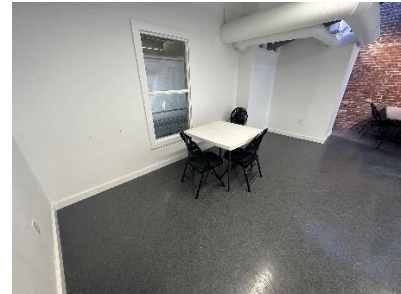
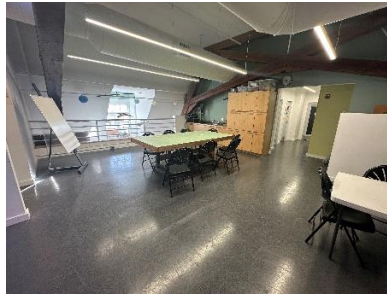
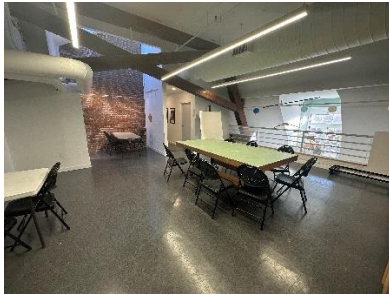


ACA Shared Artist Studio Rental Information



Arlington Center for the Arts is pleased to accept applications for a Shared Artist Studio located on the 4th floor of the Arlington Community Center building. We look forward to welcoming resident artists who create unique, dynamic work and contribute to the energy and vibrancy of our community.

The Shared Artist Studio will be open Monday – Friday, 9am – 6pm, and each artist member will have full access to the space during that time. The Shared Artist Studio will not be available for use on nights, weekends, or holidays when the ACA offices are closed.

The monthly rental rate for this shared space is \$150/artist. Initial participation in the Shared Artist Studio will require a 3-month commitment and signed lease, with the option to renew monthly after that time. Rent will be paid in advance for the full three months.

Shared Artist Studio Rental includes:

- Studio Access 5 days/week, Monday through Friday, 9am-6pm (except any holidays where the ACA offices are closed)
- Vibrant and collaborative work atmosphere
- WiFi and utilities
- Access to common area sinks
- Use of tables, easels, and furniture in Shared Studio

Shared Artist Studio Rental DOES NOT include:

- ACA membership
- Gallery entry fees
- Classroom Access
- Weekend and evening access
- Secure storage

To Apply

The online application is available at www.acarts.org. Applications will be accepted on a rolling basis. Selected artists will be invited for interviews and tours of the space.

Decision Criteria:

- Quality of the artwork in both content and technique
- Application of artistic practice within ACA space (safe materials, limited spaces, etc) (i.e., our space cannot accommodate large scale work and materials requiring ventilation)
- Benefit to the ACA Community: preference will be given to artists who are or would like to be active members of ACA.
- Ability to work well with others in a community space.
- Two references will be requested.
- All artists are eligible regardless of race, ethnicity, gender identity and expression, belief, national origin, sexual orientation, or physical abilities.
- All applicants must be age 21 and up.

Studio Standards and Expectations

A community studio is a wonderful place to exchange ideas and inspire one another. However, artists must be considerate of those around them to maintain a good atmosphere for those sharing the space. Workspace rules follow for reference.

General Courtesies

- When setting up, always take up as little space as possible, so that others can work around you. Kindly consolidate your work to accommodate others.
- Always ask each person in the room before turning on music. Remember silence always prevails. You are welcome to use headphones so as not to disturb others.
- Cell phone use in the workrooms is not permitted if there are other members in the space. All members must go to the hallways to have their conversations and use appropriate noise levels.
- Please respect studio hours, and do not enter the studio outside of designated hours.
- Due to the size of the space, we ask that you do not bring guests unless agreed upon with ACA staff and other shared studio artists.

Workspace & Storage Space

- Please use all workspaces for the prescribed activity and be respectful of other students' space needs.
- Secured storage is not available and minimal open-area storage is available for use by all artists.
- Please do not leave valuables in the Shared Artist Studio, ACA is not responsible for lost or displaced items.

Cleaning Up

- The cleanliness and order of the studio depend on the generosity and fair-mindedness of those who use it.
- Clean every area that you touch very thoroughly. The tidiness of the studio depends on each member's close attention to this matter.
- A broom and mop are available; please alert ACA staff if you need cleaning supplies.