

SCA YOUTH ARTIST MICROGRANT 2021 Application Form



South Coast Artists, Inc. is a non-profit community-based arts organization that hosts the summertime SCA Open Studios Tour in the towns of Dartmouth and Westport, Massachusetts; and Tiverton and Little Compton, Rhode Island. As part of our ongoing educational mission, a micro-grant program was established in 2014 in memory of Poole Barker. Poole was a young, exhibiting member of SCA, she came from a family of artists and creators, and was a dedicated artist in her own right. A few years after her death, funds were given to SCA to develop a microgrant program to help other young artists with their creative pursuits. We hope that Poole’s spirit of creativity, joy and exploration will live on in these grants.

SCA micro-grants are designed to encourage emerging young artists to explore their field of interest by helping cover costs of art materials and supplies, art related travel, training, classes, apprenticeships, or other expenses toward the completion of a creative project or goal.

We invite current high school students in the towns of Dartmouth and Westport, Massachusetts; and Tiverton and Little Compton, Rhode Island to apply for a micro grant in the amount of \$500. Interested youth must complete the form below including a description of their proposed art project or activity, and how the grant would support the project. A recommendation from a nonfamily member is required.

Applicants should carefully study the application requirements in the 2021 grant FAQ sheet (available on the website) to be certain they meet all the requirements. Applications may be submitted between June 1, 2021 and October 1, 2021. No applications will be accepted after October 1.

Grant recipients will be required to document their projects with a minimum of 4 photos as well as a written statement one page or more, summarizing their completed project experience; and must agree to allow photos to be used by SCA to publicize the results to its membership and communities. **Applicants will be notified on or about December 5, 2021.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION:

Last Name	First	M.I.	Date
Street Address	Apartment/Unit #		
City	State	ZIP	
Phone	E-mail Address		
Please title your project:			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Check box at left to confirm that you have read the FAQ sheet and your application complies with all requirements		

TEACHER OR MENTOR INFORMATION (MAY NOT BE A FAMILY MEMBER):

Mentor Name	Relationship
Email	Phone

PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

Please use a separate page to describe your proposed project or activity and how the funds would be used to support this goal.

PARENTAL CONSENT:

As Parent or Guardian of _____ I agree to allow South Coast Artists, Inc. to use photos of the above SCA Micro-Grant applicant on its website, in emails to membership, in press releases and other marketing, to help publicize the South Coast Artists Open Studios Tour and the educational component of its mission. **Print name:** _____ **Signature:** _____

APPLICATION DUE DATE:

Please complete and return this form, with your project description, and recommendation form by **October 1, 2021**.

SEND TO: YOUTHGRANTS@SOUTHCOASTARTISTS.ORG

Applicant Name:

Project Description (please type):