



CONNECTICUT ART EDUCATION ASSOCIATION, INC.

MINI-GRANTS

CÆA PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT GRANT:

This Grant provides money to attend the NAEA convention as part of professional development.

The Connecticut Art Education Association recognizes that attendance at the annual Convention of the National Art Education Association (NAEA) is important to the professional growth of CÆA, thus furthering CÆA goals.

Funding: Monies will be allocated each year to encourage active and student members to submit proposals that indicate the educational benefits resulting from attendance. (\$200)

One half of the grant monies will be awarded prior to the convention; the balance of the grant monies will be awarded on the recipient's completion of all responsibilities (see below).

Criteria: No proposal will be considered unless submitted by a current member of the CÆA who has been a member for a minimum of two years. Member must also be current NAEA/CÆA member and pay conference registration fees.. After receiving a grant, a member remains ineligible for consideration for this grant for no less than three years.

Instructions for Submitting Proposals:

Complete Cover Sheet

Submit proposals by February 15th of current year and include:

- Letter from Principal, Department Chair, or Supervisor **OR** Letter from Art Educator Colleague
- This letter should include number of years employed at current position
- Proof of NAEA/CÆA Membership
- Brief essay indicating why you wish to attend the CÆA Conference (following year including what specific areas of art education you may wish to explore. Specific areas might include: Special Education, Assessment, Advanced Placement, Technology, Curriculum, Facilities, etc.

Recipients' Responsibilities:

- Recipients will be expected to bring their experience at the NAEA convention back to the local membership
- Recipient will write a brief account of their experience at the convention to be published in Vision's Magazine
- Recipients will give a presentation at the CÆA conference the following October. This presentation may be by a single presenter or as part of a panel presentation
- Recipient will submit all receipts from their trip for reimbursement no later than May 31st (amount not to exceed grant amount awarded)

CÆA Summer Workshop Grant

The Connecticut Art Education Association recognizes that art teachers have a strong, ongoing commitment to their practice as an artist and teacher. This grant was established to encourage art teachers to attend summer workshops to rejuvenate themselves as artists and enhance their skills as educators. A maximum of \$300.00 will be awarded to the grant recipient.

Criteria: No proposal will be considered unless submitted by a current NAEA/CÆA member who has been a member for a minimum of two years. After receiving a grant, a member remains ineligible for consideration for this grant for no less than two years.

Instructions for Submitting Proposals and Grants:

Complete Cover Sheet

Submit proposals by April 15th of current year and include:

- Letter of support from a Principal, Department Chair, Supervisor, or Art Educator Colleague.
- Proof of NAEA/CÆA Membership
- Brief essay indicating why you wish to attend this summer workshop.
- A flyer describing the summer workshop or the title of the program and contact information of the workshop coordinator.

Recipients' Responsibilities:

- Recipient will write a brief account of their experience to be published in Vision's Magazine.
- Recipient will submit to the CÆA Treasurer all receipts from their trip for reimbursement no later than the CÆA fall conference following the workshop (amount not to exceed grant amount awarded).
- Recipients will give a presentation at the CÆA fall conference the following October. This presentation may be by a single presenter or as part of a panel presentation.



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GRANT PROPOSAL FORM

COVER SHEET

Proposal Number _____
(For CÆ use only)

Name _____ Date _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Member Since: _____ Membership #: _____ (Include a copy of your membership card)

Telephone Number: Home – () _____ - _____ Work – () _____ - _____ Cell – () _____ - _____

E-Mail Address _____

Grant being applied for:

NAEA Conference Professional Development Grant

CÆA Summer Workshop Grant

Please check the required inclusions:

Personal Statement/Essay

Letter from Principal *OR* Letter from Supervisor *OR* Letter from Art Educator Colleague

Proof of CÆA/NAEA memberships

Mail to:

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Rotella Interdistrict Magnet School
380 Pierpont Road, Waterbury, CT 06705