

Williamsport, MD Community Band

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Harry E. Kight Student Musician Scholarship 2022

Dear Student,

The Williamsport, MD Community Band invites you to apply for a scholarship. The Harry E. Kight Student Musician Scholarship has been established by the Williamsport, MD Community Band to annually benefit any student in the Tri-State area who has been accepted in or is currently enrolled in a collegiate music program.

Purpose of Scholarship

The Harry E. Kight Student Musician Scholarship shall be to help fund part of the costs and expenses towards a degree in music. Costs and expenses could include:

- Instrument purchases
- Room and board
- Textbooks
- Meal plans

The scholarship awarded each year shall be for one (1) qualifying and deserving applicant. (Proof of acceptance or enrollment is required.)

Scholarship Amount

Scholarship monies will not exceed **\$1,000**.

If the Scholarship Committee believes there is more than one equally qualifying and deserving applicant, the Committee Chairperson shall present these facts to the Board for a determination of the award. Regardless of the number of qualifying and deserving applicants, the award amount shall not exceed \$1,000.00 per year.

If there are no qualifying and deserving applicants, no scholarship shall be awarded.

Application Deadline

There is no application fee. Applications (and all requirements for the application) must be **postmarked or received via email on or before April 17, 2022.**

If emailing: williamsportcommunityband@gmail.com with time stamped by the deadline.

If mailing, send applications with a self-addressed, stamped envelope to:

Harry E. Kight Scholarship 2020
c/o Mrs. Nancy Mitchell
P. O. Box 223
Williamsport, MD 21795

Scholarship Award Date

Scholarship award notification will be by May 1, 2022, the day of the Williamsport Community Band's Spring concert. Any questions can be directed to the email address below.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Nancy Mitchell, Scholarship Committee Chair
Williamsport, MD Community Band
williamsportcommunityband@gmail.com

**Harry E. Kight Student Musician Scholarship 2022
Application**

Please complete this scholarship application and return to the following address with a self-addressed, stamped envelope, or email williamsportcommunityband@gmail.com a complete copy of application and all components, **postmarked by** April 17, 2022.

Harry E. Kight Scholarship 2022
C/O Mrs. Nancy Mitchell
P.O. Box 223
Williamsport, MD 21795

Applicant's Name _____

School Principal Name (if applicable) _____

School Name (if applicable) _____

School Address _____

Address Line 2 _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

School Phone (_____) _____ - _____

Applicant's Email Address _____

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

Signature of Principal _____ Date _____
(if applicable)

College Planning to Attend _____

Date Planning to Begin College _____

ESSAY: Please write an essay explaining the following: 1. How will you benefit from this scholarship? 2. Describe how you will use the scholarship money, if awarded. 3. List music activities you have participated in. 4. What extra curricular activities have you been involved in? 5. Explain your relationship with music and why you should be awarded our scholarship.

(Please enclose proof of acceptance to or enrollment in a collegiate music degree program)

Another requirement for eligibility and award will be letters of recommendation from (2) teachers of your choice. (1) of these letters is required from a music teacher. There are two copies of these letters provided for your use. These letters are to be returned in a sealed envelope **postmarked on or before April 17, 2022 OR send a copy of complete application and all components via email to williamsportcommunityband@gmail.com time stamped by the deadline.**

The final requirement for eligibility and award is the submission of a short video presentation. The video should not exceed three minutes in length and the applicant may choose excerpts from a piece or pieces of their choice. Please submit either a hard copy of the audition video with the application (if sent through the mail **POSTMARKED** April 17, 2022) or email the file separately (Time stamped on email **BY APRIL 17, 2022**)
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Dear teacher,

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The purpose of this scholarship is to assist in the costs of education for a student accepted or enrolled in a collegiate music degree program. The scholarship monies awarded will be a maximum of \$1,000. The scholarship committee reserves the right to award more than one scholarship if they find several applicants eligible and deserving. The amount awarded per year will not exceed \$1,000.00.

We are asking the applicants to answer a few **questions** about their music and extracurricular activities. We also require them to write an **essay** describing their relationship with music and submit a **short video** audition.

Other requirements for the applicant are:

- A signature from their principal on the application
- Proof of acceptance to or enrollment in a collegiate music degree program enclosed with their application

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We look forward to reading your letter and we extend our gratitude for your dedication to educating our future generations.

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