

ARTS IN EDUCATION AWARD

Definition

The Arts in Education Award recognizes an artist who has made an outstanding contribution to arts in education in Newfoundland and Labrador <u>over a number of years</u>. The Award comes with a piece of original art.

Residency Requirements

The nominee must be a resident in Newfoundland and Labrador for a minimum of 12 months prior to the date of the nomination. "Resident" is defined as someone who maintains a principal place of residence in the province.

Nominations

Members of the arts community and general public can nominate one person, group or organization. Nominees will be considered only for the category in which they are nominated. Permission from the nominee is mandatory.

Nominations **must** be completed online at http://artsnl.smartsimple.ca.

Deadline: Nominations must be received by **Friday, March 12, 2021.**

<u>It is strongly recommended that the nominator seek letters of support for the nomination</u>, which can be forwarded to ArtsNL by email (alewis@nlac.ca) anytime before the nomination deadline by the nominee or letter author.

ArtsNL will contact nominees to request support materials, which will inform the Council's discussions. Electronically submitted support material (e.g., PDF; JPG; links to video) must be uploaded by the nominee using the ArtsNL online system. (A username and password will be supplied to the nominee in the event they don't already have one.) Nominees must supply a bio and recent photo.

Voting and Selection

The recipient of the Arts in Education Award is selected by members of Council who vote by secret ballot. In the event of a tie vote, the Chair has a second vote. If there are no nominees, or if those nominated do not qualify under the specified criteria, no award will be presented that year.

The Arts in Education Award is given posthumously only if the nominee dies after being selected as the winner.