



**Oswego Music Hall of Fame, Inc.  
The Joseph P. Spereno Music Scholarship Application  
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This scholarship was established to support Oswego County students majoring in music and/ or a music-related field. There will be a strong focus on high school seniors; however, current Oswego County graduates majoring in Music at the higher education level are eligible to apply.

Deadline: Ongoing

**Award Criteria:**

1. Enrolled as a full-time student.
2. Majoring in music or A music-related field.
3. Minimum 3.0 GPA, sealed official transcript required if currently enrolled in college. If you are a graduating senior, please include your last report card.
4. Exhibit outstanding talent in their field; one letter of recommendation from the music instructor is required. You may send a video performance, but it is not required. If you want to send an electronic performance, email it to [oswegomusichalloffame@gmail.com](mailto:oswegomusichalloffame@gmail.com)
5. Typewritten essay of at least 300 words (not to exceed 325). Describe your musical milestones/ musical involvement and development. Tell the board about yourself. What age did you start? Performances to date (plays, recitals, concerts)? What are your musical goals?
6. Bio and photograph are required. If selected, your photos may be used on social media, our webpage, our newsletter, news articles, etc.
7. **Scholarship winners must attend and perform at our annual charity event (unless otherwise stated).** If you can't perform in front of a live audience, please do not apply. The date is TBD. This performance is a great way to show the community all about YOUR musical talents! Our future goal is to someday award YOU with an Oswego Music Hall of Fame Award. Keep reaching for your musical dreams, and Keep the Music Playing!
8. Complete the attached application.

**Return to:**

Oswego Music Hall of Fame, Inc.  
94 Mariposa Dr, Oswego, NY 13126

Or you may email it to: [oswegomusichalloffame@gmail.com](mailto:oswegomusichalloffame@gmail.com)

**Joseph P. Spereno Higher Education Scholarship Application Form**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Why would you like to be considered for a music scholarship?

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2. Where do you plan to go to school? When do you begin?

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3. What do you plan to study?

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4. What are your musical goals?

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5. Favorite performance artist?

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6. Did any local teacher or musician influence your music career? If so, how?

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7. If selected for this award, can I perform in front of a live audience?

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