

## Grant Programs of the West Virginia Commission on the Arts and the WV Division of Culture and History

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<b>EZ Arts Access</b>		<b>X</b>		April 1 for projects occurring July 1-June 30; Oct. 1 for projects Jan.1-June 30	Up to 50% of overall project costs, excluding administration costs; annual funding cap is \$3,000 per applicant	Designed to create easy access points in funding for small communities and organizations with small budgets.
<b>Mini Grants</b>		<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>	Six weeks prior to event start date	50% of artist fees & travel expenses up to \$1,000	Support for schools and organizations to present W.V. artists.
<b>Arts in Education School Based Projects</b>		<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>	<b>March 1</b>	50% of artist, consultant, or specialist fees and materials	For curriculum-based projects involving artists, teachers and students in the creative process in daily instruction.
<b>Arts in Education Out of School Time Projects</b>		<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>	<b>March 1</b>	50% of artist, consultant, or specialist fees and materials	For new and ongoing projects that establish, expand, or advance both school curriculum or arts education programming outside of school hours.
<b>Arts in Education Arts Exposure Projects</b>	<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>	<b>March 1</b>	50% of artist or company's contract fees	For professional arts exposure experiences for young people including limited contact time with students outside of the performance or demonstration.
<b>Professional Development</b>	<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>		<b>February 1</b>	Up to 75% of project cost and up to 50% for subsequent years	Supported for projects providing professional development for professional and emerging artists.
<b>Cultural Facilities and Capital Resources</b>		<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>	Letter of Intent Apr.1 July 1	\$1 for \$1 match for requests from \$2500 to \$500,000	For acquisition, construction, renovation and accessibility improvements and capital purchases.
<b>Cultural Facilities and Capital Resources Emergency Fast Track</b>		<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>	<b>Ongoing Deadline</b>	\$1 for \$1 match for requests from \$2000 to \$10,000	Available for responding to smaller renovation projects, emergency situations and ADA accessibility improvements.
<b>Challenge America - WV</b>		<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>	Letter of Intent Dec.1 March 1	50% of project costs up to \$15,000; excluding administration	Projects that strengthen communities through the unique power of the arts (focus on arts education, outreach).
<b>American Masterpieces - WV</b>		<b>X</b>		<b>April 1</b>	From \$2,000 to \$10,000; up to 50% of overall project cost is eligible 50% match	Supports projects providing access to America's cultural legacy through touring support and collaborative projects.
<b>Training and Travel Fund</b>	<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>		<b>No Later Than six weeks prior to event</b>	up to 50% of eligible expenses; funds decrease for repeat visit to same event	Provides funding support on a reimbursement basis to attend training opportunities.

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<b>ArtsPartners</b> (Formerly Major and Mid Size Support)		<b>X</b>		Letter of Intent Oct 1 Pre-application Nov 1 <b>March 1</b>	Minimum funding \$10,000 Maximum funding \$100,000	General operating support for organizations with operating budgets \$100k and above
<b>Community Arts</b> Presenting Artists		<b>X</b>		<b>March 1</b>	Up to 50% of artist's fees and travel costs 50% cash match	For presentation of national, regional and in W.V. touring artists.
<b>Community Arts</b> Performing Arts		<b>X</b>		<b>March 1</b>	Up to 50% of artist's fees and 50% cash match	For support in the creation and presentation of new works. Production of existing works in performing arts.
<b>Community Arts</b> Visual Arts		<b>X</b>		<b>March 1</b>	Up to 50% of artist's fees and other eligible costs	Assistance for programs and exhibitions for galleries, museums, art centers and alternative spaces.
<b>Community Arts</b> Media Arts		<b>X</b>		<b>March 1</b>	Max \$10,000 50% cash match	Support for artists' fees, production and post-production costs and presentation costs for media projects.
<b>Community Arts</b> Folk/Traditional Arts		<b>X</b>		<b>March 1</b>	Up to 50% of artist's fees and 50% cash match	Assistance for projects that document, preserve, and present the folk and traditional arts of W.V.
<b>Community Arts</b> Re-Granting		<b>X</b>		<b>March 1</b>	Up to \$6,000 50% cash match	Supports organizations with a mission of re-granting funds according to community need.
<b>Community Arts</b> Long-Range Planning		<b>X</b>		Letter of Intent Dec.1 <b>March 1</b>	Up to 50% of consultant salaries for a 2-year period	Help with developing long-range plans for administrative and technical development of artistic program.
<b>Community Arts</b> Community Connections		<b>X</b>		Letter of Intent Dec.1 <b>March 1</b>	50% of eligible costs up to \$5,000 per year	1-2 year program to develop community cultural plan to promote community partnerships.
<b>Community Arts</b> Staffing Support		<b>X</b>		Letter of Intent Dec.1 <b>March 1</b>	Up to 50% of staff salary and benefits not to exceed 25% of total org's budget	Support for one professional staff position for up to three years. Please review extended guidelines.

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