



# CALL FOR ENTRIES

## 2023 ELLA KING TORREY AWARD

### BACKGROUND

Established by Ella Russell Torrey in honor of the contributions her daughter Ella King Torrey made to the community, the Young Artist Award supports the continued development of a young artist between the ages of 14 and 19. The Ella King Torrey Young Artist Award celebrates Ella's joy, excitement and commitment to artists by encouraging exceptional teenage students at Fleisher.



Ella King Torrey

### AWARD

The recipient will receive:

- An award of \$1,000 paid to the artist to support continued development in the arts and increased exposure to opportunities in the arts
- Recognition as Ella King Torrey Award recipient in 2023 Young Artists Exhibition with submitted artwork on view
- Access to open studio time at Fleisher Art Memorial, to be structured based upon needs of student and available for a year following receipt of award
- Opportunities to work with Fleisher staff on speaking and writing about exhibitions and their artwork

### ELIGIBLE EXPENSES

The Ella King Torrey Young Artist Award may be used for art supplies, books, transportation, tuition, class fees, museum memberships, youth conferences, exhibition-related costs, or related materials/activities that will enhance the applicant's artistic development and/or ability to pursue education at an institution of higher learning.

### ELIGIBILITY

Applicants must:

- Currently be between the ages of 14 and 19
- Attend/have attended one or more arts education programs held at Fleisher Art Memorial, or a Fleisher Community Partnerships in the Arts site in the last two years
- Submit a completed application form
- Request a nomination from a member of Fleisher's staff or teaching faculty; in the case of a Community Partnership, please provide name of instructor

### AWARD CRITERIA

- Artistic ability and potential
- Clear articulation of future artistic goals and use of funds in the application
- Faculty/staff nomination
- Demonstrated commitment to Fleisher

**APPLICATION DROP-OFF DEADLINE: SATURDAY, JUNE 10 BY 3 PM**

**Para mas información o ayuda con la aplicación, favor de comunicarse con Gerardo Silva a [gsilva@fleisher.org](mailto:gsilva@fleisher.org)**



# GUIDELINES

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### INSTRUCTIONS

Assemble application materials to bring to Fleisher. These include:

- Completed application with essay based on questions provided – **preferably typed & printed, not handwritten**
- Name of Fleisher staff or faculty member endorsing you. **If you need help with this, please contact Tessa Kennamer, Manager of Children and Youth Education, at [tkennamer@fleisher.org](mailto:tkennamer@fleisher.org).**
- 2-3 LABELED artworks that follow size limitations listed on application. **If artworks are delicate or fragile, please make sure they are packaged carefully!**
- Drop off application and artworks at Fleisher between May 2 and June 10, 2023. **Submitted artworks will also be featured in the Annual Young Artists Exhibition, on view in Fleisher's galleries from June 24 through July 28.**

### DATES TO REMEMBER

TUESDAY, APRIL 25	APPLICATION OPENS / INFO SESSION AT FLEISHER (4 PM)
SATURDAY, MAY 6	INFO SESSION AT FLEISHER (11 AM - 3 PM)
<b>SATURDAY, JUNE 10</b>	<b>APPLICATION DEADLINE: ALL MATERIALS DUE AT FLEISHER BY 3 PM</b>
SATURDAY, JUNE 24	YOUNG ARTISTS EXHIBITION OPENS
FRIDAY, JULY 28	CLOSING RECEPTION AND AWARD CEREMONY

### SELECTION, NOTIFICATION, AND FOLLOW-UP

- Applicants and parent(s)/guardian will be notified by e-mail
- Award distribution will be negotiated with the recipient (either paid directly, or via payment to a third party on behalf of the recipient)
- The awardee and parent(s)/guardian must sign a letter of agreement
- The awardee will be featured in an article in a Fleisher e-newsletter
- The awardee will be asked to speak about their experience and the impact of the award to applicants the following year



# APPLICATION

## 2023 ELLA KING TORREY AWARD

NAME .....

ADDRESS .....

PHONE NUMBER .....

STUDENT'S EMAIL .....

PARENT/GUARDIAN'S NAME .....

PARENT/GUARDIAN'S EMAIL (required) .....

SCHOOL ..... GRADE .....

NAME OF ENDORSING FACULTY/STAFF .....

**Please write a brief essay based on the four questions below (3 pages maximum).**

### ESSAY QUESTIONS

1. What compels you to continue making your artwork? What are your artistic goals in the future?
2. How has Fleisher played a role in your artistic development? In which Fleisher activities have you participated?
3. How will the Ella King Torrey Young Artist Award help you pursue your interest in the arts?
4. What else do you think is important for us to know about you?

STUDENT SIGNATURE ..... DATE .....

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE ..... DATE .....

Submit this application with 3 examples of recent artwork, labeled with:  
Your Name, Title of Work, and Medium.

Each artwork should measure no more than 24" x 36" and weigh no more than 15 pounds.

**Please drop off completed applications and artworks at the front desk of Fleisher Art Memorial at 719 Catharine St, Philadelphia, PA 19147.** Questions about the application can be directed to Tessa Kennamer at [tkennamer@fleisher.org](mailto:tkennamer@fleisher.org) or Sophie Loring at [sloring@fleisher.org](mailto:sloring@fleisher.org).



# ARTWORKS

## 2023 ELLA KING TORREY AWARD

Please print all information and attach these labels to each piece of artwork.  
Keep a copy of this form for your records.

TITLE OF WORK #1 .....

MEDIUM .....

ARTIST NAME .....

TITLE OF WORK #2 .....

MEDIUM .....

ARTIST NAME .....

TITLE OF WORK #3 .....

MEDIUM .....

ARTIST NAME .....



# ARTIST AGREEMENT

## 2023 ELLA KING TORREY AWARD

Keep a copy of this form for your records.

### 2023 YOUNG ARTISTS EXHIBITION

I understand that my work will not be insured.

I understand that my work may be photographed and used in Fleisher print and electronic materials.

I will not remove my work from the show during exhibition dates (June 24 - July 28, 2022).

Artwork will be exhibited in the Dene M Louchheim Galleries at Fleisher Art Memorial.

2-D work will be displayed using magnets so there is no need for framing.

Drawings should be fixed with appropriate fixative spray to prevent smearing (hair spray can work for this).

I am submitting 2-3 pieces of recent artwork, each no larger than 24 x 36" and weighing 15 lbs. max.

Artwork will be available for pick-up in August after the closing of the Young Artists Exhibition (pick-up dates will be sent to exhibition participants with details).

**I have read and agree to the above conditions:**

**SIGNATURE** ..... **DATE** .....