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FAQ | Nexus Fund :: Emergency Relief for Artists

Who is eligible?

- Self-identified visual artists 21 years of age and older living within the 9-counties designated as: Clayton, Cobb, Coweta, Dekalb, Douglas, Fayette, Fulton, Gwinnett, and Henry
- Artists who declare that they experienced a loss of income due to COVID-19 including but not limited to postponement or cancellation of exhibitions, performances, public programs, and teaching gigs
- Artists who demonstrate a sustained commitment to their work and career

Who is not eligible?

- Any artist who has received or who will receive an honorarium for an exhibition at Atlanta Contemporary (July 1, 2020 – June 30, 2021)
- Any artist who currently participates in or who recently departed the Studio Artist Program (July 1, 2020 – June 30, 2021)

Timeline

- November 1: Application Open
- November 1 – November 22: Applications accepted
- November 23 – December 13: Grantees determined
- December 14: Grantees notified
- December 16: Funds disbursed

Application requirements:

- Selection of reason for need with brief, 150-word declaration statement describing circumstances and hardship
- 3 images of current artistic practice with brief, 150-word artistic statement
- Proof of residency in designated county

How much funding is available and what is the most I can request?

The Nexus Fund will disperse sixty, \$1,000 grants totaling \$60,000.

**FREE ADMISSION
EVERY DAY**

Tue–Sat 11am–5pm

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What can I use the funds for?

Rent/mortgage, utilities, groceries, childcare, medical bills/insurance, lost wages/fees, and other daily needs.

I am not primarily paid for my artistic work but have lost income due to loss of employment or contract work. Am I still eligible to apply?

Yes, any lost income is reason to apply.

If I am selected, how soon will I receive the funding?

Following the grantee notification on December 14, all grantees will be welcome to pick up their check beginning December 16.

If I receive funds and the Nexus Fund: Emergency Relief re-opens for additional applications at a future date, may I apply again?

No. Due to the overwhelming need, The Nexus Fund: Emergency Relief will be able to support artists once. We encourage you to seek out additional support through other active funds.

How to Apply

Apply with our [online form](#).

Applications are only accepted via online form. Do not email or drop off applications in person.

Questions? Email us at apply@thenexus.fund.

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