

Max A. and Clara E. Springer University of Arizona Arts Scholarship

The scholarship provides talented student artists at the University of Arizona with scholarship funding, academic and artistic mentoring, and opportunities for enhanced study, either nationally or internationally.

Scholarship Eligibility:

Applicants must:

- Be a U.S. citizen and legal resident of Arizona.
- Be a high school senior at time of application.
- Rank in the top 5 percent of their Arizona high school graduating class, OR attain a 3.25 GPA
- Be admitted to a program at The University of Arizona, College of Fine Arts

Renewing My Scholarship:

Scholarships are renewed contingent upon funding availability.

Student must have:

- Completed a minimum of 12 semester hours each semester.
- Maintained at least a cumulative 3.35 GPA.

Scholarship Amount:

The scholarship is \$5,000 per academic year for up to four years, payable to the University of Arizona. The number of scholarship awards is contingent upon funding availability.

Application Process:

Complete the following checklist. All documentation must be emailed to the following no later than **April 2, 2021**. In addition, applicants **must** email Lindsay Shekleton-Clark (linds@arizona.edu) confirming the successful delivery of your application.

Lindsay Shekleton-Clark
Recruitment Coordinator
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- Max A. and Clara E. Springer University of Arizona Arts Scholarship Application Form
- Two letters of recommendation from teachers or community professionals attesting to your artistic abilities and aspirations.
- Artistic portfolio in the visual, performing or media arts; history of arts; or arts education. Maximum of 5-7 examples of artistic work, each file no more than 1mb OR a web link to online portfolio.
- Original, 500 word-processed narrative essay.
- If available, SAT or ACT test scores taken no later than November of your senior year (this is not a mandatory requirement).
- Official high school transcript through seventh semester.

About the Scholarship:

With the goal of keeping Arizona's best and brightest artistic talent within the state's university system, The Max A. and Clara E. Springer University of Arizona Arts Scholarship provides financial assistance to Arizona's talented student artists. Scholarships may be awarded to all College of Fine Arts divisions: Schools of Art, Dance, Music and Theatre, Film & Television.

The scholarship fund was established by benefactors Max A. and Clara E. Springer, who emigrated from Germany in 1949. Sale of their Arizona farm created an endowment to fund scholarships to arts students at Arizona State University and the University of Arizona.

Tax deductible contributions to the Max A. and Clara E. Springer University of Arizona Arts Scholarship may be made to the Arizona Community Foundation.

Changing majors within arts disciplines the College of Fine Arts is permissible based on artistic ability as determined by the scholarship committee. ACF reserves the right to change the ACF Arts Scholars Program at anytime.

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