



CUMBERLAND VALLEY SCHOOL OF MUSIC

Scholarship Policies & Application

The following information assists students, parents, and faculty members in understanding the scholarship policies for Cumberland Valley School of Music. Funding for scholarships is limited; however, every effort will be made to provide funding to all who apply.

Scholarship Policies

- **New applications may be submitted at any time.**
- **Renewal applications must be submitted by August 13th for the fall semester.**
- **New for 2023: A maximum of \$1200 per student will be given per academic year.**
- Any scholarship received is applied to the student account and is not given in the form of cash.
- If there is a change in the length or number of lessons, the scholarship will be adjusted accordingly.
- A student who withdraws before the completion of a semester will not receive credit on his/her scholarship for subsequent enrollment.
- The receipt of a scholarship does not guarantee future scholarships.
- **The acceptance of a scholarship carries with it an obligation of the student to attend lessons regularly and work diligently on making progress in their principal area of concentration.** Scholarships may be withdrawn at any time if, in the opinion of the teacher and members of the CVSM staff, the recipient fails to meet the minimum standards which are expected by the teacher and CVSM.
- Recipients of scholarships may be asked to perform on behalf of CVSM, either as a soloist or part of an ensemble, or may be requested to assist in school events by serving as an usher, helping with bulk mailing, or similar volunteer activities. Consideration will be given to conflicts with school, church, and family activities.

CVSM is committed to providing assistance to those students who might otherwise be unable to study at the school. Limitations in the amount of funding available may mean that not every student with a demonstrated need can be helped. All applications received by the stated deadlines will be considered equally and the school will assist as many students as possible. In almost every instance, the student is expected to pay something towards his or her lessons, no matter how small that contribution is.

- * *All applicants are asked to submit pages 1 and 2 of the most recent federal tax return, if available. Not having this information will not prevent scholarship consideration. This material will not be returned to you.*
- * *It is important that any additional information which might affect the decision of the school to grant aid be detailed as part of the application. Such information might include unusual medical expenses or expenses for education. Please document such expenses or outline these expenses in a letter.*
- * *All information submitted to CVSM will be kept in strict confidence.*

2023-2024 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Please complete all information on this application and return to CVSM.

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Guardian Last Name(s) First Name(s) Relationship to Student

Guardian Occupation(s) & Employer(s)

Home phone Cell phone Email Address

Street Address City State Zip

Please attach pages 1 and 2 of your most recent federal tax return, if available.

Combined Annual Gross Income of most recent year (*page 1, line 11*) \$ _____

Do you receive Child support payments? No Yes If yes, monthly amount _____

Monthly Mortgage/Rent \$ _____

Please attach any additional information or extenuating circumstances which may assist us in evaluating your financial situation.

List below all members of the family registering for lessons or classes.

Student Name	Age	Class, Camp, or Instrument	Teacher	Length of Lesson

CVSM does not discriminate based on race, color, nationality, sex, ethnic origin, or religious beliefs in its admissions, scholarship, or other educational policies.