

WORCESTER COUNTY ARTS COUNCIL, INC.
ARTS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION GUIDELINES

- The Worcester Arts Council will award up to five scholarships of \$1,000.00 each, to the qualified students during the 2009-2010 school year.
- The Scholarship must be used for enrollment in an accredited college program for a degree in the arts. Scholarship moneys are limited to be used only for tuition and fees.
- The applicant must be a legal resident of Worcester County.
- The applicant must be graduating from high school in May 2010, or enrolled in an art program at an undergraduate level.
- Applications must be submitted to: Worcester County Arts Council,
6B Jefferson Street,
Berlin, MD 21811

Application deadline is April 1, 2010, 2 pm.

No late or incomplete entries will be accepted.

- Applications must be typed or word processed. Those handwritten will not be accepted.
- Please be sure to complete the entire application form and ensure all accompanying materials are enclosed prior to mailing.
- Applications must be accompanied by two (2) **sealed letters of recommendation from teachers, artists or professionals** who are familiar with the applicant's work. Applications must also include an academic transcript (photocopies may be submitted).

Applicants should submit one of the following:

- Visual Arts - (8 - 10) slides, DVD, or power point (IBM format) of their visual art; all slides must be numbered and an arrow indicating which way is up.
- Music - CD of their musical accomplishments; at least one solo piece provided.
- Dance and Theatre - a DVD of performance provided

- Applications will be reviewed by the Arts Council Scholarship Committee and applicants will be notified of the Scholarship decision in early **May, 2010**. Applicants should be available for an interview if requested.
- A certificate of the award will be presented by a WCAC Board Member at the senior award ceremony. Checks will be forwarded to the college or university when that information is provided by the scholarship winner.
- Winners are required to attend the WCAC annual meeting/picnic on Sunday, June 6, 2010 from 3 – 5 pm. at the WCAC location on 6 Jefferson Street.

Revised: January 10, 2009.