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<p>Does a Summer Enrichment Program that is housed in a community college for pre-k to 12 that offers arts, science, and humanities Are community colleges eligible for this program</p>	<p>as long at the project meets the eligibility, you may apply yes</p>
<p>Is there a sample application on your website? I could not find one. Is it same as last year? are these ones going through the LCC?</p>	<p>Hot off the presses - sample application is live on the website: <a href="https://massculturalcouncil.org/documents/Sample_Application_Creative_Experiences.pdf">https://massculturalcouncil.org/documents/Sample_Application_Creative_Experiences.pdf</a> or <a href="https://massculturalcouncil.org/documents/Sample_Application_Creative_Experiences_Fiscal_Agent.pdf">https://massculturalcouncil.org/documents/Sample_Application_Creative_Experiences_Fiscal_Agent.pdf</a> there are some changes. separate program, not the LCC</p>
<p>Is the grant only for schools or could it be for my work in an afterschool program or with the Mass Department of Recreation's Universal Access Programs? payment is a reimbursement for funds expended?</p>	<p>applicant eligibility is being covered. Not just schools Not a reimbursement but the budget you submit should match or exceed the 2500/5000 grant amount. Grants are awarded in the middle of the fiscal year so based on timing it might come after your event.</p>
<p>Thank you. Some of the timelines mentioned were a bit confusing if you could clarify.</p>	<p>The majority of the your project's timeline would need to occur during our fiscal year 2027 (July 1, 2026-June 30, 2027). Is there a specific event or part of the timeline that you needed more clarity with?</p>
<p>Is it common to back-fund / reimburse? If the program we apply with happens without grant funding and will be reimbursed, clearly financial need isnt a barrier - does need factor into the decision making criteria?</p>	<p>many applicants might be able to manage their cash flow to cover the expenses. Financial need is not a criteria</p>
<p>We would be a municipality applying. We also have a local cultural council and I'm not sure if they plan to apply as well. Would we both be eligible to apply or just one organization of the area?</p>	<p>separate agencies of a municipality may apply</p>
<p>what is a physical agent Will MCC prioritize those who have not recieved funding in the past 3 years?</p>	<p>Fiscal agent. This is a non profit that agrees to be the legal and financial agent on behalf of the applicant. Not relevant if you are incorporated, a non profit org, (other than a single member LLC) yes</p>
<p>Is this grant for 2027 or 2026? You said the announcement is Sept 2026 but our program is summer 2026 Does an LLC in good standing with MA still need a nonprofit fiscal agent? Sorry, unclear to me if both are required.</p>	<p>The state's fiscal year runs July 1 to June 30... so the grant is for fiscal year 2027 which is July 1, 2026 to June 30, 2027 not necessary</p>
<p>are we eligible if we received a LCC grant this year?</p>	<p>yes</p>
<p>Can you apply for this grant and the YouthReach grants concurrently?</p>	<p>you may apply for both, but if you receive YouthReach, you will not receive the Creative Experiences. If you are declined for YouthReach, you are still considered for this one. Entirely separate processes</p>

