

# Young Artist Grant - 2023

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## *Region 2 Arts Council*

### ***ELIGIBILITY CERTIFICATION***

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***Please read the statements below carefully.*** They will help you figure out if your project is eligible for funding. Each statement should be "True" for you, and your project, to be eligible. If any of the statements below are false, you or your project are probably ineligible for funding from this grant. Please email (staff@r2arts.org) or call (**Voice:** 218-751-5447 or 1-800-275-5447 **Text:** 218-407-2507) the R2AC office to discuss eligibility questions if you are unsure if you are eligible.

**Important:** Typing your name as an electronic signature verifies that you are in compliance with all eligibility criteria and holds you legally responsible for any false or fraudulent information contained in your application.

#### **Citizenship & Residency Requirements\***

I am a U.S. citizen or I have obtained permanent resident status in the U.S. and I have lived in one of the following Minnesota counties: Beltrami, Clearwater, Hubbard, Lake of the Woods, or Mahnomen for at least 1 year prior to submitting this application.

##### **Choices**

True  
False

#### **Address Confirmation\***

I have a physical address located in one of the following Minnesota counties: Beltrami, Clearwater, Hubbard, Lake of the Woods or Mahnomen and will retain that address and remain a resident there throughout the grant period. (**Note:** Individuals that relocate outside of our service area during the grant period will be asked to return all grant funds received.)

##### **Choices**

True  
False

#### **Relocation\***

I do not intend to use Young Artist Grant funds to relocate my legal address outside the geographic boundaries of Beltrami, Clearwater, Hubbard, Lake of the Woods or Mahnomen Counties or outside the state of Minnesota.

##### **Choices**

True  
False

**Grade Level\***

I am currently an 8th-12th grade student attending either a public/charter/private school, enrolled in a PSEO program, or home-schooled.

**Choices**

True  
False

**Arts Focus\***

I have a strong interest and a history of engagement in the arts, and I am either self-trained or formally trained in my chosen arts discipline.

**Choices**

True  
False

**Proposed Arts Experience\***

My proposed arts experience is in Music, Literary Arts, Visual Arts, Artisan Craft, Film/Media Arts, or Performing Arts.

**Choices**

True  
False

**Proposed Activity to occur within the State of Minnesota\***

My proposed arts experience will occur within the state of Minnesota.

**Choices**

True  
False

**Past Young Artist Grant Awards\***

I am not a two-time recipient of a Region 2 Arts Council Young Artist Grant.

**Choices**

True  
False

**Unfinished Projects\***

My proposed Young Artist grant activity is not the same as a previously Young Artist grant-funded activity, which has either not been completed or for which the final report deadline is being extended.

**Choices**

True  
False

**Requests for Funding After the Fact\***

This request is not intended to cover funding deficiencies in an arts experience that has already been completed or to cover purchases, lessons, or arts experiences that have occurred prior to the earliest start date indicated on this grant application.

**Choices**

True  
False

**Already Funded by R2AC\***

I am not currently receiving funding from a different R2AC grant award, or seeking to use funding from more than one R2AC grant for the proposed lessons or arts experience.

**Choices**

True  
False

**Family Member Conflict of Interest\***

My parent/guardian or a member of my immediate family is not a current member of the Anishinaabe Arts Initiative Council, the R2AC board, or staff. (*Immediate family is defined as: spouse, domestic partner, parent, child, child's spouse, brother, brother's spouse, sister, or sister's spouse*)

**Choices**

True  
False

**Arts Activity Conflict of Interest\***

I am not the immediate family member of my selected arts mentor/instructor or an immediate family member of an individual who will financially benefit from my participation or attendance at an arts camp, class or workshop.

**Choices**

True  
False

**Past contractual Agreement with R2AC\***

I am not in violation of any past contractual agreement with R2AC, such as an overdue final report from a previous Young Artist grant.

**Choices**

True  
False

**Terminated Grant Contracts/Agreements\***

I have not failed to return grant funds to R2AC after having any R2AC grant contracts/agreements terminated or funding revoked.

**Choices**

True  
False

### Objectionable Content\*

My proposed arts experience or any performance or show that is related to the proposed arts experience is not one that will promote use of illegal substances, violence and/or racism or contain content that is pornographic. (*Please note it is at the board's discretion to deem an activity objectionable*)

#### Choices

True  
False

### Proselytizing\*

My proposed arts experience or any performance or show related to the proposed arts experience is not intended to proselytize a belief and will not involve the religious socialization of audience members, myself, or other participants.

#### Choices

True  
False

### Attempt to Influence State or Federal Legislation or Appropriation\*

I will not attempt to influence any state or federal legislation or appropriation through activity related to my proposed arts experience.

#### Choices

True  
False

### Fundraising\*

I will not attempt to raise funds for any organization, charity, or cause through activity related to my proposed arts experience.

#### Choices

True  
False

### Academic Credit\*

The proposed arts activity is not seeking funding for classes, workshops or projects resulting in academic credit or tuition for academic coursework.

#### Choices

True  
False

### Starting before grant review or start date\*

The proposed arts experience will not be started prior to the grant review. The earliest possible start date for granted activity is April 10, 2023.

**Choices**

True  
False

**Mandatory Completion Date\***

The proposed arts experience will be completed by April 10, 2024.

**Choices**

True  
False

Type in your name as an electronic signature. Your Parent/Guardian also needs to type in their signature. Note that both your typed names constitute legal signatures and signify that you and your parent/guardian are in agreement with the following statement:

"We certify that we are in compliance with all the eligibility criteria stated above and understand that we are responsible for complying with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, rules, regulations, and ordinances in relation to the use of Young Artist Grant funds. All information provided in this application is, to the best of our knowledge, true and factual and we have not plagiarized another artist's work or otherwise knowingly misrepresented ourselves in any way within this application, as described in the R2AC Plagiarism Policy."

**Signature\***

*Character Limit: 250*

**Signature of Parent/Guardian\***

*Character Limit: 100*

**Parent(s)/Guardian Name(s)\***

*Character Limit: 250*

**Parent/Guardian Email Address\***

*Character Limit: 250*

**Second Parent/Guardian Email (optional)**

*Character Limit: 250*

**Parent/Guardian Phone Number\***

*Character Limit: 250*

**Second Parent/Guardian Phone Number (optional)**

*Character Limit: 250*

**Primary Parent/Guardian Address\***

*Character Limit: 500*