

NextFab

A makerspace and structured accelerator for artisans and entrepreneurs who make physical products.

PHYSICAL PRODUCTS • 13-WEEK COHORT • MICROENTERPRISE • TOOLS AND STUDIO SPACE

- **Best for:** Makers with ≤5 employees
- **Capital role:** No loan; \$2,400 credits
- **Support format:** 13-week hybrid cohort
- **Languages:** English published

Business size, stage, and industry: Current or aspiring creative entrepreneurs who make physical products or perform contract work. The 2026 Artisan Accelerator requires a Philadelphia business address, five or fewer employees, and low-to-moderate-income status; priority goes to historically disadvantaged communities.

SERVICES AND BUSINESS HELP

- Business education in business models, marketing, capital readiness, operations, financial management, product development, and sales.
- Access to woodworking, metalworking, jewelry, textiles, 3D and large-format printing, laser cutting, and CNC fabrication.
- Nine months of shared studio access with a legal business address, an annual membership, selling/branding opportunities, and limited facilitation support for barriers such as childcare, transportation, technology, and equipment.

FUNDING DETAILS

NON-CASH PROGRAM BENEFIT: NextFab does not advertise a direct business loan through the Artisan Accelerator. Selected participants receive \$2,400 in credits for technical education, machine reservations, and storage, plus covered membership and studio benefits. Capital-readiness sessions help participants evaluate grants, loans, and investments.

HOW TO START

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为制作实体产品的工匠和创业者提供创客空间及结构化加速项目。

实体产品 • 13 周小组课程 • 微型企业 • 设备与工作室

- **适合对象**：员工不超过 5 人的创客企业
- **资金角色**：不提供贷款；\$2,400 点数
- **服务形式**：13 周混合式课程
- **服务语言**：网站资料为英语

企业规模、阶段与行业：适合制作实体产品或承接制作合约的现有或准创业者。2026 Artisan Accelerator 要求企业地址位于费城、员工不超过 5 人，并符合中低收入标准；历史上处于不利地位的社区将获优先考虑。

服务与经营协助

- 培训商业模式、市场推广、融资准备、运营、财务管理、产品开发和销售。
- 提供木工、金工、珠宝、纺织、3D 与大幅面打印、激光切割和 CNC 加工设备。
- 提供 9 个月共享工作室、合法商业地址、年度会员资格、销售与品牌推广机会，并可有限度协助解决托儿、交通、科技和设备等障碍。

资金详情

非现金项目福利：Artisan Accelerator 不提供直接商业贷款。入选者可获 \$2,400 点数，用于技术课程、设备预约和储存空间，并享有会员及工作室福利；融资准备课程也会帮助参与者评估补助、贷款和投资选择。

如何开始

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