



FINE ARTS SCHOLARSHIP

Sponsored by Clinton Fine Arts Association

This application and all required materials due to CFAA by: **April 1, 2018**

A \$500 Scholarship will be awarded. Scholarship can be used towards tuition, books, or supplies.

The purpose of this scholarship is to reward deserving graduating seniors in the city of Clinton for their participation in and contribution to the arts and its many activities and events.

Applicants will be judged on:

- * Level of involvement
- * Quality of essay response or portfolio
- * Level of involvement in other school and community activities
- * Academic performance
- * Career aspirations

ELIGIBILITY:

- ! Applicant must have participated in fine arts activities in high school.
- ! Applicant must have a minimum 3.0 GPA.
- ! Applicant must be a Clinton High, Prince of Peace, or homeschooled senior residing in Clinton, **graduating in the 2017-18 academic year.**
- ! Applicant must plan to pursue a degree at an accredited two or four-year institution. That degree need not be in fine arts.
- ! Preference given to children of CFAA members. Contact Ben Logan at ben.logan@rocketmail.com for membership information (**paid membership for 2017-18 academic year**).

REQUIREMENTS:

- ! Application **must** be filled out in full and all required materials submitted.
- ! Applicant **must** provide two (2) letters of recommendation from a non-family source: one from an administrator, fine-arts teacher, or counselor; and one letter from someone in the community.
- ! Applicant **must** provide high school transcript.
- ! Applicant **must provide one of the following:** write a 300-500 word essay on the topic "How the arts have impacted my life" or provide a portfolio of personal creations or a five minute performance video.
- ! Applicant **must** have a minimum of 25 volunteer hours during senior year.
- ! Applicant **must** show proof of acceptance at an accredited education institution before scholarship can be paid.
- ! **Completed application and materials must be returned to the CFAA, PO Box 633, Clinton, IA 52733 no later than April 1, 2018.**
- ! Late applications will not be considered.

APPLICANT INFORMATION:

Applicant Name: _____

Date of Graduation: _____

Applicant Address: _____

Home Phone: _____

Applicant Cell Phone: _____

Applicant Email: _____

GPA: _____

Parent/Guardian Name and Relation to Applicant: _____

College/University Planning to Attend and Address: _____

Major(s) Planning to Pursue: _____ Minor(s)/Other: _____

Please provide student ID number and address for college Financial Aid Office: _____

Please list your participation in high school fine arts. Indicate academic year and leadership position held and awards/honors received. *Attach additional pages as needed -- label them clearly and present in an organized format.*

Other:

SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT:

Please list your participation in the following areas.

Attach additional pages as needed -- label them clearly and present in an organized format.

List other groups, activities, teams, clubs with which you are involved. Indicate leadership positions held and awards/honors received.

List community activities in which you are involved. Indicate leadership positions held and awards/honors received.

We state that all information submitted here is truthful and accurate, and that, if awarded a Clinton Fine Arts Association scholarship award, we will abide by all conditions stated above.

Printed name of applicant

Signature of applicant

Date

Printed name of parent/legal guardian

Signature of parent/legal guardian

Date