



Dear Scholarship Applicant,

The McGregor Fine Arts Academy has been blessed over the years and we are excited and happy extend this blessing on to you. We try to set the bar high and expect excellence from all of our students, and as a scholarship recipient this expectation is in some ways even greater. The following items are all found in our student handbook which is given to and gone over with each student at their initial orientation. However, there are some things that as an administration we felt were necessary to bring to the forefront for those applying for scholarship.

LESSONS

Lessons are available to anyone ages five and up desiring private instruction in vocal or instrumental music.

SCHEDULING LESSONS The Fine Arts Academy will try to accommodate students' preferred lesson times and also try to keep families with more than one student enrolled scheduled together. When enrolling for the next semester, we cannot guarantee that the student will have the same lesson day and time. However, preference is given to the students who are returning and those who enroll first.

ABSENTEEISM AND MAKE-UPS

Students are allowed two (2) excused absences each semester. Absences are considered excused if the student notifies the instructor a minimum of twenty-four (24) hours in advance of the lesson. Some exceptions may be considered. The instructor will then schedule a make-up lesson. If the instructor cancels a lesson for any reason, this *will not* count as a student absence and the instructor will schedule a make-up lesson with the student. If a student commits to the rescheduled lesson day/time, and is absent for any reason, the lesson will be forfeited and not rescheduled by the instructor. If a student does not show up for a lesson without prior notification, it is considered a "No Show" and the lesson is forfeited and is not rescheduled. However, the instructor is paid for their time and preparation for the lesson. Should a student have two "no shows," he/she is in jeopardy of terminating lessons and forfeiting the remaining scholarship amount.

TARDINESS

It is very important that students be on time for lessons. Because instructors' schedules are full, lessons will not be extended for late students.

PRACTICE TIME

We recommend that you practice five days per week, and that your practice time equal the amount of your lesson/instruction time. For example, if your lesson is 30 minutes, then your daily practice should also be 30 minutes. Lesson time is not practice time!

FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

All students are expected to pay the \$10.00 registration fee for each semester of study, including those receiving scholarships. After that, the recipient will only be responsible for the non-scholarship amount remaining. Because financial need varies, this amount may also vary.

This concludes the items that you, as a scholarship applicant, should consider prior to applying. And, having read the above information, please know that should a scholarship be awarded, the recipient and parents/guardians of the recipient will be responsible to fully understand all information and uphold all of the requirements given to the best of their abilities. Should a student violate or offend these policies, he or she will be in jeopardy of terminating lessons and forfeiting the remaining scholarship amount.

Sincerely,

Terri Thomas
Fine Arts Academy Administrator

By signing below, I agree that I understand and will, to the best of my abilities, abide by the policies and standards set forth by the Academy as stated in the above letter.

_____ Date _____
Applicant's Signature

_____ Date _____
Parent's/Guardian's Signature (if applicant is a minor)

_____ Date _____
Terri Thomas, Academy Administrator



SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Today's Date: ____/____/____

STUDENT INFORMATION

STUDENT'S NAME _____ M _____ F _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

HOME PHONE _____ CELL PHONE _____

EMAIL _____ DOB _____

EMPLOYER OR SCHOOL _____ GRADE/ JOB TITLE _____

MARITAL STATUS: _____ MARRIED _____ SINGLE _____ WIDOWED _____ DIVORCED _____ SEPARATED _____ N/A

NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN HOUSEHOLD _____ AGES: _____

YOUR or YOUR SPOUSE'S NAME _____ CELL PHONE _____

Employer _____ Job Title _____

FATHER'S NAME _____ CELL PHONE _____

Employer _____ Job Title _____

MOTHER'S NAME _____ CELL PHONE _____

Employer _____ Job Title _____

COMBINED HOUSEHOLD ANNUAL INCOME \$ _____

LOCAL CHURCH MEMBER? _____ IF YES, WHICH CHURCH? _____

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

LESSON TYPE APPLYING FOR: _____ VOCAL _____ INSTRUMENTAL _____

_____ GROUP CLASS I _____ GROUP CLASS II _____ OTHER _____

TYPE OF SCHOLARSHIP APPLYING FOR: _____ FULL _____ PARTIAL SCHOLARSHIP

HOW MUCH ARE YOU ABLE TO CONTRIBUTE TOWARD LESSONS? _____

REASON FOR SCHOLARSHIP REQUEST _____

MUSIC/ART HISTORY

MUSIC/ART LEVEL: _____ BEGINNER _____ INTERMEDIATE _____ ADVANCED STUDENT HAS COMPLETED _____ PREVIOUS

SEMESTERS WITH THE MCGREGOR FINE ARTS ACADEMY

PREVIOUS INSTRUCTOR(S) _____

I understand that should I receive scholarship funds, it is being given in good faith that the student will show good stewardship as well as good musicianship by being diligent to fully apply himself not only during lesson time, but also in consistent, quality rehearsal times as set forth in the student handbook. I also understand that if I receive a scholarship in any amount, I am still responsible to pay the \$10.00 registration per semester.

SIGNED: _____ DATE: ____/____/____



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FALL _____ SPRING _____ SUMMER _____ DATE: ____/____/____

_____ DECLINED _____ PENDING

_____ ACCEPTED -- AMOUNT GRANTED