



In support of its educational mission to serve students who wish to pursue their passion for art, VMFA awards need-based financial aid as funding allows.

**Eligibility**

- Student is 3 months to 5 years of age.
- Student’s family demonstrates financial need.
- Student shows interest in art and would benefit from Early Childhood Education programs.

**Award Policy**

Scholarships will be awarded each semester. Early Childhood programs awards scholarships in packages of two classes. Requests for specific classes will be considered but cannot be guaranteed. Responses will be sent via email once your application has been processed.

The information you provide is confidential and used only for evaluation and program registration. All scholarship applications are due to VMFA for consideration two months in advance of the start of the requested class.

**Student Information**

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Email \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency Contact Number (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Please list any information, including special needs, that may help us provide your child with a successful class experience.

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**Family and Financial Need Information**

Number of children ages 17 and under in household \_\_\_\_\_ Number of adults aged 18 and up in household \_\_\_\_\_

Other than household income, please explain why you feel your child needs financial aid: \_\_\_\_\_

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Total Annual Household Income (check one)

- Under \$15,000     \$15,000–19,999     \$20,000–29,999     \$30,000–50,000     Over \$50,000

**Program Information**

- Visit [www.vmfa.museum/youth-studio/preschool-art-classes](http://www.vmfa.museum/youth-studio/preschool-art-classes) for full program listing.
- List class choices in order of preference according to Program, Class Code, Class, and Date (see example below).
- Note that classes are subject to availability and may be canceled if enrollment is low.

	Program	Class Code	Class	Date
	<i>Young @ Art</i>	<i>EY7</i>	<i>World Travelers</i>	<i>March 7</i>
1.				
2.				

Has this student enrolled in a VMFA class before?  Yes  No

Has this student previously received a scholarship from VMFA?  Yes  No

*If yes, please list:*

Class \_\_\_\_\_ Month/Year \_\_\_\_\_ Amount of scholarship \_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear about this scholarship opportunity? \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of parent or guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Send completed application to:**

Earlychildhood@vmfa.museum