Would a single member LLC that elects to be taxed as S-corps (ie- pays MA taxes as an S corp) need a fiscal agent?	Yes
Do DBA's qualify, for a business that does not yet have an LLC?	A DBA just means that you are using a name that is not the legally established name. The eligibility is based on the legal status of the applicant, not the name that you are using.
Can we use this funds to contract with an organization outside of MA, if we are presenting it to a MA audience?	Yes, We need MA org promoting to a MA audience but contracted orgs can be from out of state
I think you mentioned a final report due by July 2026, Did you intend to say July 2027?	Yes, apologies, the final report would be due in July 2027
I received a grant 2 years ago for a music festival, can I apply for the same music festival again?	You may apply. You won't receive the priority points for not having been funded recently, but that is not an eligibility issue
Can early childhood centers apply? We are EEC certified.	yes. you may apply as long as you meet the eligibility requirements.
What about a non profit private afterschool?	Based on the event and the audience, yes, a private school can apply
Can a 501(c)6 apply independently or do they need a fiscal agent?	You are eligible as a 501c6
If we recieved a Creative Experiences grant this year Can we apply in FY27 for an expansion of the program?	as long as the project meets the eligibility, you may apply.
Does applying with a fiscal agent prevent that fiscal agent from applying for their own grants?	no. The applicant that uses a fiscal agent will apply as themselves, and they will check off that they are using a fiscal agent. The fiscal agent may apply as themselves.
Will it be a problem if our fiscal agent is also applying for the grant seperately?	no. The applicant that uses a fiscal agent will apply as themselves, and they will check off that they are using a fiscal agent. The fiscal agent may apply as themselves.
I have received a local Martha's Vineyard Mass Cultural Council grant to support an exhibition project. Would I also be eligible to apply for the Mass Cultural Council's Creative Experiences Grant to support related public programming connected to that exhibit?	If you received a grant from a Local Cultural Council, you are still eligible to apply for Creative Experiences.
Can I use my Town's Parks & Rec department as my fiscal agent?	Yes, be sure they can administer budgets and accept the money
can a short duratiob, one month, on-going multi-arts program apply	it can be a one time event, or an ongoing program. either one needs to meet the requirements.
can you tell us where to apply like email or link	Login to our grants management system to complete an application: <a href="https://massculturalcouncil.smartsimple.com/s_Login.jsp">https://massculturalcouncil.smartsimple.com/s_Login.jsp</a>
does experience need to be free?	It does not. However, events that are free, or that are participating in the Card to Culture access program will be prioritized.
can you apply for a Cultural Investment Portfolio and a Creative Experiences grant at teh same time and then just not receive them both?	yes, altho fingers crossed you DO get some money!!!
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Is there fiscal agent agreement template btw an agent and the Creative Experience appicant that you can share?	sorry, we do not provide that. You might be able to find samples online. Each agreement is different.
To clarify; If our program took place in September 2025 with Creative Experiences FY26 grant, are we eligible for FY27?	Yes, if you do your FY26 Creative Experiences final report before July 15, 2026.
What if the project being applied for is adjacent to a research project? Would that be a problem? The creative experience would be for the broader community and co-created by community members/artists	as long as the event that you are applying for meets the requirements, it will not be an issue.
I am a Sole Proprietor, but I don yet have an LLC. Can I apply?	Organizations run by sole proprietors are eligible, if they apply with an eligible fiscal agent.
If I received funding in last 3 years from LCC and just recently received an LCC grant this month from Cambridge, am I eligible to apply for this grant as well?	Hi! Yes you can receive LCC grants and still be eligible to apply for a Creative Experiences grant.

