



PO BOX 4389 • CHATTANOOGA, TN 37405

GUIDELINES FOR SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION (Revised September 14, 2022)

Thank you for your dedication to the performing arts and your interest in the Performing Arts League Scholarship program.

The purpose of the Performing Arts League Scholarship program is to encourage the expansion and development of programs that recruit, develop or train young students for participation in all disciplines of the Performing Arts, including Dance, Instrumental, Theatre, and Vocal. Scholarships are available to students who are active participants in Hamilton County 501(c)3 performing arts organizations. More than one student within the organization may make one scholarship request each. Only one scholarship awarded will be allocated per student per year.

LEGAL ASSURANCE: *(In the event that a scholarship is awarded as a result of this Application, the recipient agrees to the following terms and conditions as signified by the applicants' signatures. This Application shall become part of the legally binding contract between the applicant and the Performing Arts League.)*

- The scholarship award must be used only for the requested need. The award will be paid directly to the performing arts organization of which you are a student.
- The recipient shall submit a short essay within thirty (30) days of completion of the awarded activity to the Performing Arts League, Inc., summarizing how this scholarship award was used and how it supports your involvement in the performing art.
- Credit must be given to Performing Arts League, Inc. in any printed materials, publicity, including websites. When no printed information is used, verbal credit shall be given prior to each performance or presentation.

Student Name _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian typed or printed name _____

Please return completed application by specified deadline to:

**Linda Thompson,
PAL Scholarships & Grants Vice President
P. O. Box 4389
Chattanooga, TN 37405**

OR email: finalrequests@bellsouth.net

To promote youth involvement in the performing arts

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION (Revised Sept. 14, 2022) Date received by PAL _____

(Please type or print in blue or black ink)

Deadline for complete Scholarship Application submission must be postmarked or emailed by midnight March 20, 2023.

In the interest of fairness and equity, late applications will not be considered. We suggest you use certified mail or email read receipt.

Notification of awards will be made by April 30, 2023.

STUDENT AND PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION

To be completed by the student:

Student Name: _____ Age: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone Number: _____ E-Mail Address: _____

Academic School: _____ Current Grade: _____

Current Performing Organization: _____ Number of Years Enrolled? _____

Discipline/Talent: _____ How Long Have You Participated? _____

BRIEFLY EXPLAIN HOW THIS SCHOLARSHIP WILL AID YOUR FUTURE ARTS GOALS.

WHAT DO YOU FEEL YOUR STRENGTHS ARE AS A STUDENT ARTIST? Include any recognitions you may have received.

Performing Organization or School Performing Group Name: _____

Director/Teacher's Name and Phone Number: _____

Director/Teacher E-Mail Address: _____

WHAT IS INTENDED USE OF SCHOLARSHIP? Workshop/Intensive _____ Private Lessons _____
Camp _____ Other (please describe) _____

Name of Scholarship Program or Individual Private Teacher: _____

Dates: _____

Location of Program/Private Teacher _____

Program Application Submitted? _____ Have You Been Accepted? _____

Total Tuition Amount: _____ Deadline for Tuition: _____

To be completed by parent/guardian:

I, (legibly print) _____, am the parent or legal guardian of the above-named student.

The amount our family can reasonably be expected to contribute is \$ _____.

The amount my student seeks in scholarship funds is \$ _____

*Amounts awarded vary each year. Partial scholarships are typically awarded. Additional amounts may be awarded based upon funds availability.

Have you received or expect to receive additional funds? _____ Amount? _____

The amount of any additional funds received before or after application submission must be reported to PAL.

What is the name and address of private teacher or summer program? Checks will be written only to the named teacher or summer program.

I am the parent or legal guardian of the above-named student. By signing below I acknowledge my support for this application.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date: _____

If there are specific circumstances/reasons for need, please attach a separate letter.

CONFIDENTIAL CURRENT ARTS TEACHER EVALUATION FORM Date received by PAL _____

Students: Give this recommendation to your current arts teacher. Confirm that they have submitted form to PAL by the deadline.

Evaluation form must be postmarked or emailed by midnight March 20, 2023.

Arts Teachers: Do not return to student. Please return this page directly to:

Linda Thompson

PAL Scholarships & Grants Vice President

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(Please type or print in blue or black ink)

Name of Student: _____

Current Performing Arts Organization/Teacher's Name: _____

This applicant is a current student in my program Yes _____ No _____

How long have you taught this student? _____

Please rate the student on the following:

	LOW	FAIR	AVERAGE	GOOD	EXCELLENT
Talent	1	2	3	4	5
Dependability	1	2	3	4	5
Responsibility	1	2	3	4	5
Leadership Qualities	1	2	3	4	5
Potential	1	2	3	4	5

Do you have any further comments concerning your ratings?

Do you support this student's application for a PAL Scholarship? YES _____ NO _____

Do you feel this student has a financial need? If so, please elaborate on a separate page.

Teacher/Director's

Signature _____

Home Address _____ Zip Code _____

Contact Phone Number _____ Email Address _____

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