



ARTS ACCOMMODATION & VENUE / 205 SYDENHAM ST

**THE ARTEL is a live-in studio space and collective committed to fostering artistic growth by providing emerging artists with a supportive and stimulating environment. THE ARTEL seeks to contribute to the development of a dynamic and diverse arts scene, by encouraging an open dialogue among artists, between the artists and other arts institutions and organizations, and between the artists and the wider regional community.**

Terms of Tenancy

Tenants can lease for a term anywhere between six months to eighteen months. Tenants have the option to reapply at any time after their term for an additional six months. The Artel encourages all current and outgoing tenants to assist in the search for incoming tenants. Subletting can occur with the approval of all continuing tenants and the consultation of the committee. Tenants must pay a \$50 damage deposit as part of the lease agreement.

Application Materials and Documentation

**References**

Submit a reference from a previous landlord and a character reference from someone who has known you in a professional context. Please include contact information for each referee.

**Statement of Intent**

Create a one page statement of intent that outlines the following:

- the nature of your artistic practice and your commitment to this practice (achievements, goals, preferred mode of working). If you are not an artist, please describe your interest in the arts and The Artel as a developing project committed to supporting the artistic community.
- your willingness to participate in the ongoing operations of the house and how your participation will enrich the house, have impact on the arts community, and (if applicable) the Kingston community at large, and
- the optimum use of your live/work space, incorporating your rationale for your preferences of room. Note that rooms will be assigned on the basis of need as regards to your artistic practice.
- If you are a student, please describe the nature of your studies (part-time, full-time, area of study, year of study). If your studies are related to your artistic practice please explain.

Interview

Upon preliminary approval of your application The Artel may contact you to attend an interview at which you will be given the opportunity to meet The Artel tenants and committee members and elaborate on your interest in the project.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please send applications to  
The Artel, 205 Sydenham Street, Kingston, ON K7K 3M3  
and direct inquiries to The Artel: 613 542 0969 the.artel@gmail.com**