Is there an Ideal number of individuals that should be impacted?	No. As long as it's for more than one person, and not for a closed private group (i.e. defined by personal relationships, employment, or residence, rather than a shared community identity).
if the cultural activity is for a summer camp and not open to others outside of the summer camp, does that mean it's not eligible, because it is not open to the local community?	if the summer camp is open to the public and anyone can register, than the select audience (the folks at the camp) are a segment of the public and yes, you are eligible
If we are in the final year of CIP grant (initial award 3 years ago), we are NOT eligible, correct?	correct. Do you mean that FY27 is the final year? There are not any orgs that have FY26 as their final year.
Do we select which grant amount were applying for? or will be be considered for both?	The applicant will select the amount they are applying for. If you apply for \$2,500 you must have a minimum project budget (actual cash expenses) of at least \$2,500. If you apply for \$5,000 you must have a minimum project budget (actual cash expenses) of at least \$5,000.
What if elements of your event change between the granting of the funds and the execution?	You'll need to contact program staff to let them know about the change, and it'll need to meet the same eligibility requirements. But generally OK - we know we're asking people to plan WAY ahead in order to complete this application.
Cash expenses are NOT able to be spent on a guest poet or speaker? Cash expenses must be (food, materials)?	A fee paid to a speaker/artist IS an eligible cash expense. We just mean that these are not donated or inkind expenses
Would a summer long free program (runs June 1 through Sept. 30) be eligible?	Only the program that falls after July 1, 2026 so adjust application accordingly
Just to be clear, if our experience is an ongoing project for our students only is that eligible? For example dance and music experiences for our preschoolers? Or we need it to be more broadly open to their families? Thanks.	That would be eligible
Is there any difference if the application process between 2500 and 5000?	process is the same. Difference is whether your project INCLUDES arts/humanities/sciences, or is PRIMARILY a/h/s.
Could the event proposal be held together with another event that is being planned by a Main Street organization? Our event would be free and open to all.	You can work with another organization, but there is only one applicant.
What about the rule about not using the funds on vendor table costs	Being a vendor at some one else's event is not an eligible project.
Can multiple organizations apply for the same community or would that be a problem due to audience? That confused me a bit	Same community is fine. By same audience, we mean a specific and limited audience - i.e. students at the same school, or residents of the same nursing home.
Just want to clarify how the slide on "multiple and overlap applications" applies to the earlier question on fiscal agent. If we're applying with a nonprofit fiscal agent who is a partner, we want to clarify that the fiscal agent partner org can still apply for their own programming.	is it clear now?
what is needed to maximise chances of getting these grants esp if its first time applying , and as a homecare doing post maternal , doula training services , personal care service as Non profit org , what documents would we need also	not relevant. This is about an organization that has applied for multiple grant programs. An organization MAY be a fiscal agent, and also apply for its own program.
Can the application be for an event series or just for one event?	Home care/health care is not eligible for this grant program.
Apologies, I came in late. What constitutes and organization, is it a 501c3?	You are able to apply for a series as long as the majority of the programming occurs during the fiscal year 2027 (July 1,2026-June 30, 2027).
I had to tune in late -- how can I watch the beginning of this talk?	This is detailed on our guidelines. If you are a particular type of organization and you have a question about it, please give me the specifics so I can reply. 501c3s are only one of the types of eligible applicants.
What if at the time of application you are still confirming location/partner for the grant activity? Should that just be noted?	this session is being recorded and will be on our youtube page in a day... <a href="https://www.youtube.com/@MassCulturalCouncil">https://www.youtube.com/@MassCulturalCouncil</a>
is homecare not non profit	Yes, that's fine. We know we're asking people to plan this pretty far out. Thanks!
may the grant be used for our summer long interactive sculpture exhibition with a continuous rhyming art treasure hunt or does it have to be a one time event or performance?	it is possibly a non profit, but the project itself is not arts/humanities/sciences
What if the fiscal sponsor is receiving the cultural operating grant from MCC, does not unqualify?	Hil! Yes, you may apply for multiple activities or events, as long as the majority of this programming occurs during our fiscal year 2027 (July 1,2026 - June 30, 2027).
	not a problem. A fiscal agent may apply for their own programs AND act as a fiscal agent for another applicants

