

NWSMTA \$1000 COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP

Scholarship Rules

Teacher of the student must be a member of NWSMTA for at least 2 years and is the primary teacher of the instrument the students is playing. Dues must have been paid by June 30th of the previous year. Any instrument is acceptable which is taught by a NWSMTA teacher.

Student must be a graduating high school student enrolling in a college or university and has been accepted as a Major or Minor in a music program.

The scholarship is \$1000.00 payable in in 2 checks of \$500.00 Once the admittance to the college/university is submitted, the first check of \$500.00 will be sent to the college/university. The second check will be sent after acceptable grades are submitted to the chairperson after the first semester. This is a onetime scholarship from NWSMTA.

Student will be judged by a qualified nonmember of NWSMTA.

Scholarship Requirements

The student must submit the following materials to the chairperson of NWSMTA College Scholarship Committee by the deadline of May 1st.

1. Confirmation of acceptance of registration at a chosen college or university.
2. Essay not to exceed 500 words listing musical activities (recitals, Sonata/Sonatina Festival, Materclasses, Awards, Festival of Pianos, Workshops, high school concerts, community concerts, etc.), personal goals, future plans.
3. List music selections including title, composer, op.#, movement #.
4. Submit a video of your performance, not to exceed 20 minutes, via youtube using an unlisted setting to the college scholarship chairperson.
5. Music: One piece each from Baroque and Classical Periods is required. Choose one other piece from either Romantic or Impressionistic Periods. All pieces must be memorized. For voice applicants: One song in English, and two songs in different languages. Repertoire must be advanced-equal to Aim literature Level 10 or higher.
6. Completed application form.

Application is available online under NWSMTA.org and must be postmarked by May 1st.