



2020 Support Grants Selected Application Questions

Organization Type*

Select the description that best fits your organization.

- Historical Museum or Society
- Education non-profit
- Community Cultural Organization
- Youth Services Organization
- Community Services Organization
- Mental Health or Medical Organization
- Arts Organization
- Other - If other organization type, please explain.

Other

Character Limit: 250

Communities Served*

Select the description(s) that best match the community your organization supports with the majority of its resources. Select all that apply.

- Indigenous communities
- Communities of color
- Low-income communities
- Communities in poverty
- Immigrants and/or Refugees
- People who are or have been incarcerated
- People who are homeless
- People living with addiction
- People living with mental illness
- People living with disabilities
- LGBTQ+ communities
- Other - please identify below and explain the special risks the community faces.

Organization Mission and Work*

Enter your organization's mission statement and provide an overview of the range of things your organization does. Explain why you made the selection above.

Character limit 4000.

Community Collaboration*

Select the description(s) that best match the ways the community plays a role in your organization.

- Leading your organization
- Organization staff
- Designing programs
- Leading programs
- Serving on the Board of Directors
- Serving on an advisory group
- Other - please describe below
- None of the above

Other

Character limit 1000

Access*

Is your humanities program(s) free for participants?

Yes

No

Humanities Component*

Select the descriptions(s) that best match the humanities activities in your program(s). Select all that apply.

- Community storytelling and conversation
- Passing down culture and traditions
- Conversations about values, identities, and big questions about the world we live in
- Education or conversation about books, theater, music, art, media, or history
- Education or conversation about community issues and government
- Education about citizenship and democracy
- Literacy education for adults
- Any of the above as an essential and deep part of creating some other kind of event like a play, festival, art project, or youth activity
- Other - please describe below in the "programs that engage the humanities" section.

Program(s) Description*

Of the program(s) run by your organization in the past 2 years describe the ones that *engage the humanities*. In this section, focus on describing all of the following: why you made the selection(s) above, what participants in the program(s) do, how many participants there are (on average), how often they meet, and how many times in a year your programs are offered.

Character limit: 4000

Use of Funds*

How do you plan to use the funds if you are awarded a grant? What you say here can be revised later as your needs change.

Character limit: 500

Tax-Exempt Status*

Select the description that matches your organization.

- My organization is a currently tax-exempt 501(c)3.
- My organization is not a 501(c)3 but has an agreement with a 501(c)3 fiscal sponsor.

Operating Expenses for FY2019*

For 501(c)3 applicants

Enter the operating expenses reported on your organization's most recently filed form 990.

(Operating expenses are reported on line 18 for form 990 or line 17 for form 990EZ. If you file a 990N, put your cash expenses for fiscal year 2019)

For applicants using a fiscal sponsor

Enter the figure for your organization's operating expenses for FY2019. It should match the figure for total operating expenses in your uploaded budget.

For 501(c)3 Applicants:

Form 990 Upload*

Please upload your most recently filed Form 990, 990EZ, or 990N.

For Applicants Using Fiscal Sponsors:

Fiscal Sponsor*

Enter the legal name of your fiscal sponsor.

Fiscal Sponsor Address*

Enter the mailing address of your fiscal sponsor.

Fiscal Sponsor Employer Tax Identification Number*

Enter the Tax Identification Number for your fiscal sponsor.

Upload Fiscal Sponsor Agreement*

If you already have a Fiscal Sponsor, upload your Fiscal Sponsor Agreement. If you need a Fiscal Sponsor, [here](#) is a sample Fiscal Sponsor Agreement and [here](#) is a list of Fiscal Sponsors in Massachusetts.

Organization FY2019 Budget Upload*

Upload *your organization's* annual budget for fiscal year 2019. This budget should include totals for your organization's actual revenue and expenses, broken down by categories, for FY2019.