The presenting/ producing organization is the applicant, correct? If a solo artist works with a fiscal agent for their application, can that fiscal agent also contract with another solo artist for a different event in the same grant cycle?	A presenting/producing org that applies for an event that they are presenting/producing is NOT acting as a fiscal agent - they are the applicant. They may act as a fiscal agent for a separate applicant.
If we apply for and receive a FY27 Creative Experiences grant, will we be eligible to submit for a FY28 Operating Grant?	Yes. These are for funding in separate fiscal years.
are grants eligible if they propose (as part of a project) venue rental at a space that is predominantly funded/supported by mass cultural council already?	Yes. Go forth! :-)
if I have a project that occurs in winter and spring would that be an overlap project if I applied for funds that cover both events?	No. If it's a series like that, apply the series. The only overlap issue would be if you apply to do the project somewhere (like a senior center) and the senior center ALSO applies.
Studios Without Walls is an interactive sculpture exhibition which goes from May 30-September 7, 2026. Does that qualify?	If the majority (50% or more) of the publicly-available portion of your activity takes place July 1, 2026-June 30, 2027, you should apply for this cycle.
Is a program involving history and technology considered science and humanites, or would only history qualify?	A project does not need to be both, it can be arts, humanities, or sciences. Our definition of sciences: THE SCIENCES are limited to the cultural, interpretive, and educational expression of science and refers to types of learning that deal with nature, science, and technology in ways that explain how they relate to people's lives. Some organizations that conduct this type of activity include aquariums, botanical gardens, nature centers, natural history museums, planetariums, and science centers.
Can some of the funding go towards the time spent of org. staff members or is that considered in kind?	Those would be administrative costs, and yes, include those. No limit on the % or amount of admin costs you put into your budget.
I'd be applying on behalf of a registered MA creative business (a teaching artist business), would that be eligible?	If your organization is another type of creative business, you'd need to apply with an eligible fiscal agent.
is it required to report this year's LCC given grant amount since it assists with the overall event budget? In the Budget tab in the application, there's only In-Kind support which does not appear a place to include this given LCC grant. Thanks!	We do not need to see other anticipated income, you don't need to include it. Thanks!
Does the funding priorities that have received \$5000 count also local cultural councils as well? 5000 in last three years from creative experiences or any MCC program?	LCC grants do not impact the funding history. Funding history includes any MCC grants, other than Local Cultural Councils
<p>Hello!</p> <p>I run the Newburyport PTO Kitchen Tour. The expenses meet your minimum for funding and supports the creative, historical, artistry focus.</p> <p>The PTO funds more than \$100,000 Pek-8th grade experiences.</p> <p>Do we (the PTO) need to check with the City of Newburyport or Newburyport Public Schools to make sure we are not overlapping? If so, what is the name of the municipal contact/role that we should check with?</p> <p>if we received a LCC?MCC grant of \$2K in 2026 , are we still able to be eligible?</p>	<p>You would need to check with Newburyport Public Schools, yes. We consider a "specific and limited audience" to be on the school level, so one elementary school could choose to apply themselves for something different, and YOU could apply for something that benefits the middle school and that would NOT be an overlap.</p> <p>If you receive LCC funding, you are still eligible to apply for Creative Experiences.</p>
<p>If the owner/leader of the org is white, but the leads on this project are BIPOC and the project is designed to serve BIPOC youth and located in a BIPOC majority city, would that count as BIPOC centered?</p> <p>If our organization received a "first time" \$5,000 creative experiences grant in the last fiscal year cycle and also recently received a smaller Local Cultural Council grant at \$750, does that make us ineligible for the funding priority? received a</p>	<p>BIPOC Centered is considered for the organization itself, not for individual projects of the applicant. You may complete the BIPOC Centered self identification for the organization</p> <p>No. We only look at funding directly from the Mass Cultural Council. Local Cultural Council grants are not included. (Congrats on both, by the way!)</p>
<p>Are there any examples of past grant recipients, so we can see what kinds of things were approved?</p> <p>Is card to culture for a specific MCC event or all events being offered by the organization</p>	<p>Here is a list of our FY27 Creative Experiences grantees: <a href="https://massculturalcouncil.org/organizations/creative-experiences/funding-list/">https://massculturalcouncil.org/organizations/creative-experiences/funding-list/</a></p> <p>IT is for the organization's ongoing activities, not just a specific event.</p>
Does applying for this exclude from the festivals and projects grant?	The Festivals and Projects grant has been discontinued - it is included in the Creative Experiences program.

