

APPLICATION

The Artist-in-Residence Program at Caumsett provides visual artists the opportunity to spend time creating projects inspired by Caumsett's natural beauty, history, architecture, culture, and environmental and ecological significance. Each resident will be required to open their studio to the public for a minimum of twenty hours per week, create an educational program and give an Artist Talk.

Please complete the application by February 15, 2025 to be considered for 2025.



Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ DOB: _____

Website: _____

Email: _____

Materials to be submitted for review:

- Artist's Statement
- Description of objectives during the Caumsett Residency: please share a project proposal inspired by Caumsett.

**the artist statement and project proposal should be no longer than 1 page total*

- Jpegs, videos, some type of visual of your work in a format that is compatible with most Macs and PCs
- Current Resume/CV
- Any other documentation that will assist the Advisory Board in their decision

• Reference 1 | Name, Email, Phone Number

• Reference 2 | Name, Email, Phone Number

- Availability

April | May | June | July | August | September | October

4 weeks | 8 weeks | 12 weeks

- Are you open to a shared space? Yes / No

To be eligible, applicants must:

- Be 21 years of age or older.
- A practicing artist and/or creative practitioner as demonstrated by a sustained commitment to their work, career, and public audience.
- Able to transport themselves to and from Caumsett.
- A legal resident or U.S. citizen.
- Willing to sign a MOU/Contract Agreement with The Caumsett Foundation.

Please email your application to caumsettresidency@gmail.com.

FAQs:

Q. What are studio spaces like at Caumsett?

A. Caumsett's workspace is a one-hundred-year-old barn. The space is 720 square feet and has eight-foot-high walls, three small windows and a vaulted ceiling. Caumsett is providing two eight-foot long-work tables, a professional hanging system, studio chairs, an easel, and lighting.

Q. Can a guest, friend, spouse, partners, significant other, gallerist, mentor, artist, etc. visit residents inside the residency houses?

A. Yes, the park is open to the public. For those who do not have an Empire Pass, the park charges an \$8 entry fee. Fees are collected on the following:

4/6 - 5/27/24, 8:00 am - 4:00 pm Weekends Only

5/28 - 9/2/24, 8:00 am - 4:00 pm Daily

9/7 - 10/14/24, 8:00 am - 4:00 pm Weekends & Holidays

Q. Can residents bring a pet and or can pets visit?

A. No, Caumsett is a State Park and no animals are allowed.

Q. Are meals/food provided for residents?

A. Caumsett provides a \$500-1,000 stipend which may be spent however the artist decides. The stipend amount is determined by the artist's length of residency. There is a cafe which will be open Thursday-Sunday across from the resident's work space and the Foundation will be happy to provide a detailed list of groceries and local restaurants. Delivery services such as seamless , ubereats and doordash deliver to the park.

Q. Is there Wi-fi at Caumsett?

A. Yes.

Q. Does Caumsett have insurance to protect my work?

A. Not at this time. Artists are responsible for all of their works and personal items.