

Teacher and Student Information

The Illinois Heartland Decorative Artists (IHDA), has established a \$500 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 the fall semester of their freshman year. IHDA will also award \$125 of art supplies to the student's high school Art Department to further Art Education.

The student will need to complete sections:

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

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.

Students 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 CDs ACCEPTED ****

Any questions? Email IHDA.Scholarship@gmail.com

IHDA Education Chairman

ILLINOIS HEARTLAND DECORATIVE ARTISTS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
MUST BE POSTMARKED BY MARCH 9, 2024

Send to: Kim Wayne
604 S Church
Gibson City, IL 60936

Section I: Student & School Information

Student _____

Home Address _____ Phone Number _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email: _____

Field of Art Interest _____

High School _____

School Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Art Instructor _____

Section II: Academic Record

To be completed by art instructor, counselor, or principal:

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

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

Signature of instructor, counselor, or principle

Date

Title

Section III: College Choices

SCHOOL NAME

HAVE YOU BEEN ACCEPTED

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Section IV: ART AWARDS WON

Section V: Essay

Write a short paragraph describing your particular art interest and ambitions. **Your plans for college must be included.** [If additional space is necessary attach a separate sheet.]

Section VI: Description of Art Work in Photos

Category	Description	Dimensions
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		
5.		
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9.		
10.		

I understand that if I receive the award I must submit a statement of activities of approximately 50 words upon completion of the school year.

Signature of Applicant

The Illinois Heartland Decorative Artists, will not be responsible for any occurrence other than the payment of the scholarship monies to the institution of the recipient's choice for the 2024-2025 school year to be used for the tuition and fees.