

NEWTOWN CULTURAL ARTS COMMISSION (NCAC) ANNOUNCES SCHOLARSHIP AWARD FOR 2017



The Newtown Cultural Arts Commission will provide three, \$1,000 awards to assist three deserving students in acquiring a higher education in an arts-related field of study.

ELIGIBILITY: The scholarship recipient must be a graduating senior, Newtown resident, and entering a four-year college or university or two-year community college. *(The student must be majoring or minoring in an arts related field. If you have a question about a specific field, please speak to Mrs. Latowicki).*

Note: Children of NCAC members are NOT eligible.

DEADLINE: March 22, 2017. The complete application must be postmarked or hand delivered to Mrs. Latowicki, Newtown High School Career Center. Incomplete, late, or emailed submissions will not be considered. Private school students please see below.

AWARD ANNOUNCEMENT: The awards will be announced at the Newtown High School 2017 Awards Night, May 31st, or by letter to private/parochial school students.

DISTRIBUTION OF AWARD: The winning students will receive: \$1,000 each to be paid after May 31, 2017, a press release about the award, and will be announced on the Newtown Cultural Arts Commission's website.

HOW TO APPLY: All applications and supporting documents must be postmarked or hand delivered to Mrs. Latowicki in the Newtown High School Career Center (for Newtown High School students) or to the Municipal Center (for Private/Parochial students) by March 22nd. All applications and supporting documents must be submitted in an envelope no larger than 10"x13". The Career Center **will not** download emailed applications or supporting documents.

- Complete the NCAC Scholarship Application Form
- Submit a copy of academic transcript
- Submit one or more example(s) of artistic work (completed in past year). We **do not** accept original artistic work. Please submit CD's or copies.
- Submit a written recommendation from a teacher, mentor, or advisor
- Include a cover letter which states:
 - How art has been meaningful in your life
 - Your career goals
- Be interviewed if requested
- Submit application no later than March 22, 2017 to:
 - **Newtown High School Students:**
Newtown High School, Attn: Mrs. Latowicki – Career Center
12 Berkshire Road, Sandy Hook, CT 06482
 - **Private/Parochial High School Students:**
Newtown Cultural Arts Commission, Scholarship Awards Committee, Municipal Center
3 Primrose Street, Newtown, CT 06470

**NEWTOWN CULTURAL ARTS COMMISSION (NCAC)
2017 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**



This is a word document. Please download, fill in using additional sheets if necessary, print and sign. Typed responses are preferred.

Applicant Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

Father/Guardian Name: _____

Mother/Guardian Name: _____

Present School: _____

Awards/Honors received: _____

Internships, Volunteer Work, Employment, or other Extracurricular Activities: _____

Intended College/University: _____

Intended Major/Minor: _____

I have read and understand all requirements for this scholarship and verify all information is true.

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: _____