If we received a \$2,500 grant in November 2024, can we apply for a \$5,000 grant during this cycle? Thank you.	Yes. That's a funding priority, not eligibility. Still apply. Welcome back and good luck!
are you eligible for grants if you get additional funding from other sources/sponsors as well?	yes
can we have please the link for the list of under resourced communities?	<a href="https://massculturalcouncil.org/youth/creative-projects-for-schools/application-process/under-resourced-cities-towns/">https://massculturalcouncil.org/youth/creative-projects-for-schools/application-process/under-resourced-cities-towns/</a>
Boston is not listed as one of the cities, are individual communities within Boston designated separately?	This list is based on municipality, and individual parts of a municipality are not designated if the town/city itself does not meet the definition
In my account I'm registered as as member of my local cultural council but I want to apply for this grant separately. Do I need to create a new account to apply?	yes, you will need a separate account for the other applicant organization, which will require a separate email address.
Im having issues with applying my new Secretary of State for my non profit. My old application keeps showing up	You will need to contact them directly to solve this. Sorry, but we don't have the ability to fix this for you.
Im having issues with applying my new Secretary of State for my non profit. My old application keeps showing up	If you think it's a problem with our grants management system account rather than the MA Secretary of the Commonwealth site, please contact Grants.Team@mass.gov for assistance
Is there a way to get more information about the geographic distribution? Will the percentages be shared after this year's funding period so that we have an idea of the distribution going forward?	It won't necessarily help you for future cycles, since the applicant pool can vary greatly from year to year. I will flag this for our Creative Experiences team to include
what is the current 990 listing our officers has not been updated by AGO? We have filed current roster w/ our 990. But AGO still shows previous year. Execs are same, but swapped titles.	Don't worry. We aren't checking the 990s, we just are confirming that you are registered.
As an Early Childhood Education Child Care Center , are we eligible to apply for the grant to use it for our annual art show?	As long as your org meets the eligibility (incorporated?) and your project falls in the eligibility period, you may apply
Will funding be affected if the person completing this form changes roles before the event has happened?	No. If one of the contract officers changes, it could delay receiving a contract, but it's no problem to change later.
Do letters of support strengthen applications?	No. We do not consider letters of support in the application.
Are you looking for each experience to incorporate all three - arts, humanities, and sciences - or just one of those categories?	Only one. It doesn't affect eligibility or competitiveness at all.
Our non-profit serves middle school girls in a low income community in Massachusetts. Even though the organization serves low income constituents, the fact that we received \$5,000 in FY24 and FY 25 would likely disqualify us for FY27. Is that correct? Should we not even apply?	It doesn't disqualify you. It just means that you won't receive that particular scoring priority.
Besides the difference from last year in eligibility for \$2,500 vs \$5,000 grants, are there other differences from last year?	Organizations run by other types of creative businesses (i.e. sole proprietors or single-member LLCs) are now eligible to apply, with an eligible fiscal agent.
Is it okay if everything we include in the budget goes over the \$2500 or \$5000?	yes. Please include the entire project budget, not just expenses to be covered by this grant.
Is there a recommended due date for the quiz or is this included in the application itself?	This is part of the application itself, and alltogether is due April 30.
Do you award \$2500 grants to those who applied for \$5000? Or is it one of the other? (If that makes sense)	Only if an organization doesn't meet the eligibility requirements for a \$5,000 grant, but would for \$2,500.
Can different organizations apply and name the same artist to be leading creative experiences?	As long as the Experiences are distinct and separate from each other, the same artist can be involved in multiple events
can you clarify what you mean by arts admin vs facilitating the experience?	live answered
Sorry, what was that about Arts Admin vs someone facilitating the art experience?	live answered
Can we partner with a City regarding a part of their 200th Bicentennial Celebration?	Yes
Can equipment costs be included in budget? For instance, we're setting up a new facility and we need an overhead projector and screen for our speaker series.	Yes
accessability question: might that include a wheel chair ramp purchase or rental?	Certainly physical access is integral to your experience. Access is not limited to physical access but it is important and can be part of your budget.
If fundraising to replenish the Trail gift account is an optional part, is the event still eligible? The gift account funds are used to maintain the accessibility of the Trail and to fund educational, experiential events.	Yes, if there's an optional fundraising component of your experience, that's fine. If it's SOLELY about fundraising (i.e. a gala) it would not be eligible.
Can the grant include paying tech crew and rental of lights and sound equipment?	yes. Those are legitimate expenses for the project.

