

THE ALLIANCE FOR YOUNG ARTISTS & WRITERS PRESENTS

2012
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PROGRAM

Apply for visual arts & creative writing scholarships



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Writers**

ASAP Awards

Spend your Summer Making Art or Writing

The Alliance for Young Artists & Writers presents the ASAP Awards, sponsored by the Alliance and the Jack Kent Cooke Foundation. The ASAP Awards provide scholarships for students in grades 7 – 11 to attend summer intensive art and writing programs with high quality, college-prep level instruction by creative professionals.

Examples of pre-college and Summer camp classes

Fashion Design
Digital Media
Playwriting
Drawing
Painting

Creative Writing
Journalism
Photography
Portfolio Prep
Graphic Design

Memoir Writing
Film
Animation
Poetry
Welding

Filmmaking
Ceramics
Glassblowing
Sculpture
Architecture



Students who are selected for the ASAP Awards will receive scholarships up to \$2,500 to be applied to summer tuition costs and supplies. Students and their families may be responsible for payment of additional costs (i.e. transportation, housing, meals, etc.).

Eligibility for ASAP Awards

- Students must be enrolled in grades 7 – 11.
- Students must have earned a Gold Key (for either art or writing) in The Scholastic Art & Writing Awards of 2011 or 2012.
- Students must come from a low-income household (under \$40,000/year for a family of four). Other extenuating factors will be considered including family size, recent job loss, military families, local cost of living and other hardships.

**"I never had to hold back who I was or what I wanted to create.
The teachers were all very passionate and inspiring."**

**— Halley, 15, ASAP Award Recipient,
attended SVA Pre-College Program**

Young Scholars

A Unique Scholarship Opportunity for Seventh Graders

The Jack Kent Cooke Young Scholars Program is designed to nurture exceptional students who have demonstrated the potential to excel and financial need. Students apply in 7th grade enter the program in 8th grade and continue through high school. Approximately 50 7th grade students are selected each year. To learn more about and apply for the Jack Kent Cooke Young Scholars Program, visit: www.jkcf.org.

Application Checklist

Deadline: February 28, 2012

All applications should contain:

- Your Gold Key award-winning art/writing, and complete answers to all questions in the written part of the application.
- One recent example of your best art/writing.
- A work in progress. For artists, include any notes, sketches, or photographs used in planning the work. For writers, include pre-writing activities, early drafts, or revisions.
- A digital photo of yourself.

For Submitting Art:

Complete the online application and upload your work, or submit works as JPEG files on CD-Rom. Make sure the JPEG files are set at 300 dpi. **DO NOT SUBMIT ACTUAL ARTWORK.** Please make sure that your name appears on the CD-Rom.

For Submitting Writing:

Complete the online application and upload your work, or submit works as printed manuscripts. Type in 12 pt. Times New Roman, double-spaced. Please make sure that your name appears on the top of each page of your manuscript.

If you are submitting a printed application, mail it in a way you can track (ie, address confirmation, certified) to:

Alliance for Young Artists & Writers
ASAP Awards
557 Broadway
New York, NY 10012

Questions?

Contact: John Sigmund at 212-343-6415
Lisa Feitel at 212-343-7800
or ASAP@artandwriting.org



Application Form

STUDENT INFORMATION

Student Name: _____ Email (Required): _____

Home Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Telephone: _____ Age: _____ Current Grade (Circle): 7 8 9 10 11

Current School Name: _____

Grade Point Average (Required): _____

Did you receive a Gold Key in 2011 2012

Have you previously applied for an ASAP Award? (Circle) Yes No In what year? _____

Were you placed in a program? (Circle) Yes No

If yes, please list dates, name and location: _____

Have you ever attended a summer program on your own for art or writing? (circle) Yes No

If yes, please list dates, name, and location of programs here: _____

PARENT SECTION

Parent/Guardian Name: _____ Occupation: _____ Email: _____

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My family Household income: less than \$40,000 per year. more than \$40,000 per year. Household size

Proof of income attached: copy of tax return W2 other

REFERENCES

1) Teacher/ Instructor: _____ School/ Organization: _____

Phone Number: _____ Cell Phone: _____ Email: _____

2) Family Member: _____ Relationship to Student: _____

Phone Number: _____ Cell Phone: _____ Email: _____

Student Application

You may answer the questions in the space provided below or on a separate sheet. Please write legibly or type your answers.

1) Describe your approach to making art/writing. What inspired you to create the three works included in your process portfolio?

2) What kinds of art/writing classes would you like to take if you are selected for a summer scholarship? For example, you may want to take a journalism class as a writer or a fashion design class as an artist.

3) We've included a list of summer programs with this application. Are there any programs listed here or others that interest you?

4) How would you feel about attending a summer program outside of your hometown? Would you prefer to take a class locally?

Parent/Guardian Application

You may answer the questions in the space provided below or on a separate sheet. Please write legibly or type your answers.

