



Miller Family Music Education Scholarship

Eligibility:

Students who have previously graduated or are currently graduating high school, including home-schooled students, and reside in Door County or the Fox Cities. Students must be pursuing a bachelor degree in music education or performance. Preference will be given to students from Gibraltar High School and Door County Schools. Graduate students are ineligible to apply. The following will be taken into consideration to determine the recipient:

- Major in music or performance
- Involvement in musical activities
- Community involvement
- Good citizenship
- Financial need

Due to the extremely generous support provided by this scholarship we would like to ask that the recipients keep the Community Foundation updated after college graduation. We would like to receive periodic updates, to share with the donor, as to how this scholarship may have made a difference in the recipient's lives.

Award Amount:

Number of awards may vary. Award will consist of a scholarship based on need at the college or university chosen by the student, for tuition, books, room and board, at no more than the current cost of campus housing, net of all other grants, aid or scholarships, not to exceed \$25,000 in any school year, for up to four years. Incidental charges, fees and expenses, including but not limited to travel or study at other institutions will not be part of this award, except for students attending programs sponsored by their college or university at different campuses or institutions, for no more than one semester during their four years of study. During that time the student may maintain their scholarship at the same level and subject to the same limitations as the amount they would have received for that semester at the school of enrollment.

Selection:

Recipients are selected each spring by the Music Scholarship Selection Committee within the Community Foundation for the Fox Valley Region.

Payment Procedure:

A scholarship award payment will be made each semester for eligible recipients. Scholarship payments will be released after submission of the following to the Community Foundation for the Fox Valley Region: Invoice from the school the recipient will be attending and documentation of all financial aid and other scholarships awarded to the student. A completed scholarship verification form (located at www.cffoxvalley.org/scholarships), proof of major and verification of full time student status (class schedule with credits listed). For subsequent semesters the student must submit all of the above documentation along with prior semester's grade report (unofficial grade report will suffice). After approval of submitted documentation, the scholarship check will be paid directly to the school the recipient will be attending during the first and second semesters. Most communications between the Community Foundation and the student will be via email; *please keep us advised of your current email address.*

Loss of Eligibility:

The recipient must remain a full-time student as a music major and maintain a minimum 2.5 grade point average each semester in order to be eligible for renewal of the scholarship award. Eligible students may receive the award up to a maximum of four years. Applicants and recipients shall display qualities of community involvement and good citizenship. Criminal activity, including but not limited to alcohol or drug related activities, shall in the sole discretion of the Committee constitute grounds for denial, revocation, or discontinuance of scholarships.

Students changing their major should contact the Community Foundation to verify continued eligibility.

Further Information:

For more information regarding this and other scholarships or to obtain scholarship forms please visit the Community Foundation for the Fox Valley Region's website at www.cffoxvalley.org/scholarships or contact us at scholarships@cffoxvalley.org or call 920-702-7619.