

Annual Music Education Scholarship

Revised 10/2009

I. Criteria for Selection - The applicant must:

- 1. Major in Music Education
- 2. Demonstrate general musicianship
- 3. Demonstrate music performance ability
- 4. Supply two letters of recommendation from non-family members
- 5. Supply a letter of recommendation from the applicant's high school chorus or band director who is a member of the WCMEA.

II. Selection Process - The applicant must:

- 1. Audition for the selection panel during the Westmoreland County Chorus and/or Band Festival.
 - a. Audition selection should be suitable for a college entrance audition.
 - b. A copy of the audition piece that your student is playing is REQUIRED.
 - c. Submit the scholarship application and reference letters to the selection committee and WCMEA President.
- 2. Interview with the selection panel during the Westmoreland County Chorus or Band Festival.
- 3. Successfully complete participation in the festival commencing with registration and culminating with the performance.

III. Scholarship Award

- 1. Announcement of the scholarship will be made at the Westmoreland County Chorus and Band Festival Concert.
- 2. Payment of the scholarship award will be made upon evidence of the first semester grades and second semester registration fees by contacting the WCMEA Secretary/Treasurer. The Secretary/Treasurer's name and address will be provided in the announcement letter.



Music Education Scholarship Student Application Revised 10/2009

Name
Address
Phone Number
High School Instrument/Voice
Number of years in your high school instrumental or vocal music program
Number of years you have studied privately
Name of your private music teacher(s)
Please list all ensembles in which you have participated both in and out of high school.
Please list all WCMEA festivals in which you have participated.
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Please list all PMEA festivals in which you have participated.
Please list all colleges or universities at which you plan to audition.
Name of Festival and Date

Applicants are to bring this form to the festival. The student's teacher should alert the WCMEA President and the festival host at least one week prior to the festival that they will be bringing a student to audition.