Music Scholarship Instructions
Delaware Valley College

Thank you for your interest in our Music Scholarships at Delaware Valley College. I want to take this opportunity to urge you to apply for a scholarship and to continue your musical experiences while enrolled at Delaware Valley College. Although we do not have a music major on campus, we believe music should be an important part of the undergraduate experience. At Delaware Valley College, we rely on talented students from every major on campus to be leaders in our band and chorale. We feel students should enjoy the personal satisfaction of performing in band or chorale while preparing for a career in one of our strong majors.

Enclosed are the forms required for your application. Please read the following instructions and return the forms to me at your earliest convenience:

1. Complete the Application form.
2. Complete the top section of the Teacher Evaluation and forward the form to your school music teacher, private instructor or some other music professional to complete on your behalf (one required, the second is optional).
3. Contact the Music Program office to arrange for an on-campus audition or to receive instructions for submitting a cassette audition tape (a live audition is preferred). You should be prepared to perform a five-minute audition that demonstrates your present ability level. Remember, we are looking for good students with a strong secondary interest in music.

If you have any questions about the Music Scholarships, feel free to call me at 215-489-2233 or e-mail me at Jack.Schmidt@deval.edu. I look forward to meeting you and hope that you find Delaware Valley College a place where you can develop intellectually and grow as a human being. Best wishes for a successful future!
Delaware Valley College
Music Program

Music Scholarship Application
To be filled out by applicant

Candidate’s Name ___________________________________________ Social Security No. __________

Address ___________________________________________ Phone No. __________

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Grade Point Average _______ Class Rank _______ Out of _________

Probable DVC Major ___________________________________________

Primary Instrument or Voice Part ___________________________________________

Secondary Instrument or Voice Part ___________________________________________

Private Study Yes _______ No _______ How long _________________

Performing Experience (instrumental and/or vocal ensemble, solo, chamber music) __________

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Other related musical studies (theory, ear training, music history) _______________________

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Awards or other recognition in music _______________________________________________

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Name of Person submitting Recommendation #1 (required) _____________________________

Name of Person submitting Recommendation #2 (optional) _____________________________

Audition piece (title and composer) ________________________________

Candidates are required to perform a five-minute on-campus audition. Candidates should select a work (or works) which best demonstrate their musical ability. An accompanist will be provided at the audition. Students will be permitted to submit an audition tape (high quality cassette) with permission of the Delaware Valley College Music Program.

Please return to:
Music Program, Delaware Valley College, 700 E. Butler Ave., Doylestown, PA 18901
Delaware Valley College
Music Program
Music Scholarship Teacher Evaluation Form

Part I – to be completed by the candidate

Candidate’s Name ____________________________ Social Security No. __________

Address ____________________________________________

_______________________________________________________ Phone No. __________

Candidate’s waiver of rights to access (please check one)

I _____ do _____ do not waive my rights to see this completed form.

Signed _______________________________

Part II – to be completed by the recommender

The individual above has applied for a music scholarship at Delaware Valley College. The scholarship provides assistance for fine students with a strong secondary interest in music. Your comments on the musical and personal qualifications of the candidate will be greatly appreciated.

How long have you known the candidate? __________________________________________

Under what circumstance have you known the candidate? ____________________________

Please rate the candidate by checking the appropriate spaces below:

Musicianship

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Please write a paragraph or two about the candidate’s assets and liabilities, both musical and personal. What you say here will be weighted most heavily.

Recommender’s Name (printed)  __________________________________________

Title and Institutional Affiliation  __________________________________________

Telephone Number  __________________________

Signature  _____________________________ Date  ________________

Please return in a sealed envelope to: Music Scholarship Committee, Music Program, Delaware Valley College, 700 E. Butler Ave., Doylestown, PA 18901