



Rutherford County Visual Artists Guild

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2023 LINDA McGREGOR Art Scholarship Application Instructions

The Linda McGregor \$1,000 art scholarship is intended for a student who resides in Rutherford County who will pursue a degree in art or art education at the college level.

The scholarship is restricted to the visual arts and does not fund theater, dance, or literary arts. The application judge will be Dr. Mark Packer, Professor of Art History at USC Upstate.

Entries will be judged on merit rather than on need. Entries should show both technical skill and originality of vision. Entries based on photographs not taken by the artist are discouraged.

Applications are **due June 15, 2023 before 3 p.m.** Decisions will be announced by June 30, 2023.

Applications may be mailed to RCVAG, P.O. Box 2015, Rutherfordton, NC 28139 or dropped off at the Visual Arts Center, 160 N. Main Street, Rutherfordton.

If you have questions, email them to rcvartg@gmail.com with "art scholarship" in the subject line.

Application Attachments Required

___ The qualifications letter signed by your high school art teacher. If you are home schooled, your art mentor should sign.

___ A copy of your college acceptance letter.

___ A digital portfolio on disk of high quality photographs of 6 to 10 pieces of your work.

Please edit photographs so that vertical orientation is consistent throughout portfolio. Saving images to a PowerPoint program is also acceptable.

___ The completed application form.



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**LINDA McGREGOR Art Scholarship Qualification
From Art Teacher**

Name _____ has been a student
in my art classes for ___ years.

I believe that _____ sincerely plans to study art at the
college level and deserves consideration for the Arts Scholarship offered by the
Rutherford County Visual Artists Guild.

Signature _____ Date _____

(Printed name) _____

High School _____

Note:

If you are not teaching in the Rutherford County school system, please indicate your
qualifications and your relationship to the student's art education.



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Please print. Last Name _____ First Name _____

Address _____

City _____ NC, Zip Code _____

Telephone _____ email _____

High School _____ Are you male? ___ female? ___ Age? ___

College you will attend _____ Art Interest _____

Name of parent(s) or guardian (for press release): _____

Describe your art education so far:

What is your art career goal?

(Continue application on the next page.)

Why do you want to be an artist?

Select one piece of art from the portfolio you are submitting and tell us why you created it and what you like about it.

How will you spend the scholarship money?

The Rutherford County Visual Artists Guild has my permission to use my photograph and photographs of my art in press releases and on the Guild website and FB page in announcement of the scholarship winner. yes no

Signed: _____ Date: _____