application. I also acknowledge that submission of this form does not guarantee a scholarship award or placement in a class for the student being applied for and that scholarships awarded have no financial value to the awardee or their relations or guardians. The James A. Michener Art Museum retains the right to cancel a scholarship at any time for any reason. I acknowledge that this Application is not complete without the accompanying referral letter.

______________________________________________  _______________________
Signature                                      Date

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Medical & Emergency Contact Information: We will need this information in the event of an emergency. If applying for a scholarship for more than one child, please fill out this form individually for each child.

Child’s Name: ____________________________ Age: ______________

Medications: __________________________________________________________

Medical Conditions/Allergies: ____________________________________________

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Unique Learning Styles/Needs: __________________________________________

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Is the child’s tetanus shot up to date?:   Yes    No

Health Insurance Carrier: ________________________________________________

Name of Policy Holder: _________________________________________________

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Emergency Contact Name: ______________________________________________

Relationship to child: _________________________________________________

Phone Number: ____________________________ Email: ______________________

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Name person other than parent transporting child: __________________________

Phone: ____________________________ Relationship: ________________________
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**Sponsor Recommendation Form:** To be completed by a non-related school principal, teacher, counselor, youth program director, youth services director, community leader, or other program sponsor who can attest to your financial need. If applying for a scholarship for more than one child, please fill out this form individually for each child. If you are a parent/guardian/caregiver, please forward this page to the sponsor. **Sponsors should submit their recommendation form directly to:**

Andrea Thompson  
Scholarship Program  
James A. Michener Art Museum  
138 South Pine Street  
Doylestown, PA 18901

Student Name: _____________________________ Grade Level: ____________

Sponsor Name: ____________________________________________________________

Relationship to Student: __________________________________________________

Organization Address: ___________________________________________________

Sponsor Telephone: _______________ Sponsor Email: _________________________

I am pleased to recommend the above child for a scholarship to attend art class at the James A. Michener Art Museum because s/he does not have the financial means to participate without assistance (use additional space as necessary). S/he is deserving of this award because:

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