



Ohio Valley Music Guild Scholarship 2021

The Ohio Valley Music Guild (OVMG), for all intents and purposes, has established a Music Scholarship. The scholarship is solely for college students who are engaged in/with the study of music.

The goal of the Student Scholarship is to maintain the integrity of the arts. Any college sophomore and above from our tri-state area (Eastern Ohio, Northern West Virginia, and Western Pennsylvania) is eligible to apply if they meet the following criteria:

- The student is required to major in some music-related field of study (music education, performance/theatrical, vocal, and/or instrumental music, etc.).
- Special consideration is given to those who plan to perform and/or teach within the tri-state area upon matriculation.

Scholarship Guidelines:

The OVMG does agree to provide the sum of \$1,000 annually for the maintaining of the scholarship. The scholarship recipient must be enrolled in a full-time music-related major and be at least of college sophomore status. The scholarship is for the purpose of providing financial assistance to eligible students for expenses to cover tuition, fees, books, supplies, and required equipment, and it will be given directly to the recipient. The award is for one year only. Previous applicants and recipients are encouraged to reapply each year for the duration of their music studies.

The scholarship applicant must meet all of the admissions requirements of the University/College or program of their choice and may be enrolled in the fall or spring semester or quarter as long as they carry at least a 12 credit hours schedule.

Application and Requirements:

- Completed application (available through this website or a physical version by request).
- A letter of recommendation or OVMG Nomination Form signed by a current teacher or instructor. (Also available at <https://ohiovalleymusicguild.com/scholarship/nomination/>.)
- Include a college transcript and letter of acceptance from said school documenting your acceptance and studies in the "Music Program."

Deadline:

- Applications must be received by November 14.
- Scholarship Recipients will be announced by December 1.

Selection and Committee:

- The selection committee will consist of select members of the Board of Directors of the OVMG.

Award:

- The size of the scholarship will be at the discretion of the OVMG Board of Directors. The selection

committee will make an attempt to award one \$1,000 scholarship, but will retain rights to divide the award. The selection committee may withhold the award in years in which no qualified applicants apply. Recipients will be responsible for any tax responsibilities.

Publicity:

- By completing and submitting the Scholarship form, the recipient accepts that the OVMG may use his/her image, name, and biographical information for publicity purposes.

Please include the following:

- Completed Application Form and include copies of college transcripts and letter of acceptance
- Signed letter of recommendation or "Nomination Form" from your current music teacher/instructor
- Brief 500 word essay using the "Essay Form" Guidelines

Questions:

- Email scholarship2021@ohiovalleymusicguild.com (<mailto:scholarship2021@ohiovalleymusicguild.com>).
- Write us at

Ohio Valley Music Guild
Attn: Scholarship Committee
P.O. Box 2158
Wintersville, OH 43953

* Required

Application (Part 1): Demographics

Please read the scholarship guidelines attached to this form. This provides us with biographical information. No applications will be reviewed unless you answer each question thoroughly. When you have finished the application, please return it to the OVMG.

1. Applicant's Name *

2. Applicant's Home Address *

3. Applicant's Email Address *

4. Applicant's Primary Phone Number *

Example: (740) 555-5555

5. Is the Primary Phone Number a Cell Phone? *

Yes

No

6. Applicant's Alternate Phone Number

7. Is the Alternate Phone Number a Cell Phone?

Yes

No

8. Date of Birth? *

Example: 07/04/1776 = Month/Day/Year

9. Age? *

10. High School (Graduated From)? *

11. Parents/Guardians Name(s) *

12. Parents/Guardians Home Address *

13. Parents/Guardians Email Address(es) *

14. Parents/Guardians Primary Phone Number *

Example: (740) 555-5555

15. Is the Primary Phone Number a Cell Phone? *

Yes

No

16. Parents/Guardians Alternate Phone Number

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17. Is the Alternate Phone Number a Cell Phone?

Yes

No

Application (Part 2): Academics

18. Name of College/University *

19. The College/University's Address *

20. During which semester/quarter do you plan to use the Scholarship? *

Fall

Winter

Spring

Summer

Other

21. Please list any honors or awards received from your high school, college or community.

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22. Please list extracurricular activities and musical choirs, bands, or ensembles that you are involved in at college. *

Application (Part 3): Essay

Please address one of the following three questions. Answer the question using 500 words or less.

- How does your educational plan promote your passion?
- Describe the accomplishment of which you are most proud.
- Five years from now, you are being given an award for "Person of the Year." Why are you being given this award?

23. Essay Submission *

If unable to fit your response in the box below, please email scholarship2021@ohiovalleymusicguild.com (<mailto:scholarship2021@ohiovalleymusicguild.com>).

Application (Part 4): Certification/Attestation

24. I hereby certify that all of the information provided is current and accurate. If I have falsified information in any way, I understand that this scholarship application will be voided and all awarded money will be repaid to UOVOG. *

Yes

25. Applicant's Signature (Please type your full name.) *

Electronic Signature Agreement: By entering your name (and today's date below), you are signing this Application electronically (an "eSignature"). You agree your eSignature is the legal equivalent of your manual/handwritten signature. You consent to the legally binding terms and conditions. You further agree that this eSignature is as valid as if you signed this Application in writing. You also agree that no certification authority or other third party verification is necessary to validate your eSignature, and that the lack of such certification or third party verification will not in any way affect the enforce-ability of your eSignature or any resulting agreement between you and the OVMG. You are also confirming that you are the Applicant.

26. Today's Date *

Please select today's date.

Format: M/d/yyyy

Application (Part 5): Submission and Next Steps

Thank you for completing the online portion of the OVMG Scholarship Application!

In order for your application to be complete, please mail/email (see below):

- A letter of recommendation (with contact information) or an OVMG Nomination Form. [Please have a current teacher or instructor (the "Recommender/Nominator") go to the OVMG Scholarship's Nominator page (<https://ohiovalleymusicguild.com/scholarship/nomination/>) and complete their portion online. A physical OVMG Nomination Form, which will need a physical signature, is available by request.]
- A college transcript and letter of acceptance from said school documenting your acceptance and studies in the "Music Program."

Questions and submissions:

- Email scholarship2021@ohiovalleymusicguild.com (<mailto:scholarship2021@ohiovalleymusicguild.com>).
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Please press the button below to submit your application! Thank you!

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