



Junior Company Training Scholarship
For Junior Company Members and Alumni
Sponsored by Fresno LEXUS



Please read the Scholarship Information page for additional details.
A one-page essay must accompany this form.

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

Date of Birth (mm/dd/yr): \_\_\_\_\_

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Parents/Legal Guardian (if under 18): \_\_\_\_\_

Year in School/Highest Grade Completed: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Training (music, drama, dance, art, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_

Outside Activities, Hobbies, Interests: \_\_\_\_\_

Work/Volunteer Experience: \_\_\_\_\_

Other Accomplishments and Interesting Facts: \_\_\_\_\_

Past Scholarship Winner? [ ] Yes [ ] No If yes, what was the scholarship used for?: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's Signature

Parents/Legal Guardian (if under 18)

Date

Mail or Email Completed Form and Additional Page(s) to: Good Company Players
Attn: JCF Scholarship Committee
1105 N. Wishon Ave.
Fresno, CA 93728
Email: jrcompanyfoundation@gmail.com

## Scholarship Information

### Who is eligible for this scholarship?

This scholarship is open to any past or present Junior Company member.

All applicants must submit a completed application, which includes a one-page essay about themselves and how they intend to use the scholarship. A letter of recommendation, written by someone from within the performing arts field, must be attached (applicants may submit more than one letter of recommendation if they so choose). Top qualifying applicants will be expected to attend an interview on **MAY 18 (date subject to change)**.

Applications are due **MAY 3 by 5pm**. Top qualifying applicants will be contacted on **MAY 11** by a Scholarship Committee Member to schedule their interview time. *An interview does not guarantee the scholarship award.*

### What can the scholarship be used for?

The scholarship is to be used for continuing education in an artistic field. Such as: college courses, dance classes, voice lessons, acting sessions, performance camps and/or intensives, workshops, performing arts related field trips, etc. Personal items such as books, make-up, clothing and shoes are not eligible unless they are included in the course package description. Travel is not included.

### What is the amount of the award?

The Junior Company Training Scholarship will be a minimum of **\$500**.

### What are my obligations and responsibilities if I am awarded?

- Submit proof of qualifying course acceptance prior to disbursement.
- Payment will be made to the qualifying course in which the scholarship is intended for (not the scholarship winner, unless proof is given that they have already made payment to the qualifying course).
- Funds must be used by December 31, 2019.

### How are the winners selected?

Applicants will be judged on:

- Strength of application
- Evidence of community involvement, including theatre related experiences
- Letter(s) of recommendation

Scholarship recipients will be selected without regard to financial need.

### Who handles Scholarship procedures?

All phases of the process, including selection of recipients, determination of the amount of the scholarship stipends and payment of stipends for scholarships are handled by the Scholarship Committee with JCF Board approval. All decisions are final.

### About the Partnership with Fresno LEXUS

The 2019 Scholarships are made possible by the generosity of The Fresno Lexus Broadway in Fresno series matching grant program.

### About the Junior Company Foundation

The Junior Company Foundation\* (JCF) is a group of like-minded volunteers dedicated to promoting and advancing the Good Company Players' Junior Company. The JCF combines their desire to promote performing arts in the Fresno area with their interest in providing opportunities for youth to express their talents and creativity.

### Our Goals

- Promote and advance the Good Company Players' Junior Company Program.
- To raise funds and create partnerships that provide scholarships and training programs in our local community.
- To introduce youth to new avenues of creativity, expression, and build their confidence to believe in their talents.

*\*The Junior Company Foundation is an independent, separate entity from Good Company Players, the Second Space and Roger Rocka's Dinner Theater.*