Summer Music Program Scholarships for MusicLink Students

The MusicLink Foundation is pleased to offer financial assistance to MusicLink students who seek an experience at a summer music program or music camp of their choice. The process has been simplified to provide assistance to more students in the MusicLink program. MusicLink teachers, students, and families FIRST apply to a music program of their choice, requesting any financial aid offered through the camp or program. Teachers and students apply for the MusicLink Foundation scholarships AFTER the student has been accepted to the camp or program. The MusicLink scholarships will assist in any remaining summer program fees up to $250. Transportation costs are not part of this scholarship.

ELIGIBILITY: MusicLink summer music camp scholarships are available to students who:

- have been enrolled in the MusicLink program for at least **six months.**
- have a record of progress and commitment to lessons, as indicated on any E Student Evaluation forms completed by their MusicLink teachers.
- have been accepted into a music camp and applied for possible camp financial assistance.
- have demonstrated commitment and enthusiasm for lessons, determined by nomination letters completed by their MusicLink teacher.
- complete the MusicLink Camp Scholarship application form, indicating interest in attending a summer music camp.

We look forward to receiving your application,

Joanne Haroutounian
Executive Director
MusicLink Foundation

MusicLink Camp Scholarship Grant Application

The MusicLink Foundation's camp scholarship program provides supplementary financial assistance (not to exceed $250) beyond what may be provided by a music camp that has accepted a MusicLink student into its summer program. Students must FIRST apply and be accepted to a summer music camp of their choice, then complete the information below, providing evidence of camp acceptance and any financial assistance provided by the camp. There are a limited number of MusicLink camp scholarships available, granted on a first come-first served basis, with application deadline of **May 15th** of each year.

SEND THE APPLICATION AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION IN ONE ENVELOPE TO:
MusicLink Foundation, 1043 N. McKinley Rd., Arlington, VA 22205
For more information: 703-534-9490, info@musiclinkfoundation.org

Student Name _____ Age ____ Grade _____
Parents/Guardian _____
Address _____
City _____ State_____ Zip_____
Phone _____ email _____
Instrument _____MusicLink student since mo _____ yr _____

Teacher Name _____
Address _____
City _____State _____ Zip_____
Phone _____ email _____
Member (circle): MTNA NFCM MENC NATS ASTA NGCSA IJAE ASOL
Other_____

Camp Name _____
Name of Contact _____
Camp Address _____
City _____ State _____Zip_____
Camp Phone _____ Camp email _____
Camp Fax _____Exact Session Dates: _____

Part 1: TO BE COMPLETED BY THE MUSICLINK TEACHER, STUDENT, AND FAMILY
Please attach:

- A copy of your letter of acceptance to the camp listed above.
- A budget that includes the cost of camp, financial assistance provided by the camp, and any scholarship money received from other sources. Include the amount requested from the MusicLink Foundation (not to exceed $250).. MusicLink Scholarships are sent directly to the camp and do not apply to transportation costs.
- A letter of recommendation from the student's MusicLink teacher indicating student capabilities, motivation, responsibility, involvement in musical activities, and attitude towards performing for others.

Part 2: TO BE COMPLETED BY THE MUSICLINK STUDENT
Please answer the following questions on a separate piece of paper (typed if possible).Write at least one paragraph per question.

1. What do you like best in your MusicLink lessons?
2. What are some important things you are learning about music and the process of "how to learn" music?
3. Describe three things you are proud of in your musical accomplishments (school, home, lessons, community, etc.)
4. Why do you want to go to this particular music camp and what do you hope to learn through this experience?