

Our size enables us to adhere to that timeless and rewarding educational process -- the apprentice/master relationship.

It is involvement on this level that infuses each and every student with the practicalities of creativity.



Wendell Castle

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The Wendell Castle School does not discriminate on the basis of race, sex, color, religion, creed, national origin, or handicap.

This school is authorized under Federal law to enroll nonimmigrant alien students.

The Wendell Castle School is a unique 501-c-(3) not-for-profit arts education institution. Our students, however, are not unique in their financial need. Contributions to the Wendell Castle School Tuition Assistance Scholarship Fund are most welcome. They are also gratefully acknowledged and they are fully tax deductible.

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“Design does not happen in isolation; design is a process of cultural assimilation. To be successful, the contemporary furniture maker must combine an advanced knowledge of the high technology of fine woodworking with a thorough understanding of the history and philosophy of design.”

PRESIDENT'S STATEMENT

The Wendell Castle School was founded in the belief that an alternative educational institution should exist for the benefit of those who wish to embrace furniture design and fine woodworking...not only as a profession, but as a way of life and a means of self-expression. This desire is often accompanied by educational goals which can best be served by a single-purpose institution; one with a specialized program designed to respond to individual needs. Accordingly, the WCS continues to adhere to the challenge of remaining small in order to provide the personal attention students require for creative growth.



At the Wendell Castle School, a diversity of programming provides woodworking students with the broad scope of experiences they need to succeed professionally. An artist is not simply a person with ideas, but rather a person with the skill to manifest these ideas. Thus, the educational aim of the WCS is to allow our students to become independent technically and aesthetically. We accomplish this through our unique academic program, a faculty young in spirit and rich in experience, and an atmosphere congenial to individual growth.

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