

Bowers Museum School Partnership Application 2011-2012

Limited Scholarships Available for School Tours and Art Classes

The Bowers Museum's School Partnership and Scholarship Program is offered in an effort to encourage teachers to integrate the arts across the curriculum through hands-on experiences with works of art from around the world. Please complete all information on both sides of this form to be considered for becoming a school partner with the Bowers Museum. Selected partner schools receive scholarships for field trips and art classes. Funds are awarded on a first-come, first-served basis.

School	District	
Address		
City	Zip	Phone
County		
Contact Person		Title
Day Phone		E-Mail

Check All That Apply

- Elementary School
- High School
- Home School

Grade Level _____

- Magnet School
- Middle School
- Pre-K School

Private School

Special Ed

Other _____

Gallery Tour Requested – please check one

- Native American
- Missions & Ranchos
- California Plein Air Paintings
- Pre-Columbian
- Ancient Arts of China
- Gold: Pre-Hispanic Art of Colombia
(March 31, 2012 – July 1, 2012)

Tour Date **1st Choice** _____ **2nd Choice** _____ **Number of Students** _____

1. Who is responsible for planning or choosing the program(s) listed above? (Parents, teachers, school district?)

2. Approximately what percent of your annual school budget is committed to arts education or enrichment programs? _____% approximate financial amount: _____

3. What funding source(s) do you use to support field trips? (PTA, Title 1, SIP, etc.)

4. How did you hear about the Bowers Museum Scholarship Program?

5. What other types of arts education programs do you schedule for your students and/or school throughout the year?

6. Do you believe that the arts are an important part of the school day? _____ yes _____ no
If yes, please comment:

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Guidelines

I understand and agree to the following conditions:

1. Complete applications for the 2011-2012 school year will be reviewed and awarded on a first-come, first-served basis. You will be contacted by Education staff to schedule your field trip.

2. Criteria for being selected as a Partner School to receive scholarships for a field trip and art classes will be based on:

- submission of completed Partner School application
- completion of requested evaluation forms by teachers
- participation in one Educator Workshop per year (during the after school timeframe) to prepare teachers for bringing students to the museum
- teachers will provide information to students in advance about their trip to the museum
- submission of exemplary, "student-created" projects which should reinforce the educational benefits of the museum experience by encouraging students to interpret the visit through the use of visual and/or performing arts, creative writing or poetry, history of science application, CD or DVD project or other creative forms of expression. Only selected examples of exemplary student work need be submitted. Please note that "thank you" notes are not considered acceptable projects.

3. All documents, materials and projects submitted as part of this program become property of Bowers Museum and are not available for return. The Bowers Museum reserves the right to display/publish the artwork or student projects at Education Open Houses and/or related events or Bowers Museum publications, electronic reproductions (web sites) and/or promotional materials or any other purpose and in any manner or medium. Schools/teachers will be contacted in advance by Education staff.

Principal's Name (please print) _____

Principal's Signature _____ Date _____

School Contact's Name (please print) _____

School Contact's Signature _____ Date _____

Fax to: Attn: Education Department
714.567.3603

Mail to: Bowers Museum
Education Department – Museum School Partnership Program
2002 North Main St, Santa Ana, CA 92706

Questions: Please call the School Tours Office at 714.567.3680 or e-mail schooltours@bowers.org