

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

Hondo Art League's 2023 Scholarship Information/Student Application

(One \$1,000.00 scholarship will be awarded. Application packet postmark deadline: March 8, 2023)

To: COUNSELORS and ART teacher of Hondo high school.

Destaney McElroy, Dora Garcia, Julianna Monteiro - Hondo High School

From: Caren Alyfantis, Scholarship Chair, Hondo Art League (210-912-1850—please text if possible),
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In the past, you have been helpful in identifying and contacting senior students who show aptitude in the area of visual arts (paintings, drawings, sculpture, ceramics/clay, graphic arts, etc.). Hondo Art League is offering one \$1,000.00 scholarship in 2023, and we need your help in identifying the talented art students of Hondo High School. This year's 2023 scholarship is funded by Hondo Art League.

Because you know your seniors and their talents so well, would you give the scholarship information to students who qualify for the Hondo Art League Scholarship? Included in this attachment is the student application packet. **Please give this packet information to deserving students.**

- Students who wish to apply preferably, but not necessarily, have taken art in high school OR if no art class is available, show promise in some area of the visual arts.
- She/he must also have an overall g.p.a. of 2.5 or higher.
- Two letters of recommendation must be included in the student's application packet. He/She must be recommended by (1) his/her counselor and (2) one other teacher. The letters of recommendation should address, among other areas, the student's artistic talents. These letters of recommendation will assure us of the student's talent and character.
- Each applicant MUST present samplings of her/his art to the Scholarship Committee on Wednesday, April 5, 2023 between 10:00 a.m. and 1p.m. Each will come to the Hondo Art League at her/his convenience within those hours. Your help may be needed in getting the student(s) excused from normal classes during that time.

The application packet should be postmarked no later than Wednesday, March 8, 2023.. We are adhering strictly to these deadlines. Scholarship recipient will be notified by Wednesday, April 19, 2023.

Thank you, counselors and art teachers, for your help with this request...and for ALL you do for our students and the community!

**Hondo Art League Scholarship (\$1000.00)—One Scholarship Will Be Awarded
2023 Scholarship Application**

Scholarships sponsored this year by Hondo Art League, to continue to actively support our area students.

Student Initial Application (POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN Wednesday, March 8, 2023)

Name in Full (please print) _____

Your class rank: _____ Your G.P.A. _____

Student's mailing address: _____ City _____ Zip _____

Student's email address: _____

Phone number: _____

What college are you planning to attend? _____ Have you
been accepted to this college? _____

**(Scholarship funding will be sent to the registrar's office of your
college/university.)**

On a separate sheet, answer the following questions:

1. Talk about your interest in art, and include information on the art forms in which you are most talented.
2. Why are you deserving of this scholarship?
3. Do you plan to major in art... or take art-related courses in college? What courses?
4. Why will art always be important to you?
5. Describe some of the pieces of art which you consider are among your best work...some of which you will present to the scholarship committee on Wednesday, April 5, 2023, at a time convenient for you within those hours. You must show the committee 3-5 pieces of artwork.
6. Briefly list your volunteer work or examples of community service. If applicable, include any extracurricular artwork you have done for clubs, organizations, etc.

COMPLETING THE APPLICATION PACKET:

Postmarked by Wednesday, March 8, 2023:

- 1) Send the above completed student questionnaire.
- 2) From the counselor: a letter of reference/recommendation which shares counselor's knowledge of your academic and other achievements and your interest in art.
- 3) From the teacher of art (or another teacher who can speak to your artistic talent): a letter which recommends the student for one of the Medina County Art Scholarships.

- 4) Before a decision is made on recipient, you will bring samples of your art (3-5 pieces) to the Hondo Art League building on April 5, 2023 between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. and show your artwork to the HAL Scholarship Committee. You will share with the committee why you chose those pieces, share your art background, and tell the committee why you think you are deserving of the scholarship.

SEND THE APPLICATION PACKET TO:

Caren Alyfantis, Hondo Art League Scholarship Committee,
121 County Road 242, Hondo, TX 78861.

**Questions... Contact: calyfantis@yahoo.com or text @ 210-912-1850

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April 19, 2023.**