



MEA MUSIC COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Application Due Date – May 1

Requirements

1. Student must currently be a pupil of an MEA member in good standing.
2. Student must be a high school senior accepted as a music major at a university, college or conservatory.
3. Student must have completed 3 years in **any or a combination of any three** of the following MEA activities over the past 3 years and provide copies of:
 - A. Annual Piano Auditions: Must have received ratings of Superior or more in the Senior Grade or higher.
 - B. Piano Competition: Must have received a rating of Honorable Mention or higher from age 13 or above.
 - C. Honors Recital: Must have been selected to perform at age 13 or above.
 - D. Theory: Must have completed one test in the Senior Grade or higher with a rating of Superior (90%) or higher.
 - E. Eric Steiner Composition Contest: Must have been selected as a winner.
4. Two letters of recommendation are required: one from the applicant's piano teacher and one from the guidance counselor.
5. Student must submit a three-paragraph essay written by the applicant explaining the place music has in his/her life.
6. Student must submit records of 1st semester grades as a music major at a university, college or conservatory.

In the event of extenuating circumstances, the Board may make an exception to the above requirements. This would be decided on a case-by-case basis. The amount of the scholarship will be \$1,000-\$2,000, to be determined by the Board. A maximum of three scholarships will be awarded per year, also at the discretion of the Board. ***Upon receipt of the first semester grades, the money will be sent directly to the school the student is attending.***

To register online click **Here** or download this application and submit with the letters of recommendation and required documents to:

Sondra Tammam, Scholarship Co-chair, P.O. Box 32, Madison NJ 07940

Name _____

Address _____

Phone Number _____ Email _____

Date/Place of Birth _____ Present School _____

Present Piano Teacher _____

Former Teacher (if within 3 years) _____

Years of Study _____ Class Rank or GPA _____

In what area of music do you plan to major? _____

List your musical activities (may be attached) _____

Which institutions are your first 3 choices?

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Estimated Cost of Tuition _____ Room/Board _____ Travel/Books _____

*Questions? Please call Sondra Tammam at 908-233-6667 or
email: scholarships@mea-nj.org*