1) Please describe why your child would benefit from a summer art or writing program.

2) If your child is going to participate in an ASAP program, he or she needs to possess a certain level of independence, maturity and enthusiasm. Please comment on your child's readiness in these areas.

3) Would you allow your child to travel out of your area to attend a residential ASAP program?

4) Please list dates during the summer months (June—August) when your child is available to attend a 2012 ASAP Program.

ASAP Awards Summer Programs

SPEND YOUR SUMMER MAKING ART OR WRITING

Summer is the perfect time to jump into the arts and expand your creativity! The programs below build on your passion for the arts by developing skills, unveiling new forms and ideas, and introducing you to other teenagers as excited about the arts as you are.

The Alliance partners with this list of summer and precollege programs to present the ASAP Awards. Students must apply and earn an ASAP Award from the Alliance to qualify for a scholarship. To apply, visit www.artandwriting.org/ASAP. With questions, contact ASAP@artandwriting.org or call 212-343-7800. Past years' programs included:

CALIFORNIA

California College of the Arts Pre-College Program

San Francisco & Oakland, CA

Contact info: ce@cca.edu

510.594.3638

Grades 10 – 12

[Art & Writing](#)

Idyllwild Summer Arts Program

Idyllwild, CA

Contact info: dianed@idyllwildarts.org

951.659.2171 x2365

Grades 7 – 12

[Art & Writing](#)

Innerspark

Sacramento, CA

Contact info: rjaffe@innerspark.us

916.274.5815

Grades 7 – 12

[Art & Writing](#)

Los Angeles County Museum of Art

Los Angeles, CA

Contact Info: pesquival@lacma.org

323.857.6000

Grades 7 – 12

[Art](#)

Otis College of Art & Design Summer of Art

Los Angeles, CA

Contact info: soa@otis.edu

310.665.6864

Grades 10 – 12

[Art](#)

San Francisco Art Institute Precollege Program

San Francisco, CA

Contact info: precollege@sfa.edu

415.749.4554

Grades 11 – 12

[Art](#)

COLORADO

Marie Walsh Sharpe Foundation Summer Seminars

Colorado Springs, CO

Contact info: office@sharpeartfdn.org

800.232.2789

Grades 7 – 12

[Art](#)

Rocky Mountain College of Art & Design Precollege Program

Denver, CO

Contact info: www.rmcd.edu

800.232.2789

Grades 10 – 12

[Art](#)

CONNECTICUT

Bucks Rock Camp

New Milford, CT

Contact info: info@bucksrockcamp.com

860.354.5030

Grades 7 – 11

[Art & Writing](#)

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

American University Discover the World of Communication

Washington, D.C.

Contact info: audiscover@gmail.com

202.885.2098

Grades 9 – 12

[Art & Writing](#)

Writopia Lab D.C.

Washington D.C.

Contact info: kathy@writopia.org

202.629.9510

Grades 9 – 12

[Writing](#)

ILLINOIS

Chicago Area Writing Project

Chicago, IL

Contact info: bkato@iuc.edu

312-355-4445

Grades 7 – 8

[Writing](#)

School of the Art Institute of Chicago Precollege Program

Chicago, IL

Contact Info: ecp@saic.edu

312.629.6170

Grades 10 – 12

[Art](#)

INDIANA

Indiana University Summer Journalism Institute

Bloomington, IN

Contact info: <http://journalism.indiana.edu/programs/hsji/>

812.855.9822

Grades 9 – 12

[Writing](#)

IOWA

Belin Blank Center for Gifted Education and Talent Development

Iowa City, IA

Contact info: rienne-laureijs@uiowa.edu

800.336.6463

Grade Level: Grades 9 – 12

[Art & Writing](#)

Iowa Young Writers Studio

Iowa City, IA

Contact Info: iyws@uiowa.edu

319.335.4209

Grades 11 – 12

[Writing](#)

MAINE

Maine Media Workshops Young Artists Program

Rockport, ME

Contact Info: info@mainemedia.edu

877.577.7700

Grades 10 – 12

[Art](#)

MARYLAND

Maryland Institute College of Art Pre-College

Baltimore, MD

Contact info: precollege@mica.edu

410.669.9200

Grades 11 – 12

[Art](#)

MASSACHUSETTS

Explorations at Wellesley College

Norwood, MA

Contact info: www.explo.org

781.762.7400

Grades 8 – 9

[Art & Writing](#)

Juniper Summer Writing Institute

Amherst, MA

Contact info: juniperyoungartists@hfa.umass.edu

413.545.5503

Grades 9 – 12

[Writing](#)

Massachusetts College of Art & Design Precollege

Boston, MA

Contact info: ce@massart.edu

617.879.7200

Grades 10 – 12

[Art](#)

School of the Museum of Fine Arts Pre-College Program

Boston, MA

Contact info: precollege@smfa.edu

617.369.3636

Grades 11 – 12

[Art](#)

