2018-2019 TAP SEASON

The Modern’s Teen/Artist Project is an ongoing program in which the museum partners with regional and national artists to expand the art practice and knowledge of young, aspiring artists chosen through a portfolio and application process. The program accepts 15-20 high school students for an eight-month course which meets three hours each Sunday at the Modern, and occasionally other locations as prescribed by the specifics of each project. An important objective of TAP is for participants, both students and visiting artists, to develop a personal and meaningful relationship with the Modern and its holdings through close and continuous investigations.

Visiting artists work with the Modern EDU department to design relevant and challenging seminars spanning one to four weeks. These artist-run workshops generally consist of transdisciplinary conversations within the museum galleries and corresponding projects in the museum’s studio. The Modern strives to fully collaborate with each visiting artist to achieve the most effective programming, including an occasional offsite project or visit. With every eight-month TAP season, participants glean rich insights into the ideas and practices of the makers and thinkers they’ve had the opportunity to work with as well as developing their own attitudes and impulses within the field of contemporary art.

This program is as demanding as it is rewarding. Students are required to make a firm commitment to attend class regularly, participate in class discussions and group projects, and ultimately contribute work/projects for the TAP exhibition at the close of each season.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS / DEADLINE AUGUST 17, 2018

1. Completed application
2. Answers to application questions on a separate page
3. Artist statement (200 words maximum)
4. Four to eight examples of your own work (include title, medium, and year completed).
5. Website or blog url

Send printed application to:

Jesse Morgan Barnett
Assistant Curator of Education
Modern Art Museum of Fort Worth
3200 Darnell Street
Fort Worth, TX 76107
817.840.2141

Send digital application (preferred) to:

jbarnett@themodern.org

*Only reproductions of art work should be mailed in as submissions will not be returned
APPLICATION

First Name ____________________________________________

Last Name ____________________________________________

Street ________________________________________________

City ___________________________ Zip __________________

High School __________________________________________

Grade & Age __________________________________________

Cell Phone ___________________________ Home Phone __________________________

E-mail ______________________________________________

Emergency Contact Person ___________________________ Phone __________________________

Please answer the following questions in complete sentences on a separate page and include with your application. Your responses to these questions are as important as the visual portfolio submitted.

1. Why are you interested in participating in the field of contemporary art?

2. Why do you think transdisciplinary research is important for contemporary artists to engage with?

3. Is there a medium you have been curious to incorporate into your practice? Please describe why.

4. Who is a creative figure that you have an affinity towards? Please describe why.

5. Who is a creative figure that you have an aversion towards? Please describe why.

6. How would you list (from most significant to least significant) images, objects or experiences? Please describe why.
GUARDIAN ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

If accepted, the student and I understand that they must make a serious commitment to the Teen/Artist Project and will be expected to have transportation to the Museum each meeting.

I understand that the program (2018-2019) takes place most Sundays from 2 to 5 pm from September through May.

I understand that students may be dismissed from the program or not have work included in the Teen/Artist Project exhibition if they do not attend class on a regular basis.

Parent/Guardian’s Name ____________________________________________

Parent/Guardian’s Signature _______________________________________

Student’s Signature _____________________________________________

Date_____________________________________________________________
Teen/Artist Project Exhibition

**TAP Students**
- Cassidy Allen
- Katie Böne
- Marvel Bubek
- Ciara Correa
- Marcy Davis
- Mason Dimock
- Taryn Dorety
- Makayla Martinez
- Evelyn Matsi
- Anna Puff
- Ryan Meyers
- Maggie Oliveira
- Quinn Rousseau
- Erik Salcedo
- Caroline Sendlusyn
- Lela Skjelsvik
- Allison Villarosa
- Stephen Vickers

**TAP Visiting Artists**
- Sofia Basildas
- Nick Bontrager
- Desiree Espada
- Randy Guthmiller
- Luke Harnden
- Zeke Williams
- Carol Zou

Reception for the artists Sunday, May 21, 2:00 to 4:00
Open May 28, June 4 and June 11, 2:00 to 4:00 and by appointment.
Gallery 414 • 414 Templeton • Fort Worth TX 76107
Contact jbarnett@themodern.org for more information.