

ArtStart Internship Criteria

Welcome to ArtStart's Internship Program for Teens! Now in its 15th year, the Internship program provides youth with real-world experience working side-by-side with teaching artists and young children ages 4 years to 12 years. Teens also have the opportunity to earn a stipend assisting staff and artists.

Note To Past Interns: If you have been an intern previously, you still must apply. Make sure to update your experience and achievements in the arts since your last application. Evaluation of your prior performance as an intern will be part of the selection criteria.

There are 16 internship positions available summer 2022. Please read the eligibility requirements carefully before applying to be an intern:

- You must be 13 years of age.
- You must have had prior experience in working with young children.
- You must be registered for Camp Create for full days – July 5-8, 2022.
- You must attend an interview with the selection committee comprised of the camp coordinator and the education director.
- You must attend the all-day Internship Training day on July 1, 2022 from 9:00-3:00 p.m. at Mount Zion, 1300 Summit Avenue, St. Paul.

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Internship Application

Personal Information-Part I

1. Your Full Name: _____ Age: _____

2. Address: _____

3. City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

4. Email: _____

5. Phone: H _____ C _____

6. Parent Name: _____

7. Phone: H _____ C _____

8. Summer dates available: (circle) July 11-15 July 18-22 Both weeks

9. Grade you are currently in: _____ School you attend: _____

10. References:

1. Name _____ 2. Name _____

1. Relationship _____ 2. Relationship _____

1. Phone _____ 2. Phone _____

Personal Narrative-Part II

On a separate piece of paper, please respond to the following statements in writing and attach it to your application.

1. Explain what you hope to get out of this internship.
2. Describe the experience(s) you have had working with children.
3. List 3 adjectives an adult might use to describe you.

4. List 3 adjectives that your friends might use to describe you.
5. Describe something memorable to you that you have done in the arts.
6. If you have been an intern before, please describe the impact this internship has had on you. What do you do differently because of it?

Please return your application to: ArtStart, 1459 St. Clair Avenue, St. Paul, MN 55105 or e-mail to carol@artstart.org.