

ILLINOIS HEARTLAND DECOARTIVE PAINTERS

Education Scholarship Information



Teacher and Student Information:

The Illinois Heartland Decorative Artists, a local chapter affiliated with the National Society of Decorative Painters, has established a \$1000 scholarship for a graduating senior who will attend an **accredited art program** following high school graduation. This money will be provided directly to the college they will be attending for tuition and fees in two installments, one installment each semester of their freshman year. Talent, desire, and need will all be considered. Communication skills in the essay paragraph are appreciated, but will not influence the judges since the search is for artistic talent. IHDA will also award \$250 to the winning student's high school Art Departments to be used by the Art teacher to purchase supplies and equipment to further Art Educations.

The student will need to complete the following sections:

- I - Student and High School Information
- II - Academic Record (see below)
- III - College Choices
- IV - Art Awards Won
- V - Essay
- VI - Description of Art Work in Photos as well as sign the form.

For Academic Record:

We ask that the student then give the application to their school administrators so section II (Academic Record), can be completed and signed by the appropriate individual. In addition, **a letter of recommendation** for each student applying for the scholarship is also required. Without this letter of recommendation, the application will be considered incomplete and ineligible to compete for the scholarship.

You are encouraged to include 6 to 10 photos of artwork which has been completed within the past four years. Photos should include examples of various art media. These photos along with the application are the student's voice to the selection committee.

**** NO SLIDES OR CD'S ARE ACCEPTED ****

SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS:

\$1,000 for the 2016-2017 college school years.

\$250 is awarded to the winning student's High School Art Department to help further Art Education.

Any questions please e-mail: IHDA.EDUCATION@GMAIL.COM - or - phone: 217-390-4192

Please mail the application form by April 5, 2016 to: Penne Beckett, IHDA Education Chairman
803 Fairview Avenue
Urbana, Illinois, 61801-1627

Thank you,

Penne Beckett, IHDA Education Chairman

ILLINOIS HEARTLAND DECORATIVE ARTISTS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

*****Application must be postmarked by: April 10, 2017**



Section I: Student & School Information

Student Name: _____

Home Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ E-Mail: _____

Field of Art interest:

School: _____ Phone: _____ E-Mail: _____

School Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Art Instructor: _____

Section II: Academic Record

(To be completed by the Art Instructor, Counselor, or Principal.)

The student's academic standing is approximately _____ in a class of _____.

The student's C.P.A. is _____ out of _____.

Signature of Instructor, Counselor, or Principal: _____ Date: _____

Title: _____

Section II: College Choices:

School Names:

Have you been accepted?

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Section IV: List Art Awards Won
