



Art Education Association of Indiana
2021 Higher Ed Student Scholarship – Deadline: September 15th

The AEAI Higher Ed Student Scholarship is intended for student members of AEAI who demonstrate dedication to and involvement in their chosen profession of art education. Several scholarships are awarded each year. The dollar amount of the actual award varies based on the number of awards given and the money generated for the fund. Individual scholarship awards range from \$400 to \$700.

The awardee(s) will be informed of their award(s) by email prior to the annual AEAI State Convention. It will be held **October 23-24, 2021** at **Guerin Catholic High School in Noblesville, IN**, where they will receive the award during the awards ceremony (**Saturday, October 24, 2020**).

The awardees are encouraged to attend the conference and help with the Student Raffle, which raises funds for the following year's scholarship.

MINIMUM APPLICANT REQUIREMENTS:

- Applicant must have been currently enrolled full time at a university as an art education major during the entire academic year. The student can be a graduating senior from this academic year or a junior going into their senior year.
- Applicant must be an active member of AEAI or a current student member of AEAI by **September 1, 2020**.

CRITERIA FOR JUDGING:

The application process is competitive, with the top 1-2 applications being selected using the following criteria:

1. Art education activities
2. GPA
3. Writing ability
4. Ability to create quality instructional plans in art education

REQUIRED APPLICATION ITEMS:

- 1) Completed Scholarship Application Form (below).**
- 2) Copy of current transcript**
- 3) Photocopy of current student ID and current NAEA/AEAI ID or ID number.**
- 4) Statement of Experience:** Please provide an essay describing a significant art education experience you have had, either as a pre-service teacher or as an observer. Explain the effect this experience had on you and how you believe it shaped the way you teach art. (word limit: 750 words)
- 5) Sample Art Education Lesson Plan or Unit Plan:** Please provide a unit of art instruction you have either taught or prepared for an art education class (limit of 20 pages not including the application form cover page below). Individual lesson plans or unit plans should include all resources used to teach the activity, such as multicultural/historical examples of artists' works, handouts, photos of student work, etc.

AS AND ATTACHEMENT, Please send all the above completed application items to the Brad Venable (Brad.Venable@indstate.edu) by **September 15, 2021. For large files, please use WeTransfer (<https://www.wetransfer.com/>).**



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Name:

Mailing Address:

Current Phone Number:

E-mail Address:

Name of University or College:

Art Education Faculty Advisor:

How many years have you been a member of AEAI?

Describe your participation in past AEAI events (conference, university chapter, workshop).

Describe your participation in other community organizations:

Application Deadline:

All application materials (limit 20 pages) and this cover page must be received digitally by **September 15, 2021** to AEAI Higher Education Representative **Brad.Venable@indstate.edu**.

Thank you,

Brad and Cindy

AEAI Higher Education Co-Representatives
Brad Venable, Indiana State University
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