



STUDENT APPLICATION FORM
Plymouth Philharmonic Orchestra Music Scholarship

Student Name:

Last _____ First _____ M.I. _____

Parents/Guardians Names:

Last _____ First _____ M.I. _____

Last _____ First _____ M.I. _____

Mailing Address

Street _____ Town _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Address, if different from above

Street _____ Town _____ State _____ Zip _____

Student Cell Phone _____ **Student Email** _____

School Attending _____

Street _____ **Town** _____ **State** _____ **Zip** _____

Anticipated Graduation Date _____

Current Grade Point Average _____

If you are the recipient of this scholarship, what will the award be used for?

In separate attachments, please include the items listed below:

- A. Music Activities and Accomplishments: **List all music activities** in which you have participated from junior high to today. Include any awards and honors you have earned as well as publications and performances.
- B. Goals Statement: In **an essay** of 250 words or less, explain the importance of music in your life and outline your goals for studying music at college and beyond.
- C. Most recent High school transcript.
- D. A 2-3 minute MP3 or video of a solo instrumental or vocal performance, or a sample of an original composition.

In addition to the above, please provide 2 Letters of Recommendation from:

- A music teacher
- A non-family member, (examples: coach, mentor, employer, another teacher, family friend)

Student Signature _____ **Date** _____

Please submit the student application form, along with the attachments (A-D above), 2 letters of recommendation, financial disclosure form (filled out by a parent/guardian), and any other pertinent information by the application submission deadline of **Friday, April 3, 2026**.

Digital applications are preferred and should be sent to

musicscholarship@plymouthphil.org

Include your last name as part of each file name.

Or mail your application packet to...

**Junior Music Scholarship
Plymouth Philharmonic Orchestra
PO Box 3174
Plymouth, MA 02361**

Plymouth Philharmonic Orchestra Music Scholarship Selection Process

- The Scholarship Committee includes the Plymouth Philharmonic Music Director, select Board and former Board members, and select active or former playing members of the Orchestra.
- The Scholarship Committee reviews all completed applications and then selects up to five (5) applicants to be interviewed with one (1) final candidate to be selected as the scholarship winner.
- Applicants interviewed are judged on a broad set of criteria including musical achievements, future goals, focus, motivation, presentation, and financial need. A candidate may submit a portfolio of programs and/or school news articles, but these materials are optional.
- The 2-3 minute MP3 or video of a solo instrumental or vocal performance, or a sample of an original composition [Noted in Item D above] is very important to provide along with your application materials.

Scholarship Award

- The Plymouth Philharmonic Orchestra will make a direct payment to the scholarship winner in the form of a reimbursement of approved expenses.
- The winner must share with the Phil's office a receipt(s) to show how the money was spent within **six months** of the scholarship award and briefly explain in writing the benefits of having received the award.
- The Committee reserves the right not to award a scholarship when its members agree there is not a suitable candidate.



**Junior Scholarship
Parent/Guardian Financial Disclosure Form**

Please provide the following information:

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Student Applicant Name: _____

Address:

Street _____ Town _____ Zip _____

Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

Number of dependents living at home: _____

Number of dependents attending college: _____

Annual Income Range (Please include all sources of income for the household):

Below \$50,000

\$50,000 - \$100,000

\$100,000 - \$200,000

Above \$200,000

Do you own your own home? Yes No

Explain any special circumstances about your family's financial situation. You may attach an additional page if needed.

Signature _____ Date _____