



## Art Scholarship 2018

To reward and promote strong potential and talent in visual art, a \$1000 scholarship will be awarded to either a first year or a continuing student who demonstrates a strong commitment to further developing his/her artistic talent. To receive this award, the scholar must enroll in college in the fall following the offer of the award.

**APPLICATION DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 28, 2018**

### ELIGIBILITY

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Student must meet the following requirements:

- Candidate must be a graduating senior from a Carbon County, Montana high school or a college student who graduated from a Carbon County, Montana high school
- Candidate desires or is pursuing a degree that will lead to an art-related career
- Candidate must meet the minimum overall grade point average requirement (at least a 2.5 GPA on a 4.0 scale)

### MATERIALS TO ACCOMPANY APPLICATION

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Student must provide the following materials:

- **OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT:** A copy of an official transcript for each school attended
- **LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION:** Three written recommendations from person not related to applicant but familiar with student's work. One must be from candidate's current or most recent art teacher.
- **PORTFOLIO:** On CD, provide 5-10 images of recent work with accompanying descriptions (see next bullet point). The images should demonstrate artistic talent and technical development. The portfolio should include a variety of two-dimensional or three-dimensional works but should emphasize the candidate's strength in a specific medium, especially drawing, painting, sculpture, ceramics, or photography.
- **DESCRIPTIONS:** Candidates must also submit an accompanying sheet listing the title of each work, the date completed, medium, and dimensions of the work.
- **ESSAY:** A typed 500-word statement expressing career goals and personal commitment to the pursuit of a degree in an art-related field **OR** a typed 500-word statement on why art is important to you and vision of yourself as an artist.
- **APPLICATION FORM:** **Signed application form and accompanying materials must be complete and turned in to the Guild no later than 5 pm on February 28, 2018.**
- **INTERVIEW:** A personal or telephone interview may be required.

### SELECTION

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A committee will select a candidate based on the merits of all works submitted by the **FEBRUARY 28, 2018** deadline.

Selection will be based on:

1. Committee's opinions concerning talent and potential for success
2. Letters of reference
3. Scholastic achievement based on high school/college transcripts and, if applicable, college grade point average
4. Candidate's personal statement

### NOTIFICATION

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The winning candidate will be notified by April 15<sup>th</sup> in the form of a letter.

# Carbon County Arts Guild & Depot Gallery Art Scholarship Application

Please Print or Type, Use Dark Ink

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last (Family or Surname) \_\_\_\_\_ First \_\_\_\_\_ Middle \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Numbers and Email Address

Home Phone w/area code \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone w/area code \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_  
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Current Address \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address \_\_\_\_\_

Classification

High School \_\_\_\_\_ Undergraduate \_\_\_\_\_ Graduate \_\_\_\_\_

Check one if undergraduate: First Year \_\_\_\_\_ Sophomore \_\_\_\_\_ Junior \_\_\_\_\_ Senior \_\_\_\_\_

Degree Information: Please check one

Art History \_\_\_\_\_ Visual Communications \_\_\_\_\_ Media Arts \_\_\_\_\_ Studio \_\_\_\_\_ Art Therapy \_\_\_\_\_  
(Graphic Design) (Photo, Film, Video) (Sculpture, Painting, Printmaking, Drawing, etc)

Name of High School/College \_\_\_\_\_

Please List All Special Art Awards or Shows/Exhibits \_\_\_\_\_

Intended College:

Intended Course of Study:

I have enclosed the required scholarship materials listed on page one with this application. I understand that I may not be considered for scholarship if I have omitted any of the material(s). This application is valid with the signature and date of the applicant.

Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_