



IMPORTANT SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

Deadline for 2015 Scholarships

- Friday, February 20th, 2015. Late applications will not be accepted.
- The Sun Valley Center for the Arts will contact you once your application has been processed. If you do not hear from us, please contact Sarah Kolash.

Questions

For questions contact Sarah Kolash, Education Coordinator by phone at 208-726-9491 x 121 or by email skolash@sunvalleycenter.org

Judging

Applications are judged by a Scholarship Committee. Members of this committee change yearly and are an independent group. Please read the following suggestions from past committee members on how to best present you in an application:

- APPLICATIONS MUST BE TYPED.
- Be sure the application is complete and all directions are followed.
- Spend time on your essays and make sure that your interest is clearly expressed. Have a proposal focused toward definable goals. Don't be afraid to include whatever might give the jury a better sense of your qualifications, your commitment to the arts, or who you are.
- Be clear and specific about the use of the funds. Do research on classes available, summer programs and local resources.
- Proofread your application.
- Don't forget to follow up with your recommenders. Recommendations play a large role in the committee's assessment of each application. Did they send it? Did you remember to thank them?

Payments

- Checks will be mailed directly to the student's program or school.
- Students need to contact The Center upon receipt of scholarship notification to confirm which program or school they are attending and to provide a mailing address for the school's accounting office.

Reports

- Each scholarship recipient is required to submit a written report about what was learned. Videos, tapes, and images are also welcome as part of the report.
- Reports can be found on the Sun Valley Center for the Arts website www.sunvalleycenter.org.
- Reports for Ezra Pound and High School Arts and Humanities will be due on **September 7th, 2015**.
- Reports for Educators and Gay V Weake will be due on **Monday, January 11th, 2016**.
- Recipients who do not turn in a final report will no longer be eligible for future Center scholarships.