



Dear Applicant,

Attached is the application for The Texas Renaissance Fine Arts Scholarship. This \$1,500 scholarship is available to graduating seniors in public, private, and home schools in Harris, Montgomery, Walker, Grimes, Brazos, Washington, Austin, Waller, Burleson, Fort Bend, Brazoria, Galveston, Chambers, San Jacinto, Jefferson, and Liberty counties, **as well as students who competed in any 2018 School Days Academic or Fine Arts Competition.** Applicants must be a U.S. citizen or eligible resident.

Scholarship Information:

1. Fine Arts are defined as:

- Dance (traditional, i.e., ballet, tap, modern, jazz)
- Instrumental Music
- Vocal Music
- Theatre Arts
- Visual/Graphic Arts

2. Scholarships will be awarded based on the following criteria:

- 50% demonstrated achievement in the student's chosen discipline
- 25% academic
- 25% essays

3. All scholarship monies will be paid directly to the college or university in which the recipient enrolls.

4. Applications may be obtained by going to www.texrenfest.com. Follow the links to the application and print out the on-line information and application. All applications, recommendation letters, and transcripts **must** be returned to the festival office **by April 1, 2019**. Only **completed** applications will be considered (all essays, recommendations and official transcripts must be included).

5. Recipients will be announced May 1, 2019.

6. The application is confidential, for exclusive use of the scholarship committee.

For additional information, contact The Texas Renaissance Festival office at 281-356-2178 or at schooldays@texrenfest.com.

Best Wishes on your educational endeavors!

Terre Albert, General Manager and Kim Bryant, School Days Coordinator



Fine Arts Scholarship Application 2018/2019

Applicants must intend to major in one of the Fine Arts (dance, instrumental music, theatre arts, visual/graphic arts or vocal music) and may apply in only one area.

Applicant's

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ ZIP _____

Phone _____

High School _____

E-mail

Address _____

Parent or Guardian

Address _____

Phone _____

Which is your area of planned college study? () Dance () Theatre Arts () Vocal Music
() Instrumental Music () Visual/Graphic Arts

Provide EACH of the following and attach to this application. Please place your name on all pages.

a) Description of your personal ambitions and goals (may include your chosen field of study). LIMIT: 250 words.

b) Description of two (2) activities and/or people in your chosen field that have most influenced you. Explain why. LIMIT: 250 words.

c) Activities, training and awards received, stressing your chosen field. LIMIT: one (1) page.

d) One (1) letter of recommendation from an *instructor in your chosen field (school or private)*.

e) *Official* high school transcript including SAT and/or ACT scores. (Late transcripts will not be accepted).

RETURN THIS APPLICATION AND ATTACHED MATERIAL TO

Texas Renaissance Festival

Attn: Scholarship Committee

21778 FM 1774, Todd Mission, TX, 77363

ONLY COMPLETED APPLICATIONS WILL BE CONSIDERED.

ABSOLUTELY NO APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER April 1, 2019.

Applications with missing or late transcripts will be disqualified. No exceptions.