

CONTINUING EDUCATION (CE) COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP
FALL 2026 APPLICATION

Completed applications must be received by SEPTEMBER 2, 2026.

CE Community Scholarships are designed for those without access to other resources to fund their CE studies.

- **Scholarships cover partial tuition only for one regular CE class or workshop for adults.** (*Special Programs such as Open Academy classes and studio rental/critique programs are not eligible for scholarship assistance.*)
- The remaining balance must be paid prior to the first class.
- Recipients are responsible for supplies required for their selected class. Course supply lists are available online (<https://pafa-ce.coursestorm.com>, attached to course descriptions) or available upon request.
- Scholarships may be transferred from one class to another in the event of a cancellation, but cannot be transferred from one semester to another.
- Scholarship awards may not be transferred from one individual to another.
- First-time applicants may receive priority for scholarship awards.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:

Be sure to review our complete application guidelines at <https://www.pafa.org/education/lifelong-learning/continuing-education/discounts>.

- ☐ Completed application form
- ☐ Personal statement (one page explaining your artistic background/interests, why you would like to attend CE classes at PAFA, and why you are requesting scholarship assistance)
- ☐ Letter of recommendation from teacher or mentor

SUBMIT *all application materials together* via EMAIL to continuinged@pafa.edu or MAIL to:

Continuing Education Programs
Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts
128 N. Broad St.
Philadelphia, PA 19102

Alternatively, applications may be dropped off in the CE office, 3rd Floor, Samuel M.V. Hamilton Bldg.

For questions, contact the Continuing Education Programs Office at **215-972-2029** or continuinged@pafa.edu.

Scholarship results will be announced by email by September 4. Scholarships require payment of the tuition balance prior to the first day of class to complete registration and confirm enrollment.

Please print legibly. All fields required, unless otherwise indicated.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Last Name _____ First Name _____ M.I. _____

Parent/Guardian Name(s) (*required only for students under age 18**) _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone Number _____

Email Address (*used for award notification*) _____

* Students must be at least 15 years old to participate in adult CE classes at PAFA. High school students and children ages 10 - 14 may check out PAFA's Youth and Teen Programs at www.pafa.org/education/center-for-art-education.

COURSE SELECTION

Scholarship assistance applies toward ONE class within the semester; see choices below if including second course selection.

I am applying for scholarship assistance toward the following CE course or workshop:

Course Title _____ Dates _____

Session/Day/Time _____ Instructor _____

Tuition (Including Lab/Mat/Model Fees, If Applicable) \$ _____

(Optional) Course Selection #2 (alternate option or shorter/lower-tuition selection, in case the first choice class is cancelled, unavailable, cannot be sufficiently covered by scholarship award):

Course Title _____ Dates _____

Session/Day/Time _____ Instructor _____

Tuition (Including Lab/Mat/Model Fees, If Applicable) \$ _____

REASON FOR SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

PAFA Continuing Education determines CE Community Scholarships awards based on number of applications and available funds. **Limited partial tuition assistance only is available at this time; not all requested amounts may be met.** Responses are confidential.

What is the gross annual income of your family? _____

How many people are in your household? _____

Reason for scholarship application (optional):

☐ Unemployment ☐ Limited/Fixed Income ☐ Student Loans ☐ Other Financial Hardship: _____

Approximately what amount toward your class tuition do you feel you could contribute? * _____

* Please note: Scholarship funding per semester varies. Maximum scholarship awards cannot exceed \$200 at this time. Art supplies are not included in tuition costs; please consider this expense when estimating the amount you can pay toward tuition. See course descriptions via <https://pafa-ce.coursestorm.com> to view supply lists.

AGREEMENT

I hereby state that all the information submitted in this application is true to the best of my knowledge. If I complete my enrollment for a CE course, I agree to abide by the policies and regulations set forth by Continuing Education Programs and the Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts. I have read and understand policies regarding payment deadlines, withdrawals and refunds. (Signature required.)

Applicant Printed Name

Applicant Signature

Date

For Office Use Course: _____

Tuition & Fees: \$ _____ Scholarship Award: \$ _____ Amount Due: \$ _____