MICHIGAN

College for Creative Studies Precollege Program

Detroit, MI

Contact Info: cce@collegeforcreativestudies.edu

313.664.1530

Grades 7 – 12

[Art](#)

Cranbrook Summer Art Insitute

Bloomfield Hills, MI

Contact info: cschneider@cranbrook.edu

248.207.8562

Grades 7 – 12

[Art & Writing](#)

Interlochen Summer Arts Camp

Interlochen, MI

Contact info: admission@interlochen.org

231.276.7472

Grades 7 – 12

[Art & Writing](#)

MINNESOTA

Minneapolis College of Art & Design Summer Expressions Pre-College Program

Minneapolis, MN

Contact info: continuing_studies@mcad.edu

612.874.3765

Grades 9 – 12

[Art](#)

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Chester College of New England Precollege Programs

Chester, NH

Contact info: mhayes@chester.edu

603.887.4401

Grades 11 – 12

[Art & Writing](#)

NEW JERSEY

Montclair Art Museum Yard School of Art

Montclair, NJ

Contact info: khutson@montclairartmuseum.edu

973.259.5159

Grades 7 – 12

[Art](#)

NEW YORK

92nd Street Y Art School

New York, NY

Contact info: www.92Y.org/shop/classes

212.415.5562

Grades 7 – 12

[Art](#)

Columbia University Precollege Program

New York, NY

Contact info: www.ce.columbia.edu/hs

212.854.9666

Grades 9 – 12

[Writing](#)

Educational Alliance Art School

New York, NY

Contact info: artschool@edalliance.org

646.395.4237

Grades 7 – 12

[Art](#)

International Center of Photography Teen Academy

New York, NY

Contact info: teen_academy@icp.org

212.857.0061

Grades 9 – 12

[Art](#)

NYU Steinhardt All-Access Visionary Studio

New York, NY

Contact info: cjb203@nyu.edu

212.998.5705

Grades 11 – 12

[Art](#)

NYU Tisch Summer High School

New York, NY

Contact info: specialprograms.tisch.nyu.edu

212.998.1500

Grades 11 – 12

[Art](#)

Parsons New School for Design Pre-College Academy

New York, NY

Contact info: academy@newschool.edu

212.229.8925

Grades 7 – 12

[Art](#)

School of Visual Arts Pre-College Program

New York, NY

Contact info: ce@sva.edu

212.592.2000

Grades 9 – 12

[Art](#)

Summer Live at FIT

New York, NY

Contact info: PrecollegePrograms@FITNYC.edu

212-217-4630

Grades 7 – 12

[Art](#)

Writopia Lab NY

New York, NY

Contact info: rebecca@writopialab.org

212.222.4088

Grades 7 – 12

[Writing](#)

Writopia Lab Westchester

Mount Kisco, NY

Contact info: lena.roy@writopialab.org

212.222.4088

Grades 7 – 12

[Writing](#)

OHIO

Denison University Reynolds Writing Program

Granville, OH

Contact info: reynolds.denison.edu

740.587.5751

Grades 10 – 12

[Writing](#)

Kenyon Review Young Writers' Workshop

Gambier, OH

Contact info: kenyonreview@kenyon.edu

740.427.5208

Grades 11 – 12

[Writing](#)

PENNSYLVANIA

Camp Woodward Digital Media Program

Woodward, PA

Contact info: office@campwoodward.com

814.349.5633

Grades 7 – 12

[Art](#)

Carnegie Mellon Pre-College Program

Pittsburgh, PA

Contact info: precollege@andrew.cmu.edu

412.268.2082

Grades 11 – 12

[Art](#)

Manchester Craftsmen's Guild

Pittsburgh, PA

Contact info: <http://mcgyouthandarts.org/summer>

412.322.1773

Grades 7-12

[Art](#)

Moore College of Art Precollege

Philadelphia, PA

Contact info: SADI@moore.edu

215.965.4030

Grades 10 – 12

[Art](#)

Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts Pre-College Program

Philadelphia, PA

Contact info: continuinged@pafa.edu

215.972.7632 OR 7625

Grades 9 – 12

[Art](#)

University of the Arts Pre-College Program

Philadelphia, PA

Contact info: precollege@uarts.edu

215.717.6430

Grades 9 – 12

[Art](#)

Western Pennsylvania Writers Workshop

Pittsburgh, PA

Contact info: wpwp@pitt.edu

412.624.6557

Grades 7-12

[Writing](#)

VERMONT

Putney School Summer Programs

Putney, VT

Contact info: summer@putneyschool.org

802.387.6216

Grades 9 – 11

[Art & Writing](#)

VIRGINIA

University of Virginia Young Writers' Workshop

Charlottesville, VA

Contact info: writers@virginia.edu

434.924.0836

Grades 9 – 12

[Writing](#)

WISCONSIN

Milwaukee Institute of Art & Design Precollege

Milwaukee, WI

Contact info: outreach@miad.edu

414.847.3330

Grades 11 – 12

[Art](#)