

ART SCHOLAR PROGRAM for 2020

Attached you will find an application for the Central California Art Association & Mistlin Gallery (Youth at Risk) Art Scholar Program for 2020, our 29th year. These classes are offered to students who will benefit as part of the community outreach programs at CCAA. This program is funded through grants, donations and individual contributions. Thankfully we are able to continue the Art Scholar Program again this year.

“Prolong Expression,” is a video in which students speak about their experiences in the Art Scholar Program, produced by film maker, John Fandl and team from the Building Imagination Center: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fvSJqYFyq7Q>

Teachers, counselors, and referring agencies:

Please recommend students who are “at risk” and in danger of falling between the cracks, economically disadvantaged or in need of direction to help them make a difference in their lives. The students that you recommend are **expected to make a commitment to attend all sessions and to participate fully in the program.** We ask that you discuss with prospective applicants the level of commitment required in this program. Because of limited space we want to ensure that all those accepted will take full advantage of the opportunity. **In addition to participating in all 11 sessions, students will be expected to present and prepare an exhibition of their work, which will be accompanied by a formal reception.** Teaching artists who have an excellent rapport with youth will facilitate the classes. There will be eleven classes plus an exhibit and reception. Students will be supplied with materials for the 11 week coursework. In addition, fully participating students will be given a parting gift of materials for continuing with their art practice on their own.

Deadline to submit recommendations: January 15, 2020

2020 Class Sessions, Thursdays, 3:30 pm - 6:00 pm:

February 6, 13, 20, 27

March 5, 12, 19, 26 (absence during spring break is excused)

April 2, 9, 16

Exhibit and Reception April 23, 2020

This year, students may optionally participate in the Stanislaus Artist Open Studio tour weekend on April 25-26 between 11-5. More information on this will be given in class.

We can validate parking for up to four hours at the 11th and K Street City Parking Garage.

Please submit the Recommendation Application and Student Application to:

Attention: CCAA Art Scholar Program

1015 J Street

Modesto, CA 95354

If there are any questions concerning the Art Scholar Program, please contact Linda Knoll, email class.ccaa@gmail.com or phone 209-247-2626.



Teacher / Counselor Recommendation Application

Art Scholar Classes will be held on 11 Thursdays from 3:30 pm - 6:00 pm, Feb. 6 through April 16 and an exhibit and reception on April 23, 2020. The program is for students junior high age, (minimum age of 12 years) through high school age students, no exceptions. Please check that all student recommendations and applications are complete and readable. Thank you!

APPLICATION DEADLINE: JANUARY 30, 2020

Student Name: _____ Age _____

Parent or Guardian Name: _____

Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

School or Referring Agency: _____

Address: _____

Name of referring teacher or counselor:

Phone number: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Specifically, what is the student's attitude towards art? _____

What is the student's previous art experience? _____

How do you think the student will benefit? _____

What is the student's attendance profile? _____

If selected for the Art Scholar Program, will the student be able to make a commitment to attend each of the 11 sessions?

Selection and acceptance for the Art Scholar Program requires that the student attend all class sessions and has transportation to the Mistlin Gallery at 1015 J Street, where the classes are held. This form AND the Student Application is to be completely filled out and returned by January 30, 2020 to CCAA Art Scholar Program, 1015 J Street, Modesto, CA 95354.

Student Application

This form is to be complete by the recommended student and returned to the referring teacher or counselor. Art Scholar Classes will be held on Thursdays from 3:30 pm - 6:00 pm, February 6 - April 16 and an exhibit and reception on April 23, 2020. The program is for students junior high age, (minimum age of 12 years) through high school age students, no exceptions. Please check that all student recommendations and applications are complete. Thank you!

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Parent or Guardian Name: _____

Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

School or Referring Agency: _____

Address: _____

Name of referring teacher or counselor:

Phone number: _____ Cell Phone: _____

How do you feel about art? _____

What is your previous art experience? _____

What do you expect from this class? _____

How is your school attendance? _____

If selected for the Art Scholar Program, will you be able to make a commitment to attend each of the 11 sessions?

Student Signature _____

Selection and acceptance for the Art Scholar Program requires that you attend all class sessions and have transportation to the Mistlin Gallery at 1015 J Street, where the classes are held. This form is to be completely filled out and returned to your teacher or counselor by January 24, 2020.

Art Scholar Class Information For Recommended Students

You were recommended to the Art Scholar Program at the Central California Art Association (CCAA) and Mistlin Gallery. It is a series of art classes to teach you more about art and is an opportunity for you to learn how an artist works. It is an 11 week course of art classes plus a final show of work that was completed in the classes. The purpose of this program is to give deserving students the opportunity to learn to work like an artist and learn how to present their art work in a professional setting. Materials and other costs are paid for through donations from individuals and local organizations.

Acceptance into this program **requires a commitment to attend and participate in all 11 sessions of the Art Scholar Program on Thursdays from 3:30 to 6:00 p.m. on Feb. 6, 13, 20, 27, March 5, 12, 19, 26, April 2, 9, 16 and the exhibit and reception on April 23, 2020.** Your family, friends, teachers, counselors, CCAA's Board of Directors, association members, donors and patrons are invited to see your work.

This year, students may optionally participate in the **Stanislaus Artist Open Studio** tour weekend on **April 25-26**. More information on this event will be presented in class.

This year's classes will be facilitated by Susan Rossmann, Jamie Hedstrom and Rosemarie Sturgill, all accomplished artists and teachers for CCAA. Guest artists may also participate as teachers of specific projects.

You will be responsible to attend all sessions and to get to the gallery. The Central California Art Association and Mistlin Gallery is located at 1015 J Street, downtown Modesto, phone number 529-3369. It is suggested that your family give you transportation, car pool with other students or use the Modesto Area Express bus system. The CCAA & Mistlin Gallery can validate up to four hours of free parking at the 11th & K Street City Garage.

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