

The Charlotte Area Foundation for Music and Art, Inc. 501(c)(3)

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Grant Application Form

The Charlotte Area Foundation for Music and Art, Inc. 501(c)(3) was established in 2008 to bring glory to God through encouraging fine art and classical music in Charlotte and the surrounding areas. The foundation achieves this goal by providing art and music students, as well as groups and organizations, with scholarships for education, study, tuition and fees, and with financial assistance to purchase musical instruments and art supplies.

We are so honored to be able to offer support to young artists and musicians. We understand how great the financial needs can be for art and music students and so the foundation strives to serve as many children as possible. Assistance is based on merit as well as financial need. Please fill out the following application and include a short biography of the artist along with a statement describing your need for assistance. Feel free to include musical CDs, slide presentations of artist works, hard copy or electronic. Applications are received continuously, but are reviewed quarterly, on March 31, June 31, September 31, and December 31. Grants are awarded based on merit and need. Grant recipients will be notified by email within 30 days of the quarterly review.

Grant Options – Please check the grant for which you are applying.

- Summer Camp Grant** – This award is given to assist an art or music student to attend a summer camp.
- Private Lessons Grant** – This award is given to assist an art or music student to attend lessons.
- Musical Instruments and Art Supplies Grant** – This award is given to assist in the purchase or donation of musical instruments or art supplies.
- Local University Grant** – This award is given to assist with tuition and fees.
- Special Projects Grant** – This award is given to projects promoting the advancement of art or music in the Charlotte area, not limited to students or individuals, but open to groups and organizations. (Please disregard pages 3-6.)

Dollar Amount Being Requested:

Guidelines: The applicant must be a current student actively pursuing art or music, and be less than 21-years-old, unless applying for the Special Projects Grant. The applicant must live in or actively support music in Charlotte or within a 50-mile radius of Charlotte. Applicants may only apply once per calendar year.

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1. Applicant Information

Prefix	First Name	Last Name
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Street Address

City	State	Zip
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Email Address

Day Phone Number	Evening Phone Number
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2. School Information

School Attending

School Address

City

State

Zip

County

School District

Phone Number

Fax Number

Are you still in junior or senior high school? Yes No

If yes, what grade? _____

If no, when did you graduate? _____

Music or Art Teacher

Principal

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3. Musical or Artistic Background

Please fill out portion A) if applying for music, or portion B) if applying for art.

A) Music

How many years have you studied your instrument? _____

Please define what your musical instruction has included:

Private Lessons outside of School Yes No

Private Lessons at School Yes No

Group Lessons at School Yes No

How many lessons do you receive each week? _____

If your instruction is outside of school, please indicate where:

Ensembles in which you have performed:

Marching Band Yes No

Concert Band Yes No

Jazz Band Yes No

Orchestra Yes No

Small Chamber Ensemble Yes No

Chorus Accompaniment Yes No

Other: _____

3. Musical or Artistic Background Continued

B) Art

How many years have you studied art? _____

Please define what your artistic instruction has included:

Private Lessons outside of School Yes No

Private Lessons at School Yes No

Group Lessons (Classes) at School Yes No

How many lessons do you receive each week? _____

If your instruction is outside of school, please indicate where:

Please list your art mediums (painting, pottery, etc.), along with years of study:

Art	Years of study
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Please do not feel you are obligated to list all of your interests but mainly the ones that apply to what you are requesting the Foundation to support.

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4. Teachers You Have Studied Under

Name Type of Instruction Received

Professional Affiliations

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5. Local Vendors – *Please complete the following only if you are applying to purchase an instrument, artistic materials, or a special project.*

Business Name	Phone	Ext	Fax
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City	State	Zip
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Contact Name	email
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Business Name	Phone	Ext	Fax
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Address

City	State	Zip
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Contact Name	email
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Business Name	Phone	Ext	Fax
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10. Affirmation

The Applicant hereby assures The Charlotte Area Foundation for Music and Art, Inc. 501(c)(3) that all information provided in the application is true and accurate and that any musical CDs or slide presentations of artist works, whether hard copy or electronic, are indeed the work of the applicant. If we become aware that any of the included information is not true, this will negate the applicant's ability to receive a grant.

Applicant Signature

Date

Guardian Signature (if under 18 years of age)

Date

By typing your name above, you affirm that you are indeed the applicant (or guardian) and abide by the above statement.

Please copy these completed forms for your records before sending to our office.

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Date Rcvd _____	Application # _____	Discipline _____	
Rating _____	Grant Award _____	Award Date _____	

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Applicant Check List

a. Application Required Attachments:

- Completed the application form.
- Written Description
- Work Sample (optional)
- One letter of recommendation

b. Eligibility Items:

- I am applying as an individual, not for any group or organization.
- I am a current student actively pursuing art or music.
- I am under 21 years of age.
- I live in or actively support music in Charlotte, or within a 50-mile radius of Charlotte.