

ARTworks Vass: Jury Questionnaire

Please Note that we're in the midst of an incredibly busy season at ARTworks Vass (Yay! And Thank you!) This means that it may be up to 3 weeks before you receive a response and further instructions about your jury submission. (We promise that it will be worth the wait.) After you submit your application, please mark your calendar for that 3-week time frame, and reach out to us at info@artworksvass.com only if you haven't received a response from us. Please do not call, text, or email repeatedly while you wait, as this will only slow the process on our end. Thank you for your patience with our process, and we're looking forward to seeing you and your work soon at ARTworks Vass!

At ARTworks Vass, we seek Artists and Craftspeople who create high quality work in all media that will complement our existing offerings without duplicating them. Our Artists are among the kindest and funniest people we know, and they're expected to be actively involved in the promotion and sale of their own work, the work of their peers, and our Community at ARTworks Vass.

If you're interested in seeking representation at ARTworks Vass, please email this completed questionnaire with high resolution digital images of up to 5 pieces of original work, and be sure to include their prices, outside dimensions, and creation dates. Each piece should be priced for sale, considering a 50% consignment rate. Additional documents, copies of press coverage, a biography, business cards, photos, and other marketing materials may also be submitted. Upon receipt, and as appropriate, we'll contact you to schedule an in-person jury review of your work.

Questions about the jury process should be directed by email to info@artworksvass.com.

Your answers to the questions below will be used in the evaluation of your work. Relax. This isn't a writing test, and we use this form primarily to get to know you better. Your answers will help us to tell your story and sell your artwork. Please be thorough and have fun with this process!

Artist's Name: _____

Address: _____

City and State: _____ **Zip:** _____

Home Phone: _____ **Cell Phone:** _____

Email Address(es): _____

Website(s): _____

How will we find you on Social Media Sites? (Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Tik Tok etc...) _____

Describe your work: _____

How long have you been producing this type of work? _____

Are you currently producing this type of work? Yes or No

Where do you currently sell your work? (Please describe all that apply.)

Internet _____

Stores and Galleries _____

Shows _____

Other _____

Why would you like to sell your work at ARTworks Vass? _____

Are you willing and able to refresh your ARTworks Vass Inventory with new work on at least a quarterly basis? Refreshing to us means exchanging at least a few pieces every three months.

Yes or No If not, why and how frequently will you refresh? _____

What is your artistic background? _____

What inspires you? _____

Have you won any unique awards or accolades? If so, please tell us about them. _____

Do you accept requests for custom orders or commissions? Yes or No

If yes, what information do you need to consider a customer's request? And how much lead time will you need to complete a customer request? (Please include a sample order form if you have one.)

Do you teach classes? If so, please describe them. _____

Are you interested in teaching at ARTworks Vass? Yes or No

Are you interested in providing occasional Artist Talks about your work and your creative process to local groups? Yes or No

What are the topics on which you'd most like to speak? _____

Is there anything else that we should know about you or your artwork? If so what? _____

If you are a local artist, are you willing to volunteer at ARTworks Vass on a monthly basis for a reduction in your consignment rate for the sale of work?

____ Yes, I'm interested in volunteering two days each month for a 15% rate reduction.

____ I'm not interested in volunteering.

Are you willing to co-host an opening and/or demonstration to promote your work? Yes or No

Giving back to our community is important to us. At ARTworks Vass, we request that each of our consigning artists donates one piece of their artwork each year. These pieces should be representative of the current body of work for sale at the gallery. They'll be used to fulfill requests for donations for charitable contributions in our community; they'll be used for in house promotions; and they'll generate publicity for you and your work.

Are you willing to make this donation? Yes or No

ARTworks Vass will represent the work of its member artists and crafters exclusively within a 20 mile radius of the gallery. Exceptions to this include limited run retail craft shows within the community, work in your own studio being sold as a result of promotion outside of ARTworks Vass, and approved businesses that represent your work prior to you entering into an agreement with ARTworks Vass. Additionally, limited exhibits associated with each surrounding county's local Arts Council, as associated with the North Carolina Arts Council, will be exempt from this requirement. Are you willing to show and sell your work exclusively at ARTworks Vass under these conditions?

ARTworks Vass administers public displays at other businesses and municipalities within our community. These displays are rotated quarterly, and all work in the gallery is eligible to be shown and sold offsite. Do you agree that your work may be featured in these displays? Yes or No

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____
Artist/Crafter

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____
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