

# RUBRIC FOR TRAINING SCHOLARSHIPS

Criteria	4 points	3 points	2 points	1 point
<b>Essay/ Personal Statement</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Personal statement is well-written with details that are thoughtful and focused.</li> <li>Communicates clearly what the request is and provides support for the request</li> <li>Communicates applicants passion for the arts and their future goals.</li> <li>Provides examples of community involvement and how that is applicable to the request.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Personal statement is well-written but could have been more focused</li> <li>Provides some details in support of request</li> <li>Communicates applicants' passion but leaves important details out.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Personal statement is not as well-written or as in-depth as it could have been with information that is not well thought out.</li> <li>The applicant could have put more thought and effort into explaining the reason for applying and/or their passion for the arts</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Personal statement is poorly written, doesn't completely address the prompt</li> <li>Demonstrates a lack of effort and/or focus.</li> <li>The applicant did not specifically state the amount requested and what the scholarship would be used for.</li> </ul>
<b>Application</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Application was carefully completed and well presented</li> <li>Applicant included work/volunteer experience pertinent to the scholarship.</li> <li>Instructions were followed.</li> <li>Application is neat, proof-read and free of errors.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Application is complete.</li> <li>Instructions were followed.</li> <li>Application was neat, but had proofing and/or clarity problems.</li> <li>Applicant included few details about experience pertinent to scholarship.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Application is complete but is difficult to read and follow.</li> <li>Applicant did not include pertinent information regarding past work/volunteering experience.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Application is incomplete or illegible.</li> </ul>
<b>Additional Criteria</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Application and personal statement clearly show that the applicant is highly motivated and has strong potential to succeed in developing artistically.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Application and personal statement show that the applicant has a passion and a plan for personal growth but it may not be as organized as it could.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Application and personal statement show applicant's love for the arts but lacks a clear explanation for the purpose of continuing their studies.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Application and personal statement show applicant's lack of motivation or purpose for continuing their studies.</li> </ul>

Total Points \_\_\_\_\_/12