

POWERS MUSIC SCHOOL

Music on the Hill (MOTH) 2010 Financial Aid Application

The deadline for the application and all attachments is AT THE TIME OF REGISTRATION but no later than Monday, March 8, 2010.

Financial aid is awarded based on financial need, artistic merit, and the likelihood of the student benefiting from the program. Evaluation criteria will include teacher recommendation and audition. Students are also evaluated, if applicable, on MOTH teacher evaluations, evaluations by the MOTH Artistic Director and/or Powers Music School faculty. New MOTH students must complete the audition process before the application is submitted. Returning MOTH students may be requested to audition at the discretion of the Financial Aid Committee.

STUDENT INFORMATION

Name of Student _____
Age _____ Instrument _____ Years of Study _____
Home Address _____ Phone Number _____

Years studying at Powers Music School (if applicable) _____
Current Music Instructor _____
Address of Current Music Teacher _____

PARENT INFORMATION

Father's Name _____
Home Address (if different) _____
Occupation _____
Work Phone Number _____
Employer's Name and Address _____

Mother's Name _____
Home Address (if different) _____
Occupation _____
Work Phone Number _____

Employer's Name and Address _____

Please include the following ATTACHMENTS with your application:

- a. Federal 1040, Schedule A and Schedule C (if applicable) for 2009 if completed. Please note: If submitting 2008 forms and financial aid is awarded, you will be required to submit 2009 forms upon completion (no later than May 1).
- b. Copies of the last two months' pay statements.
- c. Applicants who are not required to complete a federal 1040 should submit similar documentation to verify the family's total gross income for 2009 and 2010.
- d. **Please attach a letter (no more than two pages)** describing any unusual expenses or circumstances that might help the Financial Aid Committee in determining aid. Briefly outline the student's other activities, interest in music, and other information that will help the Financial Aid Committee understand your need for assistance.
- e. A separate financial aid application must be completed for each student in the family (families need only submit one set of the required attachments).
- f. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

ACTUAL FOR YEAR 2009:

Estimated Annual wage/salary income before taxes:

Father \$ _____ Mother \$ _____ Student \$ _____

ESTIMATE FOR YEAR 2010:

Estimated Annual wage/salary income before taxes:

Father \$ _____ Mother \$ _____ Student \$ _____

Child Support received (if applicable) _____

Other Income (includes investment income, disability benefits, support from other family members, etc.) \$ _____

Total Estimated Annual Gross Income: \$ _____
(Father + Mother + Student + Other Income + Child Support)

Estimated Cash Assets (e.g. mutual funds, cash, stocks etc) \$ _____

Monthly rent/house payment \$ _____

Estimated Annual Medical/Dental Expenses \$ _____

Number of people supported with this income _____

FINANCIAL AID

Total tuition cost \$ _____

MUST BE COMPLETED: Amount of financial aid REQUIRED for student to attend program \$ _____

AGREEMENT

I declare that I have completed this form, and to the best of my knowledge I believe it and its attachments to be true, correct and complete.

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

Powers Music School does not discriminate on the basis of age, race, color, nationality, sex, ethnic origin or religious beliefs in its admissions, financial aid, scholarship and other educational policies.

NOTE: Submit the completed application and all attachments to:

Financial Aid Committee (MOTH)

Powers Music School

P.O. Box 398

Belmont, MA 02478

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

DATE APPLICATION RECEIVED:

IS APPLICATION COMPLETE?

AWARD:

NOTES:

NOTIFICATION SENT: