



BURSARY APPLICATION PACKAGE

Finances should never prevent a child from participating in the arts. As a non-profit organization, Arts Umbrella is committed to making our programs accessible. The Arts Umbrella Bursary Fund is based on financial need and allows students to register in tuition-based programs at a reduced rate.

Step One: Confirm your Eligibility

Arts Umbrella uses the Canada Student Grant Eligibility thresholds based on your previous year's gross annual family income to determine low and median income thresholds. If your family qualifies as a low or middle income family, you may be eligible for a full or partial bursary:

| Family Size | Low | Middle |
|-------------|----------|-----------|
| 1 | \$32,102 | \$63,615 |
| 2 | \$45,399 | \$89,004 |
| 3 | \$55,602 | \$106,278 |
| 4 | \$64,204 | \$117,021 |
| 5 | \$71,782 | \$126,929 |
| 6 | \$78,634 | \$136,326 |
| 7+ | \$84,933 | \$144,457 |

Step Two: Confirm your Deadline

| If your Program starts in: | The deadline to apply for a bursary is: |
|----------------------------|---|
| Fall | August 1 st , 2023 |
| Winter | December 1 st , 2023 |
| Spring Break | February 1 st , 2024 |
| Spring | March 1 st , 2024 |
| Summer Camp | June 1 st , 2024 |

Unfortunately, application received after the deadline can not be considered. All applicants will be contacted within two weeks of the application deadline.

Step Three: Complete your Application

The following documents MUST be included in your application package in order to be considered.

- This Form, completed.
- Proof of income for all adult members in your household. (e.g. most recent notice of assessment)
Note: Students under the age of 22 must provide all parent/guardian financial information regardless of parent/guardian residency.
- Optional: a letter to support your application where proof of income may not reflect current circumstance.

Student Name: _____ Gross Family Income: _____

Country of Citizenship: _____ Student SIN, ITN or Foreign Tax ID: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ Prov/State: _____ Postal Zip Code: _____

Country: _____ Email: _____

Parent/Guardian Name (1): _____ Gross Income: _____

Parent/Guardian Name (2): _____ Gross Income: _____

of persons in household: _____

Which AU Program are you registered in? *Note: If you are not registered, please contact Student Services to reserve your spot while your bursary application is processed.*

Session: _____ Program/Class: _____

AU General Liability: As a parent/guardian of a minor ("the Student") or as a student 19 years or older (also "the Student"), who will be participating in an Arts Umbrella program ("the Program"), I have read and understood the information regarding the Program. I acknowledge that Arts Umbrella is not responsible for students before or after their class(es).

Yes No initial _____

Participant: In consideration of the Student's participation in the program, I hereby release and discharge Arts Umbrella Association ("the Organization"), and its representatives, successors, and assigns, from any and all liability arising from accident, injury, and illness that the Student may suffer as a result of the Student's participation in this activity. I will ensure the Student follows the rules and regulations set by the Organization and above named parties.

Yes No initial _____

Privacy: Arts Umbrella gathers and maintains personal information for the purposes of program registration and communication about Arts Umbrella activities. Activities include advising you of fundraising initiatives, programs, services, special events, open houses, exhibits and/or performances. Arts Umbrella respects your privacy. Any information you provide to Arts Umbrella will be used and stored in compliance with British Columbia's Personal Information and Protection Act (PIPA). Arts Umbrella will not disclose your information without your consent and does not rent, sell or trade personal data about you to third parties.

Yes No initial _____

Tax ID: Awards of \$500+ per calendar year will be issued an Other Income Slip (T4A or T4A-NR) in compliance with Canada Revenue Agency requirements. Recipients are required to provide ONE OF: Social Insurance Number (SIN) or Individual Tax Number (ITN).

To apply for a SIN <https://www.canada.ca/en/revenue-agency/services/tax/international-non-residents-tax/in-outside-canada/apply-individual-tax-number.html>

To apply for a ITN <https://www.canada.ca/en/revenue-agency/services/tax/international-non-residents-tax/in-outside-canada/apply-individual-tax-number.html>

Yes No initial _____

I certify that the information given is true and accurate.

Signature of Parent/Guardian or Participant (if 19 yrs or older): _____ Date: _____