Scholarship Fund Provides Arts Education for Underserved Schools

Menlo Park, CA—Art in Action, a nonprofit dedicated to bringing comprehensive visual arts programs to schools everywhere, has established the Judy Sleeth Scholarship Fund to benefit schools with demonstrated need, providing them with art training, curriculum, materials and sustainability planning. The scholarship fund recognizes Art in Action’s founder and her passion to make an arts education accessible to all. The application deadline is August 15, 2016.

Sleeth believed that an arts education is fundamental to the development of creativity, critical thinking, self-expression and cultural awareness. Because of her vision the Art in Action program now thrives in more than 220 schools and impacts nearly 55,000 children every year.

Through generous contributions made to the fund, Art in Action is accepting applications from schools new to the Art in Action program. Elementary and middle schools that are designated Title 1 or are able to demonstrate financial need are encouraged to apply.

An application form and eligibility requirements can be found at http://artinaction.org/judy-sleeth-scholarship-fund/. Donations to the fund may be made at http://artinaction.org/give-now/. Contact mara@artinaction.org or call 650-566-8339, ext. 202 for more information.

Founded in 1982, Art in Action, a 501(c)(3) organization, transforms the lives of Kindergarten through 8th grade students using an engaging, hands-on curriculum that teaches 21st century learning skills through art history, appreciation and practice. Follow Art in Action on Facebook, Twitter and LinkedIn.

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