Our festival runs from July 1-July5, 2026. The approval would be post event, correcent so that	f the majority (50% or more) of the publicly-available portion of your activity takes place July 1, 2026-June 30, 2027, you should apply for this cycle. So yes, that would be correct.
Can you expand on: -prohibited: solely aim to underwrite a presenter, tabling, or vendor fees for participating in an event vs - priority: hires and compensate MA artists, humanists and scientists. If the grant is underwriting a speaker or artist fee, is that considered "underwriting a presenter" and therefore a disadvantage, or is it paying an artist?	This is referring to an applicant who wants to participate in some other organization's event. Ex: an artist's booth at a craft fair, a band that appears in a festival. (the festival can apply, but the band can't apply separately). If you are presenting/producing an event, paying the speakers/artists would be eligible, and would count as paying MA artists. The core issue: is it YOUR event
Who generates the Log In informaion? If I am a volunteer for a school district, do I generate the log in, or is the school who generates the log in.	You can create your own user account and select that you are connected to the school or district, if they have an organization account.
can you please go through the prior community information in a little more detail? what would be example of science experience?	Hello! Basically these include Experiences/Activities in cities and towns that are below the state's median household income and below statewide educational attainment. This includes but is not limited to places designated as Gateway Cities. A full list of these under-resourced communities is available: <a href="https://massculturalcouncil.org/organizations/creative-experiences/application-process/under-resourced-cities-towns/">https://massculturalcouncil.org/organizations/creative-experiences/application-process/under-resourced-cities-towns/</a> Battle bots competition for kids, native plants walk in the woods.
Can you receive donations or registrations fees from other sources for your event	Yes. Other sources of contributed and earned income are good.
i consider admin as the coordinator of PR, facilities, welcoming guests, confirming guest artists and their needs, etc. also we video record events to post. Is that all acceptable as ADMIN?	yes. These are all involved in making this event happen. I would consider the videographer to be an artist fee.
can an artist be involved with a few organizations selected of their own application?	If those organizations want to apply to hire you, that's fine. They'll need to be the ones to complete and submit the application.
What strengths make a good application?	There's not a subjective review. Funding list is determined by prioritization factors listed in our guidelines: <a href="https://massculturalcouncil.org/organizations/creative-experiences/application-process/">https://massculturalcouncil.org/organizations/creative-experiences/application-process/</a>
How do we review this again	This will be on the Mass Cultural Council YouTube page in the next day or two: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/user/MassCulturalCouncil">https://www.youtube.com/user/MassCulturalCouncil</a>
can you download these Q&A and send to participants? This is loaded with helpful information! I meant with a few selected projects?	Questions asked during the webinar will be added to our Frequently Asked Questions page if they are not already represented there: <a href="https://massculturalcouncil.org/organizations/creative-experiences/faqs/">https://massculturalcouncil.org/organizations/creative-experiences/faqs/</a>
did you have a page about applying for more than one MCC grant and how those can or cannot work together?	<a href="https://massculturalcouncil.org/blog/advancing-equity-investing-in-more-organizations/">https://massculturalcouncil.org/blog/advancing-equity-investing-in-more-organizations/</a>
To clarify, if the applicant received a LLC grant for FY 2026 that would not be counted against the application	Correct, LCC funding does not "count" when addressing MCC funding in the last 3 years
Can the grant cover the expenses of creating a sculptural installation in a nature play area where creative experiences would be facilitated to teach kids about nature? I mean tickets to the event	live answered
or entry fees to participate	sorry - I don't know who responded to your original question. Earned revenue (tickets sold for example) are fine.
I am confused by the response stating this is not a subjective review, funding is determined by priority factors. Does this mean our narrative responses don't matter?	live answered
Acceptance to release of funds cycle?	Funds are released after the contract has been signed by both you and the Mass Cultural Council. Contract process begins in October/November
Is a medical provider instructing the program and also are faculty in higher ed considered a scientist? Also, is a medical provider who is also an artist and using artwork considered an artist?	live answered
We are a Farmers Market that is very much a third space in our community. We have musicians, childrens arts/crafts weekly and we pay these venors/musicians. Are Farmers Markets historically recognized for funding? We meet all other eligibility requirements. Thank you.	You can apply, and we have funded some. This would be considered an event that INCLUDES arts, rather than a project that is PRIMARILY arts.

We would love to have a cultural event for FIFA Haiti vs Scotland game. We have a huge Haitian population in Hyde Park and in our neighbors Mattapan. However, the game is on June 13 (all Mass FIFA games are in June). I'm guessing this idea would not qualify based on the timing?

June 2026 no. June 2027 yes.

Can you advise the path to also reach our local cultural council ?

You can find your Local Cultural Council here: <https://massculturalcouncil.org/communities/local-cultural-council-program/find-your-lcc/>

What are some examples of past events?

<https://massculturalcouncil.org/blog/3-4m-invested-in-creative-experiences-for-communities-across-massachusetts/>