

National Arts and Humanities Youth Program Awards Application Orientation Webinar

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Program Overview



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Who Wins & Why?



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How Does My Organization Benefit?

- National recognition & visibility
- Invitation to the awards ceremony at the White House with First Lady Michelle Obama
- \$10,000 grant



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Eligibility Criteria

1. Operate as a program for children and youth outside of the school day.
2. Use one or more disciplines of the arts or the humanities as the core content of its program.
3. Concentrate on children and youth who live in family and community circumstances that limit their opportunities.

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Eligibility Criteria (cont.)

4. Involve children and youth as active participants in the arts or humanities experience.
5. Provide participants with ongoing, regularly scheduled sessions.
6. Integrate arts or humanities education programs with youth development goals.

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Eligibility Criteria (cont.)

7. Have been operational since January 2010 for a minimum of five years.
8. Be a nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization.
9. Be in good standing if a federal grant recipient.

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Selection Criteria

1. Evidence of high quality programming.
2. Evidence that the experience provided is of sufficient intensity, consistency, and duration.
3. Evidence that the arts or humanities program registers children's learning through outcomes.

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Selection Criteria (cont.)

4. The program's focus is on fostering child and youth development.
5. The integration of support services.
6. Professional background of the educators working with the young people.
7. Organizational stability and commitment.

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Attachments & Other Materials

1. Resumes
2. Letters of recommendation
3. Photographs
4. Additional materials



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FAQ

1. What is meant by “outside of the school day” or “after-school”?
2. How is five years of operation calculated?
3. What should be done when more than one program is presented for consideration and some, but not all of them meet the criteria?
4. How are the humanities defined?

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FAQ (cont.)

5. What does “underserved” mean?
6. What is a child/youth development approach?
7. What is an ongoing experience?
8. I have received funding from NEA, NEH, and/or IMLS in the past (or I am in the process of applying for a grant); am I still eligible for a National Arts and Humanities Youth Program Award?

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Thank you.