



west hartford art league

37 Buena Vista Rd, West Hartford, CT 06107

JOHN FORD CHILDRENS ART SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Scholarships are available for youth art classes from the John Ford Memorial Fund. John Ford was a local artist who taught art at Maine Endwell Jr. High School in Binghamton, NY and at Renbrook School for thirty-six years. John's passion for art influenced his students, some of whom chose art as a career.

Scholarships will be granted for classes in our fall, winter, spring and summer sessions based on need and income documentation. The scholarship will cover a portion of class and materials cost. Preference will be given to new applicants who have not previously received funding. Individuals may apply for up to two scholarships per academic year (fall, winter spring, summer), however in an effort to reach as many students as possible, an applicant may not apply for two scholarships during the same session. Non-members may apply, however if a non-member is awarded a scholarship and then wishes to apply for a subsequent scholarship, the applicant must first become a WHAL member. A completed application for a scholarship must be submitted to the WHAL office at least two weeks before the first class meeting.

To apply:

Please fill out the form below, and send it with a copy of your most recent family household tax return to: The West Hartford Art League 37 Buena Vista Rd. West Hartford, CT 06107.

Student Information:

Name: _____

Name of parent or guardian: _____

Street Address: _____

Town: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Course Desired: _____

Required Financial Information:

Please fill out the section below and attach a copy of your most recent family household tax return.

Have you ever received a scholarship from the West Hartford Art League? _____

Date of previous scholarship _____

Number of people in household (including yourself) _____

Total household income _____

Written Statement:

On a separate page, write a statement, one page or less, that explains why study in the arts is important to you and provide any additional information concerning financial need that would be helpful to the review committee. Please enclose this form, with your written statement and financial documents and send to the West Hartford Art League with your class registration. Early registration is encouraged as classes may fill up.