

(also available to download from www.arrowmont.org/work-study.pdf)

Work Study

Work-study students are an essential part of the function of Arrowmont during workshop sessions. These positions provide much needed support to the full-time kitchen staff through food preparations, dish washing and clean up. Work duties may also include grounds maintenance, library and technological support, art supply store and housekeeping.

Since previous art experience is not necessary for work-study positions, this is a great way to learn new skills, gain confidence artistically and make life-long friends working in a fun environment.

You will receive one week of class for each 45-50 hour week of work duty or one weekend workshop for one weekend of work duty. The week you are in class, you will be expected to work up to 22 hours and 8 hours during a weekend class. Course fee for your week (or weeks) of class as well as room and

board for the length of your commitment is provided by Arrowmont. Work Study positions are physically demanding and require that applicants be able to lift 50 pounds. Class lab fees and other art supplies are the responsibility of the student. Classes are awarded based on availability. The minimum commitment is two-weeks with a preference given to applicants of four weeks or longer.

Arrowmont considers individuals who are mature, team oriented, self-motivated and interested in the arts. Enthusiasm and commitment are required. If it is past the application deadline, please contact Arrowmont to see if positions are still available.

Students may apply for either the Work Study or Studio Assistantship, but not both.

Educational assistance is provided to the student-employee as part of the Work-Study program. As an employee of Arrowmont, meals and lodging are provided on Arrowmont premises and must be accepted by the student-employee as a condition of their employment.

Mail to:

Arrowmont School of Arts & Crafts
Attn: Work Study Program
P.O. Box 567
Gatlinburg, TN 37738-0567
FAX: (865) 430-4101

Name _____ Date _____

Address _____ Home Phone (_____) _____

City/State/Zip _____ Work Phone (_____) _____

Social Security Number _____ Email _____

Are you over 18? Yes No

Are you familiar with Arrowmont? Yes No Occupation _____

Pursuing or planning to pursue an art related degree?

Yes No If yes, what major? _____

Do you currently hold a degree?

Yes No If yes, what major? _____

Please circle your interests:

Kitchen Library/Computer Support Art Supply Store Housekeeping Maintenance Gardening

Please submit the following:

- **Application**
- **Resume**
- **A list of your 1st and 2nd week class choices for each week you intend to be part of the program. Of those classes, indicate which two are your overall preferences. This is required for your consideration.**
- **Letter stating reasons for applying to Arrowmont's work-study program; what you hope to gain from participation, what you offer the program, how you can promote Arrowmont upon your return, and indicate any special interests pertaining to the areas you wish to work.**
- **One letter of recommendation and the names of two other professional references who can be contacted**
- **\$25 non-refundable application fee**

Please write in the weeks you are interested in (include both class weeks & weeks of work commitment):
