

FY25 Creative Start Project Grant Frequently Asked Questions

Q: Arts is an important component of our mission but not the whole focus of our organization, can we still apply to this grant or others with your org?

A: Yes! You can still apply to this grant with your org's project focuses on arts integration: teaching and learning that connects an arts discipline with non-arts curriculum in a way that meets standards and objectives for both.

Q: What if you are a non-profit whose project will take place in public schools?

A: Your non-profit can be the applying organization. The public school would simply be the site/project location.

Q: Do you need a SWV by the end of the application period? or if you get a contract?

A: If you are awarded you will need your SWV number before your contract is issued.

Q: Will ArtsWA contract with the non-profit or will it contract with the public school in which the project will take place?

A: The non-profit can be the grantee/contractor -- the public school would be the project location(s)

Q: What is meant by sequential arts integration teaching and learning?

A: Sequential learning means a series of lessons designed to allow students to build knowledge, understanding and skills over time. (not one-time arts experiences/performances/assemblies, product creation without links to student learning outcomes)

Q: is there a word count to either of the letters of support?

A: No, there are no word counts for either letter of support.

Questions?

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