# Southern Arizona Watercolor Guild (SAWG) Student Scholarship Application Requirements

### Who is eligible to apply?

- High school seniors and junior-college students who are planning to study or are currently studying fine arts are eligible to apply.
- From the greater Tucson area and Southeastern Arizona.
- Teachers and professors may recommend students for scholarships.

## What materials are required to apply?

- 1. A completed application form due by midnight on April 1, 2024.
  - Two samples (jpgs) of two-dimensional visual art from the following media: watercolor, acrylic, oil, graphite, pen and ink, pastel, colored pencils, collage, scratchboard, or mixed media (submitted through application form). Digitally enhanced will not be considered.
  - Contact information for two recommenders (recommenders will be contacted directly by the scholarship committee; submitted through application form).

#### What is the scholarship timeline?

Applications are due on April 1; recommendations are due on April 15. Scholarship winners are notified in late April and will be invited to attend the the annual Scholarship Reception in early May.

#### How do students apply?

<u>Visit our website</u> to locate information about application requirements, the application form itself, and view samples from past scholarship recipients.

All art submitted must be original. Artwork created from computer generated artwork, photographs, or artwork which is copyrighted will not be considered without permission from the artist/photographer. Artwork may be any genre including but not limited to portrait, landscape, nature, and wildlife, still life, abstract, and architecture. Your submitted application grants SAWG permission to use images for publicity. Judging criteria includes composition, technical skill, originality, handling of materials, and visual expression/impact.

Our goal is to support the next generation of artists. Please help us invest in tomorrow's creative talent by spreading the word about these awards.

Questions? Get in touch with us at <a href="mailto:sawgscholarship@gmail.com">sawgscholarship@gmail.com</a> – we look forward to hearing from you.

Warmly,

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