

DAT—C SCHOLARS GET THEIR TURN TO SUCCEED!

Creative Scholars: Underwriting Creative Talents with Scholarships

Each scholarship is **\$12,000 per year** which includes **coursework, tools, equipment to laptops/tablets** (to eliminate laptop poverty), and **travel (when competing)**.

CITIES ACROSS ARKANSAS

- 10 Scholars from various cities will be a part of the inaugural and pilot class.
 - Scholars will come from **the community, school band, choir, theatre, visual design artists and the general school enrollment** where many talents aspiring for professional careers in the creative arts are not engaged. *This is most noteworthy based on the non-existence of institutional models like TCAA heretofore.*
- **Scholars will be underwritten by community foundations, individuals, corporations, families, programs with partnering cities and granting partners.** Some scholars will pay partial or full registration and tuition fees when possible.
- **Scholars will earn while they learn and began paid internships/apprenticeships after the first 6-months** into the coursework and talent incubation.
- Touring and Placing TCAA in Schools and community programs and low-income housing. **Dumas is first.**

TCAA Staff and team are touring schools along with city and community programs to do model-placement across Arkansas this spring and summer. Targeted visits to apartment complexes with TCAA low-income housing partners with ASC Property Management in over 30 counties to meet with managers and share opportunities for their residences is included in the touring route.