



MEMORIAL ENDOWMENT ART EDUCATOR SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Up to two \$1,500 scholarships may be awarded.

The MAEA is prepared to offer up to two sponsor two Art Education Scholarships to a Junior or Senior college student who is enrolled in an art education program in the State of Michigan. These scholarships are intended to aid students who are seriously pursuing a career and course of study to become art educators. The MAEA believes this program will benefit the arts in Michigan. Any student demonstrating a commitment to art education who wishes to continue as a full time student at an accredited Michigan college or university is urged to apply. The scholarships will be awarded based on the quality and presentation of artwork, references, and personal narrative submitted. All awards will be made without regard to race, gender, sexual orientation, religion, or national origin.

This is an endowed scholarship fund so availability of funds may vary from year to year.

Eligibility

1. A Resident of the State of Michigan.
2. Junior or Senior status or a Bachelors Degree in Art or Art Education working toward certification in Art Education in the fall of the following year.
3. Admitted to an accredited Education Dept. at a Michigan college or university.
4. An overall GPA of at least 3.0.
5. You must be a member of MAEA *for three months prior to applying for this scholarship.*
6. **NOTE:** Due to the nature of the scholarships, the amount will be about \$1,500.00 each.

Applications should be sent to:

*Wendy Sample, MAEA Scholarship Chair
22055 Tenny St., Dearborn, MI 48124
For information call: 313-278-7429*

Application

Must include the following:

1. A cover sheet with all contact information.
2. A brief reflective statement written by the student about pre-student teaching experiences.
3. A portfolio of 10 original works of art submitted on a CD or flash drive. Provide the following information for each image: student's name, size of work and medium.
4. Two letters of recommendation from art or art education professors/ instructors verifying the student's commitment and eligibility.
5. One to three page personal narratives stating your philosophy of art education, how you would implement your philosophy and how the scholarship would assist you.
6. An official copy of the student's transcript sent directly to the Michigan Art Education Association. C/O Scholarship Chair.

DEADLINE: Must be postmarked by midnight April 30. Notification of the award will be in June and given for the following year. Recognition and scholarship check will be presented at the MAEA Fall Conference.