



Fort Wayne Philharmonic Friends Scholarship

Purpose: This scholarship provides financial aid to promising elementary and/or secondary orchestral instrument and/or vocal students who need assistance in meeting the cost of private lessons **during the coming 2017-2018 academic year**. Scholarships will be awarded for two (2) or more lessons depending on the need, merit and number of students applying. A check will be issued upon receipt of the "Letter of Intent" form co-signed by teacher and student.

Please note the eligibility requirements that are in **bold italics**. Also, you may apply for **either a Friends Scholarship or the Phil Musician's Professional Scholarship but not both**.

Eligibility Requirements & Instructions:

- Applicants must be in **grades 3-12 for the 2017-2018 school year**
- **Applicants must have studied with their current teacher for at least one year prior to application date.**
- Vocal students must be at least 13 years old (male voices must have changed)
- Instruments must be orchestral instruments (includes piano)
- Application must be complete and returned by the deadline
- Teacher Recommendation Form is to be submitted by music instructor/teacher (mailed by teacher)

Scholarship Deadlines & Notifications

June 1, 2017 is the postmark deadline for all applications. Student application forms and Teacher Recommendation forms may be mailed separately, but all forms must be on time. Please mail materials to:

Fort Wayne Philharmonic
4901 Fuller Drive
Fort Wayne, IN 46835
Attn: Friends Scholarship Committee

All applicants will be notified of scholarship awards after the scholarship committee meets in late June (date to be determined). If you have any additional questions, please contact Kathie Sessions at 260-432-0286.