



## Youth Volunteer Application Form

Are you interested in a career in the visual arts or education field? Are you looking to add to your resume, complete your community service hours, gain valuable work experience, give back to your community...and have a lot of fun in the process? Visual Arts Mississauga may have the perfect volunteer opportunity for you!

Volunteers have the opportunity to complete a full week (40hrs) as an Art Camp Assistant and gain hands-on experience in leadership, working with children, art studio set-up, classroom management, and art techniques. Although priority is given to grade 11 and 12 students, grade 10 students will also be considered.

**If you are interested in volunteering at Visual Arts Mississauga:**

- Fill out the application and submit to the VAM Office
- **Application is to be filled out by student, with resume attached.**
- Fax, email, mail or deliver your application and resume to VAM
  - Fax: 905-277-4340
  - Email: kidsstuff@visualartsmississauga.com
  - Address: Visual Arts Mississauga  
4170 Riverwood Park Lane  
Mississauga, ON L5C 2S7

### Personal Information

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial: \_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ Province \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_  
 Home Phone number:(\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Cell Phone number:(\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: M F  
 Spoken Language(s): English French Other \_\_\_\_\_

### Position Preference

**Art Camp Assistant:**

- March Break Camp
- Summer Break Camp

**General Volunteer:**

- Various Weekend Events

What are your reasons for applying for volunteer work at VAM:

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## **Experience & Interest**

Have you worked with children before? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, in what capacity?

Do you have any visual art experience?

**Please state any additional volunteer or work experience in an attached resume.**

Qualified applicants will be contacted and will participate in group interviews, information and training sessions. Please complete and sign the following:

### **Applicant Signature**

By signing below, I authorize Visual Arts Mississauga to collect personal information appropriate to the position for which I have applied concerning employment, volunteer history and verifying the reference I have supplied. I understand that the information obtained will be confidential. I acknowledge and understand that **if I am over the age of 18** that I must obtain a Vulnerable Sector Search, Police Records Search that is acceptable to Visual Arts Mississauga. I understand that I am responsible for any costs associated with this process, if applicable.

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Parent/Guardian Signature (for Volunteers under the age of 18)**

Name of Parent: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number:(\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

I would be in support of this volunteer activity and give my permission for my son or daughter \_\_\_\_\_ to apply to participate as a volunteer with Visual Arts Mississauga.

By signing below, I authorize Visual Arts Mississauga to collect personal information about my son or daughter and myself appropriate to the position, for which my son or daughter has applied concerning employment, volunteer history and verifying the references supplied. I understand that the information obtained will be confidential.

Signature of Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### **How did you hear about Visual Arts Mississauga?**

Family/Friends      School      Past Volunteer      Website

Other \_\_\_\_\_